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BANK OF CANADA
MONTH-END AND WEEKLY SERIES

Millions of Dollars

	ASSETS																							
	Government of Canada Direct and Guaranteed Securities																							
	Treasury Bills	Other Maturities: 2 yrs. and under	Other Maturities: Over 2 yrs. to 5 yrs.	Other Maturities: Over 5 yrs. to 10 yrs.	Other Maturities: Over 10 yrs.	Other Maturities: Total	Total	*Of which held under Purchase and Resale Agreements*	Provisional Govt. Securities	Advances to: Govt. of Canada	Advances to: Chartered & Savings Banks	Foreign Currency Assets 1	2	3	Total Assets or Liabilities	Notes in Circulation: Held by: Chartered Banks	Notes in Circulation: Held by: Others	Notes in Circulation: Total	Canadian Dollar Deposits: Govt. of Canada	Canadian Dollar Deposits: Chartered Banks	Canadian Dollar Deposits: Other	Foreign Currency Liabilities	All Other Accounts 4	
As at Dec. 31																								
1951	186.4	955.3	1,049.3			2,004.7	**2,191.1**	–	–	–	–	204.2	27.8	21.0	**2,444.1**	273.1	1,191.1	**1,464.2**	94.9	619.0	66.1	155.6	44.4	1951
1952	282.9	1,176.9	767.2			1,944.1	**2,227.0**	–	–	–	–	84.5	30.8	39.2	**2,381.4**	272.5	1,288.7	**1,561.2**	16.2	626.6	44.5	82.9	50.0	1952
1953	374.5	1,002.1	893.7			1,895.7	**2,270.2**	*21.8*	–	–	–	67.2	36.3	63.5	**2,437.2**	263.8	1,335.3	**1,599.1**	51.5	623.9	29.5	63.8	69.3	1953
1954	168.5	1,193.0	410.8	297.3	152.5	2,053.6	**2,222.0**	–	–	–	–	66.4	35.6	76.9	**2,400.8**	261.6	1,361.9	**1,623.5**	56.3	529.6	30.5	63.1	97.9	1954
1955	262.6	1,021.2	354.5	516.6	212.5	2,104.9	**2,367.5**	–	–	–	2.0	114.7	35.1	100.9	**2,620.2**	289.4	1,449.0	**1,738.5**	89.2	551.0	34.0	98.0	109.5	1955
1956	505.2	519.7 [5]	629.7 [5]	507.2 [5]	232.0 [5]	1,888.7 [5]	**2,393.9** [5]	–	–	–	–	77.7	48.0	28.1	**2,547.7**	370.9	1,497.8	**1,868.7**	38.8	511.5	31.2	62.2	35.4	1956
End of																								**End of**
1956—Jan.	235.8	855.7	401.7	537.1	197.1	1,991.6	**2,227.4**	–	–	–	–	91.7	35.0	56.9	**2,411.0**	290.3	1,358.4	**1,648.7**	76.1	528.4	42.1	75.2	40.5	Jan.—1956
Feb.	338.6	727.0	411.0	539.4	181.5	1,858.9	**2,197.5**	*6.2*	–	–	–	103.7	36.3	36.0	**2,373.6**	265.8	1,375.2	**1,641.1**	60.8	493.6	35.0	94.3	48.7	Feb.
Mar.	455.6	510.3	449.1	624.2	199.9	1,783.5	**2,239.1**	–	–	–	5.0	101.0	36.9	22.7	**2,404.7**	219.1	1,458.1	**1,677.2**	48.1	506.1	31.4	91.2	50.7	Mar.
Apr.	323.5	440.6	569.6	725.1	231.6	1,966.8	**2,290.3**	–	–	–	–	94.4	36.9	54.3	**2,475.9**	271.0	1,415.4	**1,686.3**	54.1	564.9	30.6	83.5	56.6	Apr.
May	392.4	673.3	643.1	328.7	206.4	1,851.5	**2,243.9**	–	–	–	15.7	104.1	37.0	53.6	**2,454.3**	280.9	1,425.2	**1,706.1**	30.2	542.8	29.9	82.7	62.6	May
June	456.1	585.3	798.9	328.8	148.8	1,861.8	**2,317.8**	–	–	–	–	96.7	38.3	131.0	**2,583.9**	235.3	1,499.6	**1,734.9**	51.1	574.7	32.2	87.2	103.8	June
July	453.0	576.5	828.0	335.7	138.1	1,878.4	**2,331.4**	–	–	–	–	91.7	39.9	48.2	**2,511.2**	304.6	1,457.7	**1,762.3**	49.8	500.0	39.6	82.0	77.4	July
Aug.	495.1	524.2	849.8	354.4	131.3	1,859.7	**2,354.8**	–	–	–	–	74.4	40.8	143.3	**2,613.4**	249.6	1,515.0	**1,764.6**	65.4	580.6	35.6	64.4	102.8	Aug.
Sept.	535.3	506.0	672.7	447.5	215.6	1,841.7	**2,377.1**	–	–	–	–	74.8	42.2	108.2	**2,602.1**	255.8	1,513.7	**1,769.5**	46.0	564.0	45.2	64.9	112.4	Sept.
Oct.	557.5	473.8	669.7	451.5	221.4	1,816.4	**2,374.0**	–	–	–	–	68.5	42.8	85.9	**2,571.1**	309.1	1,471.8	**1,780.9**	55.0	575.3	30.7	56.4	72.9	Oct.
Nov.	553.5	467.7	672.7	466.4	222.5	1,829.2	**2,382.8**	–	–	–	–	77.9	43.7	116.9	**2,621.3**	250.5	1,542.9	**1,793.5**	7.4	624.9	31.7	68.2	95.7	Nov.
Dec.	505.2	519.7 [5]	629.7 [5]	507.2 [5]	232.0 [5]	1,888.7 [5]	**2,393.9** [5]	–	–	–	–	77.7	48.0	28.1	**2,547.7**	370.9	1,497.8	**1,868.7**	38.8	511.5	31.2	62.2	35.4	Dec.
1957—Jan.	413.5	678.2	438.8	510.3	229.2	1,856.5	**2,270.0**	*2.1*	–	–	–	75.1	48.9	66.9	**2,460.9**	*	*	**1,738.9**	57.8	524.0	34.3	65.4	40.5	Jan.—1957
Average of Wednesdays																								**Average of Wednesdays**
1956—Jan.	257.7	936.4	1,122.4			2,058.8	**2,316.5**	*3.6*	–	–	2.4	108.1	35.0	47.1	**2,509.1**	351.4	1,343.6	**1,695.0**	46.4	569.3	33.6	92.3	72.4	Jan.—1956
Feb.	276.9	794.0	1,125.5			1,919.5	**2,196.4**	*1.2*	–	–	–	94.9	35.5	41.6	**2,368.3**	292.1	1,353.0	**1,645.1**	56.0	503.5	35.3	84.0	44.3	Feb.
Mar.	421.6	612.7	1,214.9			1,827.6	**2,249.2**	*3.8*	–	–	–	96.7	36.6	38.8	**2,421.2**	302.3	1,360.3	**1,662.6**	48.6	538.7	34.0	87.9	49.4	Mar.
Apr.	410.2	472.9	1,395.3			1,868.2	**2,278.4**	–	–	–	11.5	97.0	36.9	48.3	**2,472.0**	318.4	1,366.8	**1,685.2**	48.3	556.0	31.0	87.5	64.0	Apr.
May	353.7	723.6	1,195.5			1,919.2	**2,272.9**	*0.2*	–	–	5.1	101.1	36.9	51.3	**2,467.4**	320.4	1,384.4	**1,704.8**	52.4	537.2	28.9	88.7	55.4	May
June	447.9	641.4	1,230.1			1,871.6	**2,319.5**	–	–	–	5.7	95.7	37.2	53.1	**2,511.1**	335.9	1,386.0	**1,721.9**	55.7	550.2	32.1	85.7	65.4	June
July	456.3	588.3	1,286.7			1,875.0	**2,331.3**	*0.8*	–	–	20.3	90.8	38.3	47.5	**2,528.3**	339.6	1,417.6	**1,787.2**	47.9	531.5	32.9	81.0	77.7	July
Aug.	482.7	541.4	1,325.3			1,866.7	**2,349.3**	*1.0*	–	–	6.4	79.4	39.9	56.0	**2,531.0**	332.2	1,434.5	**1,766.7**	51.9	545.6	30.2	69.7	66.8	Aug.
Sept.	505.1	514.9	1,335.0			1,859.9	**2,365.0**	*1.4*	–	–	–	70.7	41.0	42.5	**2,519.3**	342.2	1,430.8	**1,772.9**	47.7	542.8	31.4	60.7	63.7	Sept.
Oct.	526.3	500.7	1,342.1			1,842.8	**2,369.1**	*1.4*	–	–	6.4	70.5	42.2	55.0	**2,543.2**	335.0	1,447.5	**1,782.5**	59.3	538.3	31.4	60.4	71.3	Oct.
Nov.	536.9	455.7	1,352.3			1,808.0	**2,344.9**	*3.8*	–	–	21.3	77.0	42.8	63.6	**2,549.5**	349.5†	1,444.5†	**1,794.1**	45.0	531.4	30.2	67.3	81.6	Nov.
Dec.	525.9	493.4	1,369.4			1,862.8	**2,388.7**	*0.4*	–	–	13.6	75.9	43.7	49.3	**2,571.3**	355.2	1,483.0	**1,838.2**	32.6	548.5	30.7	61.6	59.7	Dec.
1957—Jan.	466.4	687.6 [5]	1,178.3 [5]			1,866.0 [5]	**2,332.4** [5]	*1.2*	–	–	6.0	72.6	48.1	55.3	**2,514.3**	378.7	1,423.4	**1,802.2**	57.5	524.5	27.9	63.0	39.3	Jan.—1957
As at																								**As at**
1956—Aug. 8	497.9	542.8	1,316.3			1,859.1	**2,357.0**	*1.0*	–	–	7.0	79.1	39.9	77.8	**2,560.7**	335.9	1,435.2	**1,771.1**	64.0	548.7	27.8	69.9	79.3	8 Aug.—1956
15	495.0	536.7	1,344.3			1,881.0	**2,376.0**	–	–	–	25.0	81.4	39.9	84.4	**2,606.7**	322.4	1,446.3	**1,768.7**	50.5	616.6	28.5	71.9	70.5	15
22	472.4	526.3	1,326.8			1,853.1	**2,325.5**	–	–	–	–	71.1	39.8	57.4	**2,493.8**	345.3	1,420.9	**1,766.2**	49.9	535.8	28.8	61.2	51.9	22
29	491.0	524.1	1,334.0			1,858.1	**2,349.1**	–	–	–	–	73.7	39.9	29.1	**2,491.8**	347.4	1,414.8	**1,762.2**	44.7	536.6	32.7	63.8	51.8	29
Sept. 5	495.2	528.0	1,333.8			1,861.8	**2,356.9**	–	–	–	–	69.8	40.8	46.7	**2,514.3**	314.8	1,458.1	**1,772.9**	49.6	542.5	29.6	59.7	59.9	5 Sept.
12	493.3	525.0	1,338.0			1,863.0	**2,356.4**	*5.5*	–	–	–	75.6	40.8	33.1	**2,505.9**	350.7	1,425.6	**1,776.3**	40.7	535.9	25.6	65.5	61.9	12
19	513.8	532.7	1,336.2			1,868.9	**2,382.6**	–	–	–	–	68.7	40.8	39.2	**2,531.4**	348.4	1,424.9	**1,773.2**	49.2	557.8	29.7	58.8	62.6	19
26	518.1	514.0	1,332.1			1,846.1	**2,364.2**	–	–	–	–	68.7	41.5	51.0	**2,525.5**	354.8	1,414.5	**1,769.3**	51.3	535.0	40.7	58.6	70.6	26
Oct. 3	536.9	506.1	1,347.8			1,853.9	**2,390.8**	–	–	–	–	71.4	42.1	50.4	**2,544.8**	318.6	1,458.3	**1,776.9**	70.9	534.3	35.7	61.5	75.5	3 Oct.
10	496.0	496.1	1,343.5			1,839.6	**2,335.6**	–	–	–	32.0	68.1	42.1	57.3	**2,535.1**	346.4	1,441.2	**1,787.6**	51.2	539.6	28.6	58.3	69.7	10
17	498.3	524.8	1,338.8			1,863.6	**2,361.9**	*7.2*	–	–	–	71.1	42.1	40.2	**2,515.3**	340.5	1,447.5	**1,788.0**	52.5	509.1	31.8	62.2	71.7	17
24	542.6	502.8	1,337.7			1,840.6	**2,383.1**	–	–	–	–	73.3	42.1	41.3	**2,539.8**	360.4	1,418.7	**1,779.1**	67.1	533.1	30.0	63.5	67.0	24
31	557.5	473.8	1,342.6			1,816.4	**2,374.0**	–	–	–	–	68.5	42.8	85.9	**2,571.1**	309.1	1,471.8	**1,780.9**	55.0	575.3	30.7	56.4	72.9	31
Nov. 7	549.0	451.4	1,345.6			1,797.0	**2,346.0**	–	–	–	–	72.5	42.7	86.3	**2,547.6**	335.6†	1,455.9†	**1,791.4**	43.9	528.0	29.3	62.7	92.2	7 Nov.
14	529.0	452.1	1,344.7			1,796.8	**2,325.8**	–	–	–	25.0	81.3	42.7	59.4	**2,534.2**	348.6†	1,448.0†	**1,796.6**	44.8	508.6	28.1	71.7	84.4	14
21	540.6	452.9	1,357.5			1,810.5	**2,351.1**	*15.1*	–	–	10.0	70.2	42.7	72.2	**2,546.2**	355.3†	1,441.7†	**1,796.9**	41.7	525.5	31.9	60.5	89.7	21
28	528.8	466.3	1,361.5			1,827.7	**2,356.5**	–	–	–	50.0	83.8	43.1	36.8	**2,570.1**	358.6	1,432.7	**1,791.3**	49.5	563.6	31.4	74.1	60.1	28
Dec. 5	536.7	468.4	1,363.9			1,832.3	**2,369.0**	–	–	–	–	66.3	43.7	52.4	**2,531.3**	328.6	1,479.6	**1,808.2**	50.2	529.2	29.4	56.9	57.4	5 Dec.
12	543.3	481.1	1,370.1			1,851.2	**2,394.6**	*1.4*	–	–	–	77.9	43.7	51.1	**2,567.3**	365.6	1,461.2	**1,826.9**	39.9	542.1	27.9	65.8	64.8	12
19	508.3	511.9	1,368.5			1,880.3	**2,388.7**	–	–	–	44.5	79.9	43.6	47.5	**2,604.1**	359.3	1,493.3	**1,852.7**	18.6	581.0	27.9	62.1	61.8	19
26	515.3	512.0	1,375.2			1,887.3	**2,402.5**	–	–	–	10.0	79.7	43.8	46.2	**2,582.3**	367.2	1,497.8	**1,865.0**	21.5	541.7	37.8	61.4	54.9	26
1957—Jan. 2	493.3	707.1 [5]	1,177.0 [5]			1,884.2 [5]	**2,377.4** [5]	–	–	–	–	67.5	48.0	86.3	**2,579.2**	384.4	1,482.4	**1,866.8**	72.9	511.1	31.0	58.0	39.4	2 Jan.—1957
9	484.1	678.8	1,178.7			1,857.5	**2,341.6**	*6.0*	–	–	30.0	75.2	48.0	71.8	**2,566.6**	420.4	1,418.0	**1,838.4**	60.5	528.6	29.1	65.5	44.5	9
16	484.2	682.1	1,179.7			1,861.9	**2,346.1**	–	–	–	–	75.8	48.1	39.4	**2,509.4**	373.5	1,427.2	**1,800.7**	50.2	524.9	26.9	66.1	40.5	16
23	454.0	685.8	1,177.6			1,863.4	**2,317.4**	–	–	–	–	73.2	48.3	39.1	**2,477.9**	375.4	1,388.5	**1,763.9**	51.7	534.8	26.9	63.4	37.2	23
30	416.5	684.3	1,178.5			1,862.8	**2,279.3**	–	–	–	–	71.3	48.3	39.7	**2,438.6**	339.8	1,401.1	**1,741.0**	52.1	523.1	25.5	62.0	35.0	30

1. Foreign exchange and foreign securities 2. Industrial Development Bank capital stock, bonds and debentures. 3. Bank premises and all other assets. 4. Capital, rest fund and all other liabilities. 5. On Dec. 31, 1956, the basis for the valuation of securities held by the Bank of Canada was changed from "not exceeding market values" to amortized values, and for this reason figures for Dec. 31 and later dates are not comparable with those for earlier dates. * Not available. † Revised.

NOTE: For data back to 1946 by month-end and to January 1953 by weeks for the majority of these series see pages 4–13 in the "Financial Supplement 1954" and the "Financial Supplement 1955".

CHARTERED BANKS
MONTHLY SERIES
Bank of Canada

Millions of Dollars

I. CANADIAN CASH RESERVES★

	Cash Reserves: Bank of Canada Deposits	Cash Reserves: Bank of Canada Notes	Cash Reserves: Total	Canadian Dollar Deposit Liabilities 2	Average Cash Reserve Ratio 3
Averages					
1951	567	225	**792**	7,759	10.2
1952	606	239	**844**	8,110	10.4
1953	627	256	**883**	8,624	10.2
1954 1st Half	634	260	**894**	8,820	10.1
1954 2nd Half★	525	286	**811**	9,097	8.9
1955	541	293	**834**	9,915	8.4
1956*	548	325	**873**	10,527	8.3
1955–July	557	282	**840**	10,049	8.4
Aug.	552	293	**845**	10,222	8.3
Sept.	542	303	**845**	10,264	8.2
Oct.	556	301	**857**	10,314	8.3
Nov.	549	313	**861**	10,383	8.3
Dec.	552	312	**863**	10,487	8.2
1956–Jan.	568	310	**877**	10,515	8.4
Feb.	504	354	**858**	10,448	8.2
Mar.	542	299	**841**	10,285	8.2
Apr.	561	294	**855**	10,357	8.3
May	545	310	**856**	10,409	8.2
June	560	318	**878**	10,597	8.3
July	544	332	**876**	10,608	8.3
Aug.	563	338	**900**	10,649	8.5
Sept.	549	328	**877**	10,563	8.3
Oct.	544	340	**885**	10,607	8.3
Nov.	539	341	**881**	10,591	8.3
Dec.	553	338†	**890†**	10,704†	8.3
1957—Jan.*	523	353	**876**	10,656	8.2

II. LIABILITIES 1

	Advances from Bank of Canada	Govt. of Canada	Provincial Governments	Canadian Dollar Deposits 1: Personal Savings	Other Notice	Other Banks 4	Public Demand	Total 1	Foreign Currency Deposits 1	Acceptances, Guarantees, & Letters of Credit	All Other Liabilities	Shareholders Equity 5	Total Liabilities 1
As at Dec. 31													
1951	–	88	185	4,296	316	95	2,993	**7,973**	878	225	7	375	**9,458**
1952	–	49	214	4,600	325	75	3,373	**8,636**	905	199	7	381	**10,128**
1953	–	473	166	4,756	278	69	3,368	**9,111**	963	155	8	419	**10,656**
1954	–	176	190	5,218	397	104	3,597	**9,683**	1,030	155	43	521	**11,433**
1955	2	517	181	5,638	464	139	3,915	**10,848**	1,056	203	26	567	**12,702**
1956	–	246	169	6,007	444	116	4,180	**11,162**	1,369	210	34	653	**13,428**
End of													
1955—July	–	170	194	5,630	608	140	3,594	**10,339**	1,014	179	24	552	**12,109**
Aug.	–	174	163	5,696	599	134	3,607	**10,368**	1,032	181	20	552	**12,153**
Sept.	–	134	213	5,757	576	142	3,725	**10,547**	1,044	189	21	552	**12,353**
Oct.	15	165	158	5,839	526	156	3,924	**10,768**	1,048	200	39	560	**12,629**
Nov.	2	543	143	5,615	477	136	3,735	**10,650**	1,098	211	30	567	**12,557**
Dec.	2	517	181	5,633	464	139	3,915	**10,848**	1,056	203	26	567	**12,702**
1956—Jan.	–	501	148	5,676	469	117	3,596	**10,507**	1,070	216	28	567	**12,387**
Feb.	–	493	152	5,721	476	123	3,483	**10,449**	1,118	226	21	567	**12,380**
Mar.	5	488	223	5,791	466	125	3,316	**10,408**	1,148	229	21	568	**12,380**
Apr.	–	355	162	5,919	480	124	3,766	**10,805**	1,185	220	27	569	**12,806**
May	16	494	168	5,844	485	110	3,554	**10,655**	1,203	216	24	587	**12,700**
June	–	413	172	5,881	459	118	3,817	**10,860**	1,236	217	23	609	**12,944**
July	–	279	143	5,923	472	115	3,773	**10,706**	1,315	210	27	619	**12,878**
Aug.	–	275	123	5,941	477	110	3,731	**10,658**	1,354	226	24	628	**12,889**
Sept.	–	281	117	6,020	476	110	3,812	**10,816**	1,315	223	23	631	**13,008**
Oct.	–	153	154	6,098	453	155	3,846	**10,859**	1,334	216	48	647	**13,104**
Nov.	–	417	103	5,974	439	123	3,821	**10,877**	1,376	221	38	652	**13,164**
Dec.	–	246	169	6,007	444	116	4,180	**11,162**	1,369	210	34	653	**13,428**

III. ASSETS 1

	Bank of Canada Deposits and Notes	Cdn. Day-to-Day Loans	Treasury Bills	Government of Canada Direct and Guaranteed Bonds 6: 2 yrs. and under	Over 2 years	Total	Other Canadian Securities, Insured Residential Mortgages and Loans 9 in Canada: Other Canadian Securities 1, 6: Provincial 7, 8	Municipal 8	Corporate	Total 1	Ins. Res. Mtges.	Call and Short 9: To Stock-Brokers 11	To Others	Provincial 8	Municipal 8	Loans 9 In Canada 1: Grain Dealers 10, 11	C.S.B. 11, 12	Sub-Total 11	General Loans 11, 13	Total Loans 1, 13	Total 9, 13	Canadian Dollar Items in Transit (Net) 13	Foreign Cash Items Securities & Loans: Cash Items 14	Foreign Sec. 1	Loans Outside Canada	Customers' Liability Under Acceptances, Guarantees, & Letters of Credit	All Other Assets 15	Total Assets 1
As at Dec. 31																												
1951	892	–	236	499	2,019	2,518	321	167	393	881	–	107		68	94	177	137	583	2,587	3,171	**4,052**	512	254	206	409	225	154	**9,458**
1952	899	–	138	869	1,777	2,647	304	159	370	834	–	155		79	97	257	146	734	2,786	3,519	**4,353**	752	283	262	435	199	160	**10,128**
1953	888	–	244	482	2,034	2,516	280	152	341	773	–	154		65	96	391	165	871	3,235	4,105	**4,878**	751	280	244	540	155	160	**10,656**
1954	791	68	360	636	2,318	2,953	264	177	353	794	74	68	75	61	103	404	147	859	3,236	4,095	**4,963**	827	332	322	488	155	174	**11,433**
1955	840	81	427	475	2,157	2,632	322	218	482	1,022	294	112	67	83	124	361	163	910	3,979	4,889	**6,205**	1,002	327	282	518	203	185	**12,702**
1956	882	74	740	406	1,269	1,675	269	185	510	964	493	90	62	95	177	373	169	966	4,431	5,397	**6,854**	1,330	356	375	720	210	213	**13,428**
End of																												
1955–June	775	95	376	665	2,579	3,244	309	205	429	942	145	90	59	26	133	326	55	688	3,505	4,193	**5,281**	854	310	306	518	181	185	**12,125**
July	772	109	412	424	2,862	3,286	316	205	438	959	162	99	61	13	122	338	44	678	3,604	4,281	**5,402**	649	302	296	514	179	187	**12,109**
Aug.	819	90	418	416	2,838	3,254	317	212	444	973	184	94	46	19	115	352	31	657	3,672	4,329	**5,486**	571	301	303	539	181	190	**12,153**
Sept.	796	44	369	401	2,775	3,175	337	214	449	999	209	88	45	33	130	360	20	676	3,750	4,426	**5,634**	803	297	314	540	189	191	**12,353**
Oct.	858	86	337	646	2,484	3,130	338	219	469	1,027	236	94	52	51	125	369	7	699	3,889	4,588	**5,850**	835	301	300	546	200	186	**12,629**
Nov.	852	54	327	564	2,364	2,928	336	218	479	1,034	264	99	48	83	121	368	185	904	3,955	4,859	**6,157**	677	309	297	561	211	183	**12,557**
Dec.	840	81	427	475	2,157	2,632	322	218	482	1,022	294	112	67	83	124	361	163	910	3,979	4,889	**6,205**	1,002	327	282	518	203	185	**12,702**
1956–Jan.	819	59	512	436	2,047	2,482	317	213	480	1,009	317	113	52	60	143	360	144	872	4,029	4,901	**6,227**	736	297	291	554	216	193	**12,387**
Feb.	759	82	564	406	1,993	2,400	308	210	489	1,007	331	116	56	54	166	356	129	877	4,086	4,962	**6,300**	677	301	293	585	226	192	**12,380**
Mar.	725	75	593	398	1,922	2,319	298	210	485	993	345	109	53	6	200	354	114	836	4,234	5,069	**6,407**	629	310	295	607	229	190	**12,380**
Apr.	836	43	756	350	1,695	2,045	295	211	489	995	361	120	56	16	223	319	97	831	4,352	5,183	**6,539**	936	314	314	611	220	193	**12,806**
May	824	64	767	558	1,424	1,982	297	208	504	1,010	377	118	73	33	215	312	76	828	4,460	5,288	**6,675**	717	296	326	632	216	202	**12,700**
June	810	97	772	557	1,398	1,955	291	206	510	1,007	393	121	57	27	157	340	60	763	4,535	5,297	**6,698**	920	294	339	641	217	201	**12,944**
July	805	109	742	511	1,383	1,893	292	202	511	1,005	412	127	58	36	150	350	45	765	4,541	5,307	**6,724**	836	314	380	657	210	207	**12,878**
Aug.	830	68	814	522	1,325	1,847	291	200	520	1,010	432	123	37	57	145	358	34	753	4,569	5,321	**6,763**	697	334	355	750	226	205	**12,889**
Sept.	820	114	786	526	1,322	1,848	286	197	519	1,003	448	110	38	81	167	341	22	759	4,521	5,280	**6,731**	859	313	396	711	223	207	**13,008**
Oct.	884	85	791	464	1,320	1,784	295	197	516	1,008	471	104	39	83	168	359	4	756	4,609	5,365	**6,845**	843	381	371	701	216	203	**13,104**
Nov.	875	64	743	485	1,280	1,765	265	192	518	975	489	89	36	124	152	361	193	955	4,575	5,531	**6,994**	878	314	395	712	221	202	**13,164**
Dec.	882	74	740	406	1,269	1,675	269	185	510	964	493	90	62	95	177	373	169	966	4,431	5,397	**6,854**	1,330	356	375	720	210	213	**13,428**

★ For periods prior to July 1954 all figures in this section are daily averages. From July 1954, in accordance with section 71 of the Bank Act of 1954, Bank of Canada deposits are averages of the juridical days in the month shown while Bank of Canada notes and Canadian dollar deposit liabilities are averages of the 4 consecutive Wednesdays ending with the second last Wednesday in the previous month.

1. The classification of chartered bank assets and liabilities was revised by the Bank Act of 1954. Figures for the end of July 1954 are on the new basis and, except for "General Loans" (see footnote 13) adjustments have been made to put figures for earlier dates on a comparable basis.
2. From July 1954 the figures are not adjusted for items in transit and are not strictly comparable with the figures in this section for earlier periods.
3. Prior to July 1st, 1954, the statutory minimum requirement was 5 per cent for each day; since that date it has been a monthly average of 8 per cent, calculated as described in footnote ★.
4. Mainly deposits of foreign banks.
5. Capital, rest fund, and undivided profits as at the latest fiscal year-end.
6. Including issues payable in foreign currency.
7. Includes securities guaranteed by provincial governments.
8. Securities purchased direct from issuer with a term of less than one year at time of issue are classified as loans.
9. Excluding Canadian day-to-day loans.
10. Loans to grain dealers and exporters.
11. "Call & Short loans to Stockbrokers", "Grain Dealers", "Canada Savings Bonds" and "General Loans" are Research Department estimates.
12. Loans to finance the purchase of Canada Savings Bonds at time of issue.
13. Figures for June 30, 1954 and later are not adjusted for items in transit applicable to loans and are not strictly comparable with those for earlier dates. The transit adjustment at June 30, 1954 would have been +37.
14. Includes deposits with other banks in foreign currencies, foreign bank notes, gold and coin outside Canada and foreign currency items in transit (net).
15. Includes bank premises, shares of and loans to controlled corporations, gold and coin in Canada, Canadian dollar deposits with other banks, non-current loans and other assets.

* Preliminary. † Revised.

NOTE: For data back to 1946 see pages 14–21 in the "Financial Supplement 1954" and pages 14–17 in the "Financial Supplement 1955".

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	Bank of Canada Deposits & Notes ★	Cdn. Day-to-Day Loans	Treasury Bills	Govt. of Canada Bonds	Other Canadian Securities, Insured Residential: Other Canadian Securities: Provincial 3, 4	Municipal 4	Corporate	Total	Insured Residential Mortgages	Call & Short 2: To Stock-Brokers	To Others	Provincial 4	Municipal 4
Average of Wednesdays													
1955—Jan.	890	34	397	2,971	265	173	353	792	81	122		60	102
Feb.	762	60	450	3,086	269	180	366	816	92	117		55	105
Mar.	780	80	423	3,122	290	182	374	846	105	137		41	134
Apr.	817	87	388	3,172	294	189	388	872	114	115		8	160
May	817	93	419	3,210	296	198	394	888	124	78	54	10	151
June	803	111	409	3,229	313	204	409	926	138	83	63	23	130
July	854	114	391	3,268	312	203	435	950	152	94	88	17	132
Aug.	848	80	416	3,270	315	211	437	964	173	95	52	16	115
Sept.	852	54	379	3,210	334	211	443	988	196	95	40	32	123
Oct.	859	50	363	3,127	336	213	449	997	221	94	52	38	130
Nov.	854	53	298	3,051	336	215	473	1,024	250	99	55	66	117
Dec.	879	57	375	2,721	329	217	482	1,029	281	106	56	94	121
1956—Jan.	921	55	442	2,541	320	214	478	1,012	303	107	53	67	126
Feb.	796	80	542	2,432	312	211	482	1,005	324	114	53	54	147
Mar.	841	61	570	2,352	297	208	482	987	339	117	48	33	179
Apr.	874	17	640	2,184	295	208	480	984	352	119	57	11	213
May	858	59	759	1,994	294	207	489	990	368	126	65	24	216
June	886	78	760	1,932	289	206	504	1,000	385	119	62	39	188
July	871	77	739	1,906	288	202	509	999	400	128	58	25	151
Aug.	878	62	790	1,871	290	200	514	1,004	420	127	41	41	145
Sept.	885	78	798	1,850	289	197	516	1,002	438	120	35	61	153
Oct.	873	76	785	1,826	293	195	517	1,005	459	107	40	69	167
Nov.	880	79	771	1,773	280	191	515	987	480	95	36	108	142
Dec.	904	70	747	1,706	267	186	510	964	493	88	53	124	159
As at													
1956—June 6	973	67	749	1,942	294	204	501	999	379	121	65	31	208
13	881	99	746	1,921	290	208	499	997	383	119	65	36	197
20	886	83	751	1,927	287	206	508	1,001	386	116	63	42	188
27	904	62	793	1,937	287	206	508	1,001	392	120	53	45	161
July 4	836	56	765	1,930	287	203	509	999	395	125	57	19	153
11	889	86	739	1,899	287	202	509	998	397	135	45	21	151
18	881	87	720	1,896	289	202	506	997	401	124	66	30	150
25	878	81	733	1,897	289	201	510	1,001	407	126	63	29	149
Aug. 1	800	95	749	1,897	289	201	512	1,001	411	128	55	34	145
8	885	94	728	1,887	289	200	513	1,002	415	132	44	37	145
15	939	44	806	1,860	290	200	513	1,003	421	131	33	41	141
22	881	45	834	1,862	293	200	513	1,006	423	122	37	43	146
29	884	32	832	1,848	288	200	518	1,006	429	122	36	49	148
Sept. 5	857	59	810	1,848	287	198	515	1,000	432	122	33	54	145
12	887	90	784	1,850	290	198	515	1,003	436	122	34	58	146
19	906	67	796	1,854	290	197	517	1,005	441	122	37	63	157
26	890	95	803	1,848	289	197	516	1,002	445	114	37	67	165
Oct. 3	853	68	797	1,854	292	195	518	1,005	449	111	42	57	163
10	886	76	792	1,852	292	195	518	1,005	452	106	38	64	164
17	850	79	778	1,829	292	195	514	1,001	458	109	44	69	167
24	893	71	763	1,811	293	195	519	1,007	463	107	38	70	171
31	884	85	791	1,784	295	197	516	1,008	471	104	39	83	168
Nov. 7	864†	70	790	1,784	291	191	518	1,000	473	98	40	92	144
14	857†	69	795	1,775	284	191	515	990	478	96	33	99	138
21	881†	80	761	1,762	281	192	515	987	482	93	35	121	140
28	922	97	738	1,772	265	191	514	971	486	91	35	122	145
Dec. 5	858	51	753	1,756	264	186	513	963	490	90	48	134	151
12	908	63	750	1,722	270	187	512	969	493	87	50	128	156
19	940	92	737	1,682	268	185	509	962	497	87	57	118	161
26	909	75	749	1,665	268	185	507	961	494	89	57	113	169
1957—Jan. 2	896	69	753	1,660	265	182	506	953	493	89	59	86	175
9	949	68	753	1,639	265	180	505	950	494	90	45	67	180
16	898	76	762	1,624	265	178	506	948	498	90	48	59	184
23	910	101	762	1,615	266	178	506	950	496	88	42	60	191

★ For data on cash reserves, see section 1 of table on page 3.
1. The classification of chartered bank assets and liabilities was revised by the Bank Act of 1954. Figures for July 7, 1954 and later are on the new basis and adjustments have been made where necessary to put figures for earlier dates on a comparable basis.
2. Excluding Canadian day-to-day loans.
3. Includes securities guaranteed by provincial governments.
4. Securities purchased direct from issuer with a term of less than 1 year at time of issue are classified as loans.
5. Loans to grain dealers and exporters.
6. Loans to finance the purchase of Canada Savings Bonds at time of issue.
7. The figures for "General Loans" are not adjusted for items in transit and, therefore, prior to June 30, 1954, are not on quite the same basis as those shown in section III of the table on pages 3–4.
† Revised.

NOTE: FOR DATA BACK TO AUGUST 1953 SEE PAGES 22–25 IN THE "FINANCIAL SUPPLEMENT 1954" AND PAGES 18–23 IN THE "FINANCIAL SUPPLEMENT 1955".

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Canada

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	Mortgages and Loans 2 in Canada: Loans 2 in Canada: Grain Dealers 5	C.S.B. 6	Sub-Total	General Loans 7	Total Loans	Total 2	Estimated Items in Transit (net)	Canadian Dollar Deposits: Personal Savings	Govt. of Canada Deposits	All Other	Total
Average of Wednesdays											
Jan.—1955	408	137	829	3,221	4,050	4,922	392	5,247	124	3,948	9,318
Feb.	393	120	791	3,212	4,002	4,910	442	5,316	187	3,923	9,427
Mar.	363	104	780	3,243	4,023	4,974	499	5,391	174	4,022	9,588
Apr.	343	89	716	3,308	4,024	5,011	467	5,453	69	4,148	9,669
May	321	74	688	3,408	4,096	5,109	506	5,500	122	4,254	9,876
June	317	60	676	3,486	4,162	5,226	561	5,529	158	4,374	10,061
July	337	48	716	3,570	4,286	5,388	516	5,599	200	4,456	10,255
Aug.	351	36	665	3,653	4,318	5,454	491	5,670	182	4,433	10,285
Sept.	353	24	665	3,737	4,402	5,586	506	5,727	165	4,421	10,313
Oct.	361	12	687	3,817	4,504	5,722	546	5,775	124	4,492	10,392
Nov.	369	112	817	3,948	4,766	6,040	558	5,655	443	4,421	10,520
Dec.	359	174	909	3,988	4,897	6,206	605	5,603	541	4,351	10,495
Jan.—1956	361	153	868	4,015	4,884	6,199	562	5,651	510	4,228	10,390
Feb.	358	136	863	4,069	4,932	6,261	539	5,693	495	4,136	10,324
Mar.	355	119	852	4,156	5,008	6,333	511	5,754	530	4,057	10,342
Apr.	331	103	834	4,287	5,121	6,456	591	5,822	367	4,234	10,423
May	313	85	830	4,427	5,256	6,615	654	5,859	437	4,298	10,595
June	321	66	794	4,537	5,331	6,716	622	5,867	488	4,275	10,630
July	340	53	753	4,552	5,305	6,704	721	5,898	296	4,428	10,623
Aug.	355	39	747	4,571	5,319	6,742	613	5,918	307	4,338	10,563
Sept.	341	26	737	4,563	5,300	6,740	669	5,982	312	4,342	10,635
Oct.	347	11	740	4,571	5,312	6,776	700	6,047	184	4,413	10,644
Nov.	357	130	867	4,581	5,449	6,915	640†	5,992	370	4,298†	10,660†
Dec.	361	178†	963†	4,512†	5,475	6,932	682	5,960	341	4,351	10,652
As at											
6 June—1956	310	72	808	4,536	5,344	6,722	537	5,876	478	4,188	10,543
13	319	68	804	4,538	5,342	6,723	625	5,856	505	4,267	10,628
20	324	64	797	4,529	5,326	6,713	676	5,869	490	4,314	10,673
27	330	60	769	4,544	5,313	6,706	648	5,865	480	4,330	10,675
4 July	339	57	751	4,544	5,296	6,690	875	5,921	262	4,586	10,770
11	345	54	751	4,555	5,307	6,702	616	5,892	325	4,316	10,532
18	337	51	758	4,556	5,315	6,712	736	5,887	305	4,428	10,620
25	337	48	752	4,551	5,303	6,711	657	5,893	293	4,383	10,569
1 Aug.	344	45	750	4,558	5,308	6,720	723	5,924	266	4,406	10,596
8	359	42	760	4,586	5,345	6,762	560	5,918	327	4,275	10,520
15	360	39	746	4,562	5,308	6,731	590	5,920	314	4,325	10,559
22	358	36	742	4,566	5,307	6,737	600	5,914	329	4,334	10,577
29	353	34	740	4,585	5,326	6,761	592	5,914	301	4,348	10,563
5 Sept.	349	31	734	4,581	5,315	6,747	721	5,972	304	4,379	10,656
12	340	28	728	4,581	5,308	6,747	613	5,953	341	4,289	10,584
19	341	25	745	4,546	5,291	6,737	654	6,002	307	4,315	10,624
26	336	22	741	4,542	5,284	6,730	689	5,998	295	4,385	10,678
3 Oct.	336	18	727	4,563	5,290	6,744	727	6,046	191	4,419	10,656
10	342	15	729	4,612	5,340	6,797	597	6,032	215	4,337	10,585
17	348	11	748	4,539	5,287	6,746	703	6,033	175	4,387	10,595
24	349	7	742	4,534	5,276	6,746	628	6,023	187	4,316	10,526
31	359	4	756	4,609	5,365	6,845	843	6,098	153	4,608	10,859
7 Nov.	354	36	765	4,627	5,392	6,865	630	6,048	293	4,296†	10,636†
14	356	97	819	4,577	5,397	6,864	612	5,995	297	4,284†	10,576†
21	356	193	938	4,549	5,487	6,956	691	5,969	488	4,289†	10,745†
28	361	193	947	4,572	5,519	6,975	625	5,955	404	4,323	10,683
5 Dec.	357	187†	967†	4,570†	5,538	6,990	659	5,984	371	4,329	10,684
12	359	181†	961†	4,509†	5,470	6,932	585	5,946	385	4,252	10,583
19	366	175†	965†	4,483†	5,448	6,907	748	5,954	330	4,392	10,675
26	363	169†	960†	4,485†	5,445	6,900	735	5,956	279	4,431	10,665
2 Jan.—1957	364	165	939	4,472	5,411	6,857	997	6,009	164	4,706	10,879
9	361	162	905	4,499	5,404	6,848	520	5,985	233	4,175	10,393
16	363	158	902	4,485	5,387	6,833	660	5,985	262	4,232	10,479
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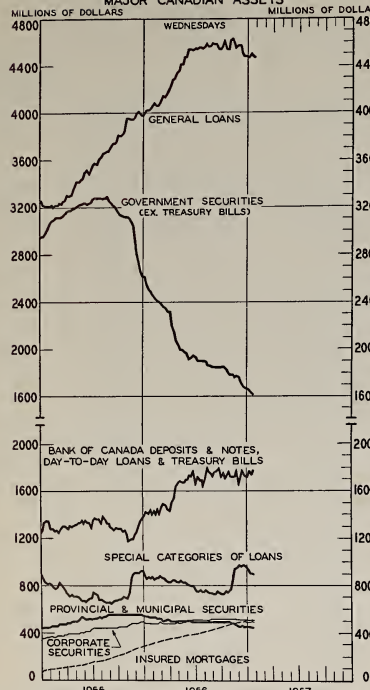
CHARTERED BANKS

ASSETS AND LIABILITIES



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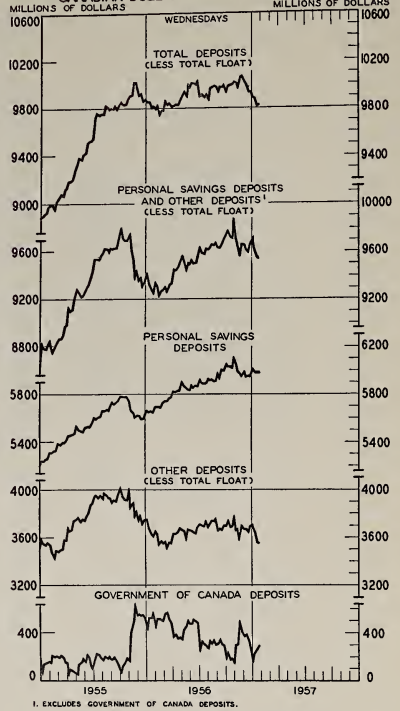

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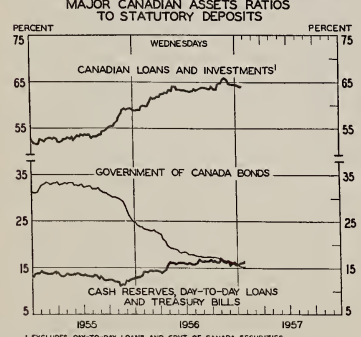

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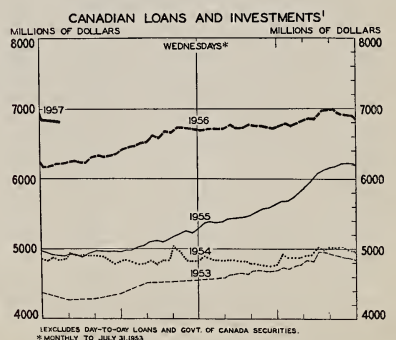

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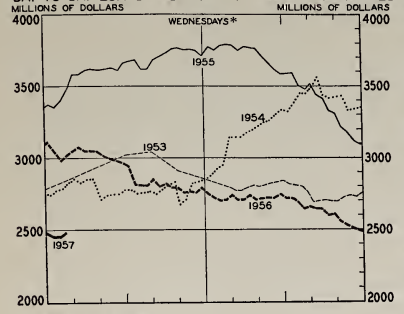
Last weekly data plotted January 23, 1957.

CHARTERED BANKS

SELECTED ASSETS



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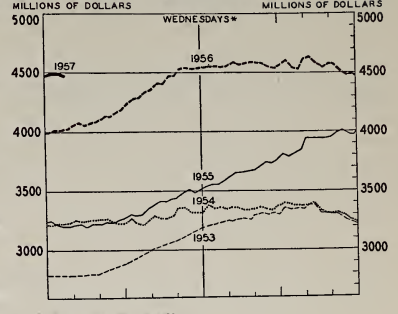

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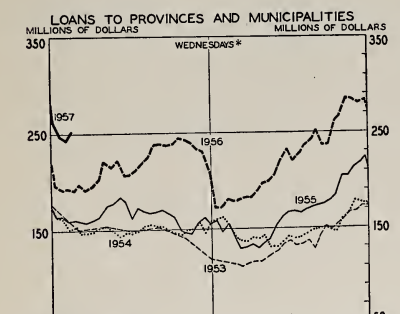

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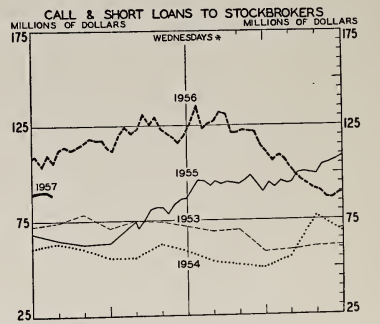

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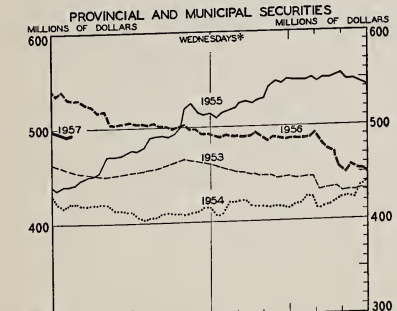

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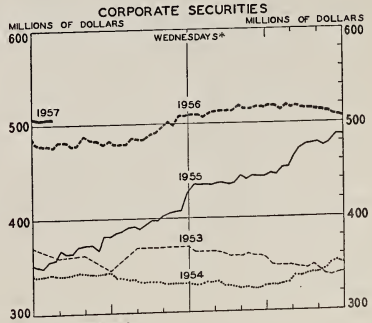

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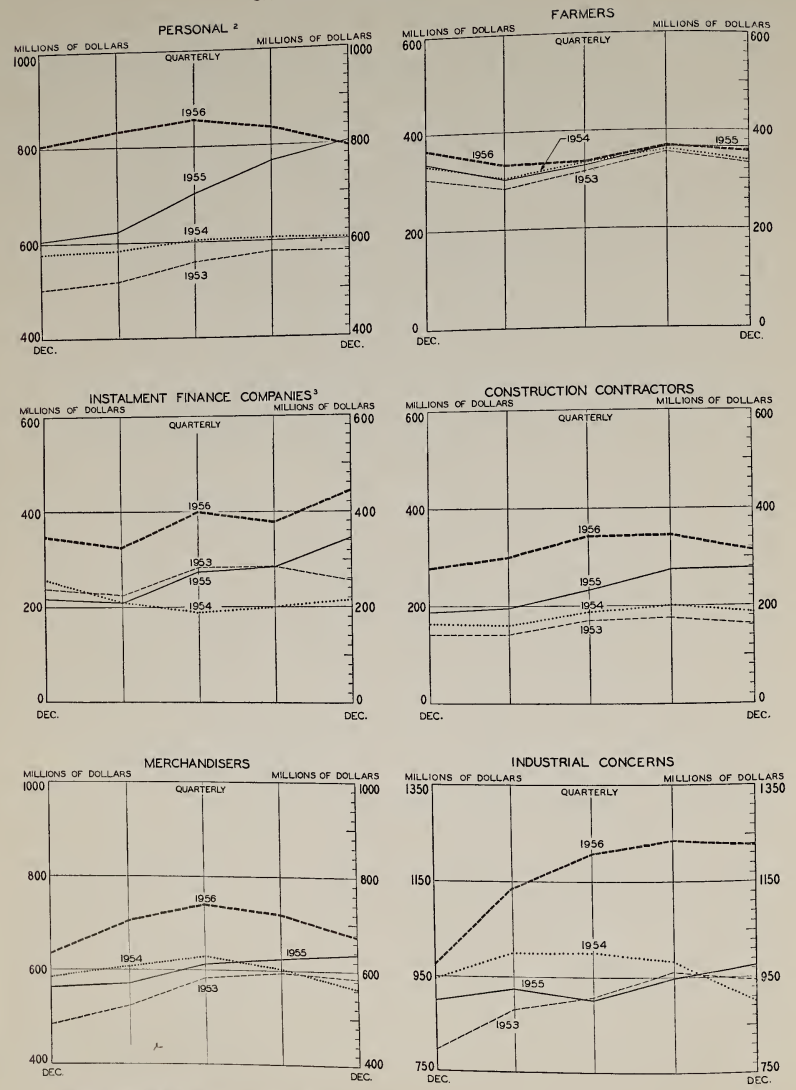
CHARTERED BANKS

SELECTED CANADIAN LOANS[1]



1. See table 1 on opposite page.
2. Excludes loans for the purchase of Canada Savings Bonds.
3. Includes small loan companies.

CHARTERED BANKS

QUARTERLY CLASSIFICATION OF LOANS IN CANADA

Millions of Dollars — *Department of Finance*

As at end of	1954	1955		1956			
	Dec.	Sept.	Dec.	Mar.	June	Sept.	Dec.
1. Government and Other Public Services							
(1) Provincial governments [1]	61.3	32.9	82.9	5.7	27.1	81.0	95.0
(2) Municipal governments and school districts [1]	102.6†	129.6	123.9	200.3	157.3	166.7	176.6
(3) Religious, education, health and welfare institutions	58.4	64.5	71.7	76.2	78.8	82.5	90.3
Total Government and Other Public Services	**222.3**	**227.0**	**278.5**	**282.2**	**263.2**	**330.2**	**361.9**
2. Financial							
(1) Investment dealers and brokers to the extent payable on call or within thirty days							
(a) Day-to-day loans	67.9	44.3	80.6	74.7	96.7	113.6	74.3
(b) Other	143.3	132.9	179.3	162.5	178.5	147.9	151.8
(2) Trust, loan, mortgage, investment and insurance companies and other financial institutions	89.3†	96.3†	96.2†	118.2†	169.7†	135.8†	120.0
Total Financial [2]	**300.5†**	**273.5†**	**356.1†**	**355.4†**	**444.9†**	**397.2†**	**346.1**
3. Personal							
(1) Individuals, for other than business purposes, on the security of marketable stocks and bonds							
(a) For the purchase of Canada Savings Bonds	147.2	20.4	162.7	113.6	60.0	21.8	169.4
(b) Other	252.6	330.7	338.9	363.2	367.7	355.4	323.6
(2) Home Improvement Loans [3]	–	18.4	23.9	25.8	31.3	36.2	37.9
(3) Individuals, for other than business purposes, not elsewhere classified	351.5	417.8	440.6	442.5	454.6	444.3	435.1
Total Personal	**751.3**	**787.3**	**966.1**	**945.1**	**913.6**	**857.7**	**966.0**
4. Agricultural, Industrial and Commercial							
(1) Farmers	338.5	365.9	366.1	331.8	338.0	367.6	356.7
(2) Industry:							
(a) Chemical and rubber products	57.1	56.5	61.9	74.4	68.2	67.6	66.7
(b) Electrical apparatus and supplies	30.7	47.2	47.7	60.3	72.5	77.1	62.9
(c) Food, beverages and tobacco	187.9	175.3	195.3	182.0	171.4	182.4	210.5
(d) Forest products	124.3	136.2	140.7	175.1	188.2	195.6	197.5
(e) Furniture	17.8	20.5	19.2	22.5	22.9	22.3	22.7
(f) Iron and steel products	99.7	90.7	99.2	140.4	168.4	157.0	152.8
(g) Mining and mine products	67.7	61.1	63.4	67.2	79.6	101.2	103.4
(h) Petroleum and products	79.2	83.6	97.5	123.0	139.1	134.0	144.7
(i) Textiles, leather and clothing	133.1	170.0	143.8	174.0	176.5	185.8	157.6
(j) Transportation equipment	47.7	45.8	49.3	54.4	54.1	42.9	48.4
(k) Other products	54.3	61.7	58.0	63.2	68.0	70.1	60.0
Total Industry	899.5	948.6	976.1	1,136.5	1,208.9	1,236.1	1,227.3
(3) Public utilities, transportation & communications	67.4	83.7	140.5	125.9	113.8	137.7	152.2
(4) Construction contractors	187.3	273.7	278.3	299.1	341.8	343.8	312.8
(5) Grain dealers and exporters	404.4	360.3	361.3	353.5	339.7	341.3	372.9
(6) Instalment and other finance companies [4]	216.1†	283.6†	345.0†	324.9†	399.0†	377.7†	443.2
(7) Merchandisers	562.7	626.0	635.3	703.6	739.1	721.0	647.4
(8) Other business	214.1	241.8	267.9	287.5	293.5	284.4	285.7
Total Agricultural, Industrial & Commercial	**2,890.0†**	**3,183.6†**	**3,370.5†**	**3,562.8†**	**3,773.8†**	**3,809.7†**	**3,798.3**
TOTAL LOANS IN CANADA	**4,164.1**	**4,471.4**	**4,971.2**	**5,145.5**	**5,395.5**	**5,394.8**	**5,472.3**

1. Securities purchased direct from issuer with a term of less than one year at time of issue are included in loans.
2. Excluding borrowings by instalment finance companies, and by individuals on the security of marketable stocks and bonds.
3. Loans under Part IV of the National Housing Act, 1954.
4. Includes small loan companies.

† Revised.

NOTE: For data back to 1947 see pages 36–39 in the "Financial Supplement 1954" and pages 30–31 in the "Financial Supplement 1955"

GENERAL PUBLIC HOLDINGS OF CERTAIN LIQUID ASSETS★

CURRENCY, BANK DEPOSITS AND GOVERNMENT OF CANADA SECURITIES

Bank of Canada

Millions of Dollars *Millions of Dollars*

1. CANADIAN DOLLAR CURRENCY AND BANK DEPOSITS HELD BY THE GENERAL PUBLIC, AND RELATED BANK ASSETS

	Currency and Active Bank Deposits: Currency Outside Banks: Notes	Coin	Total	Active Bank Deposits[1]: Chartered Banks: Public Demand	Active Notice	Other excl. Govt. of Canada	Total	*Less:* Float	Net Total	Bank of Canada "Other" Deposits	Total	Total Currency and Active Bank Deposits	Inactive Chartered Bank Notice Deposits[2]	Total Currency and Bank Deposits = Total Related Bank Assets	Related Bank Assets: Government of Canada debt held by Bank of Canada and Chartered Banks: Total	*Less:* Govt. Deposits[4]	Net Total	Other Related Bank Assets[3]: Chartered Banks' Other Cdn. Securities, Insured Mtges., & Loans in Canada[5]	Bank of Canada Gold and Exchange holdings (net)	All Other (net)[6]	Total	
As at Dec. 31																						As at Dec. 31
1951	1,191	84	1,275	2,993	717	280	3,990	489	3,502	66	3,568	4,843	3,894	8,737	4,945	182	4,763	4,052	49	−127	3,974	1951
1952	1,289	88	1,377	3,373	796	289	4,458	706	3,751	45	3,796	5,173	4,129	9,302	5,011	65	4,946	4,353	2	1	4,356	1952
1953	1,335	94	1,429	3,368	823	236	4,427	752	3,675	30	3,705	5,134	4,211	9,345	5,030	525	4,505	4,878	3	−41	4,840	1953
1954	1,362	96	1,458	3,597	903	294	4,794	827	3,967	31	3,998	5,456	4,712	10,168	5,535	233	5,302	5,031	3	−168	4,866	1954
1955	1,449	101	1,550	3,915	974	320	5,209	1,002	4,207	34	4,241	5,791	5,122	10,913	5,427	606	4,821	6,286	17	−211	6,092	1955
1956	1,498	108	1,605	4,180	1,039	285	5,505	1,330	4,175	31	4,206	5,812	5,412	11,224	4,809‡	284	4,524‡	6,928	16	−244	6,699	1956
End of 1955—Dec.	1,449	101	1,550	3,915	974	320	5,209	1,002	4,207	34	4,241	5,791	5,122	10,913	5,427	606	4,821	6,286	17	−211	6,092	End of Dec.—1955
1956—Jan.	1,358	98	1,456	3,596	982	264	4,842	736	4,106	42	4,148	5,605	5,163	10,767	5,221	578	4,643	6,287	16	−179	6,124	Jan.—1956
Feb.	1,375	99	1,474	3,483	990	275	4,748	677	4,071	35	4,106	5,580	5,207	10,788	5,162	554	4,608	6,382	9	−211	6,180	Feb.
Mar.	1,458	102	1,561	3,316	1,002	348	4,666	629	4,037	31	4,068	5,629	5,255	10,884	5,151	536	4,616	6,482	10	−224	6,268	Mar.
Apr.	1,415	102	1,517	3,766	1,024	286	5,076	936	4,140	31	4,170	5,687	5,375	11,062	5,091	409	4,682	6,581	11	−213	6,380	Apr.
May	1,425	102	1,527	3,554	1,011	278	4,843	717	4,126	30	4,156	5,684	5,318	11,001	4,993	524	4,469	6,739	21	−228	6,533	May
June	1,500	104	1,604	3,817	1,017	290	5,124	920	4,204	32	4,236	5,840	5,323	11,164	5,045	464	4,581	6,795	10	−222	6,583	June
July	1,458	103	1,561	3,773	1,025	258	5,056	836	4,220	40	4,260	5,821	5,371	11,192	4,967	329	4,638	6,833	10	−289	6,553	July
Aug.	1,515	106	1,621	3,731	1,028	234	4,993	697	4,296	36	4,332	5,952	5,390	11,342	5,016	341	4,676	6,831	10	−175	6,666	Aug.
Sept.	1,514	106	1,620	3,812	1,041	228	5,081	859	4,222	45	4,267	5,886	5,454	11,341	5,011	327	4,684	6,845	10	−198	6,657	Sept.
Oct.	1,472	106	1,578	3,846	1,055	309	5,210	843	4,366	31	4,397	5,974	5,496	11,471	4,949	208	4,741	6,929	12	−211	6,730	Oct.
Nov.	1,543	108	1,651	3,821	1,034	226	5,080	878	4,202	32	4,234	5,885	5,380	11,264	4,891	424	4,466	7,058	10	−270	6,798	Nov.
Dec.	1,498	108	1,605	4,180	1,039	285	5,505	1,330	4,175	31	4,206	5,812	5,412	11,224	4,809‡	284	4,524‡	6,928	16	−244	6,699	Dec.

2. GOVERNMENT OF CANADA DIRECT AND GUARANTEED SECURITIES

	Outstanding[7]: Direct Funded Debt: Unmatured: Special Short term Issues[8, 9]	Other Market Issues[9]	Non-market Debt[10]	Total	Matured and out-standing	Total	Guaranteed Unmatured Funded Debt[9]	Exchange rate adjustment[11]	Total (including exchange rate adjustment)	Distribution[12]: Bank of Canada	Chartered Banks	Government Accounts[13]	General Public
As at Dec. 31													
1951	1,400	12,225	1,194	14,819	21	14,840	529	−27	**15,342**	2,191	2,754	1,009	**9,388**
1952	1,400	12,020	1,250	14,670	19	14,689	528	−43	**15,174**	2,227	2,784	1,101	**9,062**
1953	1,400	12,090	1,632	15,122	19	15,141	523	−27	**15,627**	2,270	2,760	1,314	**9,283**
1954	1,530	10,876	2,090	14,496	74	14,570	920	−38	**15,452**	2,222	3,313	1,204	**8,713**
1955	1,725	10,973	2,433	15,131	30	15,161	862	−23	**16,000**	2,367	3,059	1,491	**9,083**
1956	1,575	10,318	2,541	14,435	27	14,462	795	−36	**15,220**	2,394‡	2,415	1,518	**8,894‡**
End of 1955—Dec.	1,725	10,973	2,433	15,131	30	15,161	862	−23	**16,000**	2,367	3,059	1,491	**9,083**
1956—Jan.	1,800	10,924	2,420	15,144	34	15,178	862	−23	**16,017**	2,227	2,994	1,629	**9,167**
Feb.	1,930	10,924	2,405	15,259	32	15,291	795	−23	**16,063**	2,198	2,964	1,752	**9,150**
Mar.	2,100	10,924	2,387	15,411	30	15,441	795	−23	**16,213**	2,239	2,912	1,950	**9,112**
Apr.	2,150	10,924	2,363	15,437	30	15,466	795	−24	**16,236**	2,290	2,801	2,061	**9,084**
May	1,690	10,924	2,327	14,941	28	14,969	795	−26	**15,737**	2,244	2,749	1,606	**9,139**
June	1,690	10,869	2,293	14,852	35	14,886	795	−29	**15,652**	2,318	2,727	1,607	**9,000**
July	1,700	10,469	2,264	14,432	34	14,466	795	−29	**15,232**	2,331	2,635	1,357	**8,909**
Aug.	1,710	10,469	2,237	14,416	30	14,446	795	−29	**15,211**	2,355	2,662	1,403	**8,792**
Sept.	1,730	10,469	2,210	14,408	29	14,438	795	−31	**15,201**	2,377	2,634	1,422	**8,769**
Oct.	1,720	10,469	2,199†	14,388†	28	14,415†	795	−32	**15,178†**	2,374	2,575	1,496	**8,733†**
Nov.	1,625	10,468	2,593†	14,687†	26	14,713†	795	−35	**15,472†**	2,383	2,508	1,539	**9,042†**
Dec.	1,575	10,318	2,541	14,435	27	14,462	795	−36	**15,220**	2,394‡	2,415	1,518	**8,894‡**

3. TOTAL OF CERTAIN LIQUID ASSETS HELD BY THE GENERAL PUBLIC, AND RELATED FACTORS

	Liquid Assets: Currency and Active Bank Deposits	Inactive Chartered Bank Notice Deposits	Government of Canada Direct and Guaranteed Securities: Market Issues[14]	Non-market[10]	Total	Total Liquid Assets = Total Related Factors	Related Factors[16]: Bank Assets other than Govt. of Canada Securities[15]	Govt. of Can. Debt. less Govt. Deposits & holdings of Govt. Accts.	
As at Dec. 31									As at Dec. 31
1951	4,843	3,894	8,194	1,194	9,388	**18,125**	3,974	14,151	1951
1952	5,173	4,129	7,812	1,250	9,062	**18,364**	4,356	14,008	1952
1953	5,134	4,211	7,651	1,632	9,283	**18,628**	4,840	13,788	1953
1954	5,456	4,712	6,623	2,090	8,713	**18,881**	4,866	14,015	1954
1955	5,791	5,122	6,650	2,433	9,083	**19,996**	6,092	13,904	1955
1956	5,812	5,412	6,353‡	2,541	8,894‡	**20,117‡**	6,699	13,418	1956
End of Dec.—1955	5,791	5,122	6,650	2,433	9,083	**19,996**	6,092	13,904	End of Dec.—1955
Jan.—1956	5,605	5,163	6,747	2,420	9,167	**19,935**	6,124	13,810	Jan.—1956
Feb.	5,580	5,207	6,745	2,405	9,150	**19,937**	6,180	13,757	Feb.
Mar.	5,629	5,255	6,725	2,387	9,112	**19,996**	6,268	13,727	Mar.
Apr.	5,687	5,375	6,722	2,363	9,084	**20,146**	6,380	13,767	Apr.
May	5,684	5,318	6,811	2,327	9,139	**20,140**	6,533	13,607	May
June	5,840	5,323	6,708	2,293	9,000	**20,164**	6,583	13,581	June
July	5,821	5,371	6,645	2,264	8,909	**20,100**	6,553	13,547	July
Aug.	5,952	5,390	6,555	2,237	8,792	**20,134**	6,666	13,468	Aug.
Sept.	5,886	5,454	6,559	2,210	8,769	**20,109**	6,657	13,452	Sept.
Oct.	5,974	5,496	6,534	2,199†	9,733†	**20,204†**	6,730	13,474†	Oct.
Nov.	5,885	5,380	6,449	2,593†	9,042†	**20,306†**	6,798	13,508†	Nov.
Dec.	5,812	5,412	6,353‡	2,541	8,894‡	**20,117‡**	6,699	13,418	Dec.

★ The term General Public Holdings refers to holdings of non-residents as well as residents; for an approximate division between resident and non-resident holdings on a quarterly basis see page 331 of the November 1956 Statistical Summary.

1. Total Canadian dollar deposits of the chartered banks and the Bank of Canada less: (a) Inactive chartered bank notice deposits which consist of the estimated aggregate minimum quarterly balances in chartered banks' personal savings deposits in Canada plus other notice deposits; (b) Float, i.e. cheques and other items in transit (net); (c) Canadian dollar deposits of the Government of Canada at the chartered banks and the Bank of Canada (shown in "Related Bank Assets" section); (d) Canadian dollar deposits of the chartered banks at the Bank of Canada.
2. See footnote 1 (a).
3. Net assets of the chartered banks and Bank of Canada other than Government of Canada Securities plus coin held outside banks.
4. See footnote 1 (c).
5. Including day-to-day loans. For a breakdown see section III of table on pages 3–4.
6. The net of all related asset and liability items of the chartered banks and Bank of Canada which are not shown elsewhere in this table, including chartered banks' foreign currency items and shareholders equity, and coin held outside banks.
7. Net of sinking fund holdings (except as noted in footnote 13).
8. Treasury Bills; Treasury Notes and Deposit Certificates.
9. For details by issue at December 31, 1956, see table on page 362 of the December 1956 Statistical Summary.
10. Refundable Tax, War Savings Certificates and Canada Savings Bonds, and since May 1, 1954, Canada Savings Bonds only.
11. Adjustment necessary to change value of foreign pay securities from £1 = 4.86$ U.S. = 4.86$ Cdn. to current rates of exchange. Market rates of exchange have been used.
12. For detailed breakdown of distribution of Government of Canada debt as at year-ends see page 303 of the October 1956 Statistical Summary.
13. Includes bonds purchased in the New York market which are held in a sinking fund account.
14. Including any special short term issues held by the general public and all matured issues outstanding.
15. As shown in "Other Related Bank Assets", Section 1 above.
16. The whole of the increase or decrease in Canada's foreign exchange reserves is embodied in the related factors. To the extent that such changes do not appear in Section 1, "Related Bank Assets", under the heading "Bank of Canada Gold and Exchange holdings (net)" they affect changes in Government of Canada Securities outstanding.

‡ On Dec. 31, 1956 the basis for valuation of securities held by the Bank of Canada was changed from "not exceeding market values" to amortized values. For this reason, figures for Dec. 31 and later dates are not comparable with those for earlier dates; this applies both to Bank of Canada holdings and to General Public holdings, since the latter is a residual figure. † Revised.

NOTE: FOR DATA BACK TO 1946 SEE PAGES 26–33 IN THE "FINANCIAL SUPPLEMENT 1954" AND PAGES 24–27 IN THE "FINANCIAL SUPPLEMENT 1955".

CHARTERED BANKS: EARNINGS, EXPENSES AND CHANGES IN SHAREHOLDERS' EQUITY

Department of Finance and Annual Reports of Chartered Banks

Millions of Dollars

Financial Years [1]: Ending in	1951	1952	1953	1954 [2]	1955	1956
CURRENT OPERATING EARNINGS:						
Interest and discount on loans	155.7	166.3	191.6	219.3	236.3	314.2
Interest, dividends and trading profits on securities	91.6	100.8	111.4	124.3	128.4	102.8
Exchange, commission, service charges and other current operating earnings	68.5	70.0	75.5	81.9	89.0	96.5
Total Current Operating Earnings	315.8	337.1	378.5	425.5	453.7	513.5
CURRENT OPERATING EXPENSES [3]:						
Interest on deposits	58.3	61.5	65.7	91.5	105.2	129.1
Remuneration to employees	117.2	125.3	133.4	143.6	153.1	167.8
Contributions to pension funds	12.3	12.6	13.0	13.6	13.6	14.0
Provision for depreciation of bank premises	7.5	7.0	7.1	9.0	10.1	11.4
Other current operating expenses [3, 4]	51.3	53.4	56.6	63.5	70.1	77.5
Total Current Operating Expenses [3]	246.5	259.8	275.8	321.2	352.1	399.8
Net Current Operating Earnings [3]	69.3	77.3	102.8	104.3	101.6	113.7
Less: Provision for losses★ and addition to inner reserves [5, 6]	*27.0*	*27.3*	*25.3* [5]	*−34.7* [5]	*23.1* [5]	*11.0* [5]
Less: Provision for income taxes [7]	*19.7*	*25.5*	*30.1*	*58.0*	*37.2*	*41.7*
Leaving for dividends and addition to shareholders' equity	22.6	24.5	47.4	81.0	41.3	61.0
Of which:						
Dividends to shareholders	17.3	18.6	20.4	21.5	26.2	31.9
Addition to shareholders' equity	5.3	5.9	27.0	59.5	15.1	29.1
ADDITIONS TO SHAREHOLDERS' EQUITY:						
From net operating earnings and inner reserves (as above) to:						
Undivided profits	−0.7	−4.6	−6.1	2.5	2.4	−5.7
Rest account	6.0	10.5	33.1	57.0	12.7	34.9
From issue of new shares: Rest account	5.6	0.5	1.9	29.9 [8]	19.8	42.1
Capital paid up	2.8	0.4	2.3	16.2 [8]	13.7	14.2
Total Increase in Shareholders' Equity	13.7	6.7	31.2	105.7	48.6	85.5
★ Average annual amount required for losses (on loans, investments and other assets less recoveries) during the 15 years (25 years in the case of 1954, 1955 and 1956) ending with the current year	7.8	9.4	7.8	9.2	10.0	13.1

1. In 1956 the financial years of six banks ended on Oct. 31, two on Nov. 30 and one on Sept. 30. 2. Includes figures for only a 11 month period in the case of two banks (accounting on the average for 7.3 per cent of total bank assets) which changed their financial year-ends from Nov. 30 to Oct. 31. 3. Before provision for income taxes and losses and addition to inner reserves. 4. Includes taxes other than income taxes. 5. After deduction of retransfers from inner reserves to undivided profits and rest account amount to 17.0, 48.0, 4.0 and 19.0 in 1953, 1954, 1955 and 1956 respectively. 6. Includes capital profits and losses and non-recurring items. 7. Includes provision for income taxes on the taxable portion of additions to inner reserves and on that portion of the funds retransferred from inner reserves which had not been taxed previously. Includes foreign income taxes. 8. Including increases of 0.4 in rest account and 1.5 in capital paid up which represented the capital of a bank that commenced business in Dec. 1953.

NOTE: FOR THE YEAR 1943 SEE PAGE 34 IN THE "FINANCIAL SUPPLEMENT 1954".
FOR THE YEARS 1944 TO 1950 SEE PAGES 28–29 IN THE "FINANCIAL SUPPLEMENT 1955".

STOCK MARKET STATISTICS

Toronto, Montreal and Canadian Stock Exchanges; Dominion Bureau of Statistics

	Brokers' Loans 1 (Millions of Dollars)	Market Transactions 1: Volume (Millions of Shares)	Market Transactions 1: Value (Millions of Dollars)	Index Numbers of Common Stock Prices 2 (1935–39 = 100): Investors' Total	Industrials: Total	Industrials: Pulp & Paper	Industrials: Oils	Total Utilities	Golds	Base Metals
1955—Feb.	69.4	119.3	279.6	214.7	219.2	873.6	162.0	184.0	69.3	191.3
Mar.	70.0	219.2	374.8	213.7	218.0	864.5	158.5	185.2	69.0	189.6
Apr.	79.8	219.8	336.6	216.5	222.0	911.0	157.5	185.6	71.1	199.8
May	90.0	124.4	324.1	222.1	227.8	991.4	154.0	191.7	72.8	209.0
June	97.0	195.8	436.0	237.1	244.4	1,044.7	163.6	202.9	75.9	226.0
July	108.3	148.0	355.0	246.5	252.8	1,069.8	169.2	208.9	75.0	241.8
Aug.	102.9	138.8	340.4	245.3	252.3	1,066.9	164.7	207.0	76.3	250.0
Sept.	98.8	144.3	333.6	255.9	265.9	1,098.2	174.1	211.2	75.3	252.0
Oct.	102.2	104.8	287.4	239.9	248.9	1,044.9	164.1	200.6	71.0	224.2
Nov.	107.6	94.0	264.5	245.6	255.3	1,062.5	168.8	201.4	71.2	230.2
Dec.	120.3	101.0	256.9	247.6	257.0	1,073.3	170.8	204.2	72.6	233.0
1956—Jan.	121.5	139.3	247.1	248.5	257.0	1,070.0	175.5	206.5	75.8	238.1
Feb.	123.2	219.1	304.4	249.2	258.1	1,077.3	182.6	204.1	76.7	235.8
Mar.	117.1	212.9	439.3	267.9	280.3	1,153.0	205.2	210.2	79.4	260.2
Apr.	131.3	258.1	479.6	273.0	286.2	1,123.9	210.0	209.3	78.8	269.7
May	129.6	148.1	399.6	268.5	282.9	1,192.5	211.7	204.2	78.8	268.5
June	133.4	103.3	259.4	267.0	283.0	1,146.0	219.4	199.8	76.7	273.1
July	139.3	104.6	309.0	282.4	299.0	1,185.8	234.9	207.9	79.5	291.5
Aug.	136.1	106.0	324.3	291.8	308.9	1,175.3	250.1	215.7	79.5	301.9
Sept.	123.7	81.6†	213.3	278.9	294.4	1,077.2	243.7	209.2	74.1	282.2
Oct.	118.3	94.0†	239.7	270.3	284.8	1,024.9	236.2	205.1	72.5	273.3
Nov.	103.6	80.4†	255.4	262.3	276.0	994.2	239.2	200.3	68.6	262.2
Dec.	102.2	78.4	199.0	267.8	281.7	998.9	244.8	203.6	68.9	267.8
1957—Jan.	97.3	136.8*	275.0*	274.2	288.0	1,005.3	252.1	207.5	70.6	267.4

1. Toronto, Montreal and Canadian Stock Exchanges. Brokers' loan data are for the last business day of the month and include borrowings from chartered banks, trust companies and other sources. Customers' free credit balances are not included. 2. Calculated by the Dominion Bureau of Statistics from Montreal and Toronto exchange quotations. Monthly series is an average of Thursday closing prices during the month. † Revised. * Preliminary.

GOVERNMENT OF CANADA THEORETICAL BOND YIELDS [1]

Bank of Canada

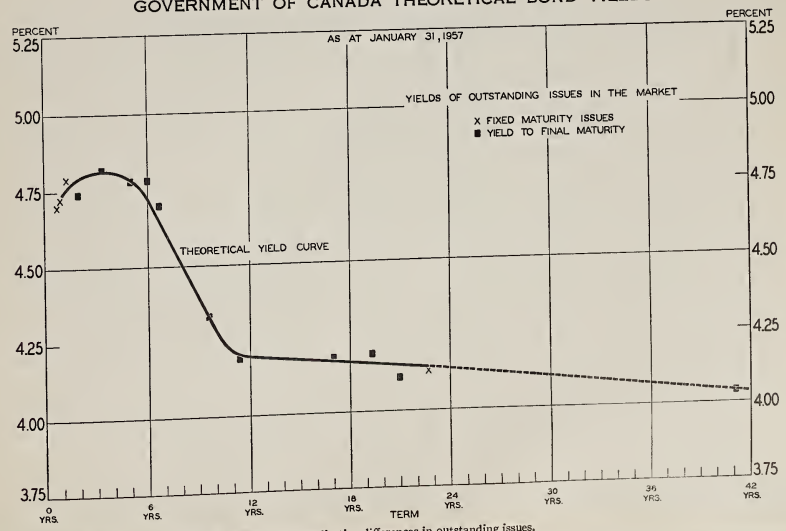
Percent per Annum

	1 Year	2 Years	3 Years	5 Years	10 Years	15 Years	20 Years	25 Years
1955—Oct. 14	2.42	2.67	2.80	2.96	3.10	3.19	3.27	3.34
31	2.35	2.59	2.74	2.92	3.06	3.16	3.25	3.32
Nov. 15	2.59	2.71	2.82	3.00	3.13	3.19	3.26	3.31
30	3.02	3.18	3.23	3.27	3.31	3.35	3.39	3.42
Dec. 13	3.22	3.34	3.40	3.45	3.42	3.41	3.44	3.46
30	3.03	3.28	3.37	3.42	3.36	3.38	3.41	3.44
1956—Jan. 13	3.02	3.25	3.35	3.41	3.32	3.35	3.39	3.42
31	2.73	2.97	3.09	3.19	3.24	3.27	3.31	3.35
Feb. 15	2.70	2.90	3.05	3.20	3.26	3.28	3.29	3.31
29	2.72	2.94	3.07	3.21	3.25	3.27	3.29	3.31
Mar. 15	2.82	3.05	3.16	3.29	3.28	3.31	3.34	3.38
Apr. 3	2.82	3.07	3.22	3.39	3.35	3.38	3.40	3.43
13	3.17	3.38	3.49	3.58	3.49	3.50	3.51	3.52
30	3.40	3.56	3.64	3.67	3.58	3.59	3.61	3.62
May 15	3.34	3.51	3.61	3.65	3.54	3.56	3.58	3.60
31	2.98	3.35	3.56	3.66	3.51	3.52	3.52	3.53
June 15	2.98	3.32	3.49	3.54	3.43	3.42	3.41	3.41
29	2.70	3.12	3.33	3.46	3.39	3.38	3.39	3.40
July 13	2.97	3.30	3.43	3.56	3.48	3.46	3.45	3.44
31	3.20	3.44	3.56	3.68	3.58	3.59	3.60	3.61
Aug. 15	3.69	3.93	3.97	3.95	3.78	3.76	3.75	3.74
31	3.57	3.86	3.89	3.88	3.78	3.77	3.76	3.76
Sept. 15	3.87	3.94	3.96	3.91	3.79	3.78	3.78	3.78
29	3.80	3.95	4.01	4.05	3.87	3.88	3.88	3.88
Oct. 15	3.82	3.97	4.03	4.05	3.86	3.85	3.84	3.84
31	4.03	4.12	4.17	4.19	3.94	3.90	3.87	3.85
Nov. 15	4.11	4.24	4.35	4.41	4.02	3.93	3.90	3.89
30	4.32	4.46	4.50	4.51	4.13	3.98	3.93	3.92
Dec. 14	4.32	4.48	4.51	4.51	4.08	3.97	3.95	3.94
31	4.41	4.56	4.60	4.60	4.10	4.01	4.00	3.99
1957—Jan. 15	4.62	4.84	4.84	4.67	4.23	4.13	4.10	4.08
31	4.74	4.80	4.81	4.79	4.28	4.18	4.16	4.13

1. Obtained as indicated by chart below.

NOTE: FOR DATA BACK TO 1952 SEE PAGES 38–39 IN THE "FINANCIAL SUPPLEMENT 1955".

GOVERNMENT OF CANADA THEORETICAL BOND YIELDS



* Free-hand curve which takes into account certain qualitative differences in outstanding issues.

MONEY MARKET STATISTICS

WEEKLY SERIES

Bank of Canada

	Bank of Canada[1]			Chartered Banks					Treasury Bills								Distribution of Govt. of Canada Direct and Gtd. Securities (Including Treasury Bills)								
	Outstanding Advances to Chartered and Savings Banks	Can. Govt. Securities Held Under Purchase & Resale Agreements		Cash Ratio Statutory Basis		Day-to-Day Loans			Distribution				Weekly Tender on Thurs. following Wed. date shown				Total	Bank of Canada	Chartered Banks	Government Accounts	General Public				
		At Date	Maximum During Week	At Date	Average: Month to Date	Closing Rate	Wkly Av. of Daily Closing Rates	Amount Outstanding	Total	Bank of Canada	Chartered Banks	Other	Average Yield		Amount Sold						Canada Savings Bonds	Other Unmatured	Matured & Outstanding	Total	
													3 Month Bills	9 Month Bills	3 Month Bills	9 Month Bills									
	Millions of Dollars			*Percent*				*mm. of $*	*Millions of Dollars*				*Percent*		*Millions of Dollars*		*Millions of Dollars*								
Wednesdays																									**Wednesdays**
1955—Jan. 26	–	–	–	8.8	9.0	5/8	.68	36	800	137	435	227	.88	1.17	35	15	15,445	2,141	3,447	1,241	2,072	6,479	65	8,615	26 Jan. — 1955
Feb. 23	–	–	–	8.4	8.6	7/8	.83	87	840	126	421	293	1.13	1.21	35	15	15,461	2,083	3,531	1,289	2,054	6,445	59	8,557	23 Feb.
Mar. 30	–	–	–	8.6	8.6	3/4	.85	70	890	165	435	290	1.09	1.29	35	15	15,430	2,139	3,587	1,235	2,032	6,384	54	8,469	30 Mar.
Apr. 27	–	–	–	8.7	8.4	3/4	.98	69	930	235	367	329	1.25	1.52	40	15	15,446	2,209	3,551	1,218	2,012	6,407	50	8,468	27 Apr.
May 25	–	–	–	8.1	8.4	1	.94	117	970	195	423	352	1.30	1.61	40	15	15,434	2,157	3,642	1,199	1,988	6,401	46	8,436	25 May
June 29	–	–	4	8.4	8.3	1 1/8	1.20	104	1,020	273	374	372	1.44	1.71	40	15	15,404	2,251	3,612	1,207	1,961	6,332	41	8,334	29 June
July 27	–	–	–	8.1	8.4	1 1/8	1.08	109	1,050	280	406	364	1.43	1.72	40	15	15,513	2,255	3,682	1,247	1,942	6,348	40	8,329	27 July
Aug. 31	–	–	8	8.1	8.3	1 1/2	1.53	90	1,075	241	418	416	1.70	1.95	40	15	15,514	2,269	3,672	1,279	1,921	6,336	37	8,293	31 Aug.
Sept. 28	–	–	–	8.4	8.2	1 5/8	1.80	41	1,095	249	363	483	1.83	2.10	40	15	15,516	2,311	3,538	1,360	1,902	6,369	35	8,306	28 Sept.
Oct. 26	16	4	12	8.4	8.3	2 1/8	2.13	53	1,145	300	316	529	2.20	–	60	–	15,581	2,301	3,423	1,434	1,917	6,473	33	8,422	26 Oct.
Nov. 30	4	–	2	8.4	8.3	2 1/4	2.25	54	1,170	301	327	542	2.58	–	60	–	15,974	2,376	3,255	1,334	2,461	6,517	31	9,009	30 Nov.
Dec. 28	–	–	–	8.2	8.2	2 3/8	2.38	56	1,205	264	415	526	2.56	–	75	–	15,982	2,374	3,038	1,492	2,435	6,614	30	9,078	28 Dec.
1956—Jan. 25	–	–	–	8.3	8.4	2 1/4	2.33	54	1,275	232	478	565	2.53	–	100	–	15,989	2,254	2,965	1,604	2,415	6,716	35	9,166	25 Jan. — 1956
Feb. 29	–	6	6	8.1	8.2	2 1/2	2.50	82	1,430	339	562	529	2.56	–	115	–	16,063	2,198	2,964	1,752	2,405	6,713	32	9,150	29 Feb.
Mar. 28	–	–	3	7.9	8.2	2 5/8	2.58	62	1,575	441	571	564	2.64	–	115	–	16,188	2,245	2,894	1,935	2,387	6,697	30	9,115	28 Mar.
Apr. 25	10	–	–	8.3	8.2	2 5/8	2.68	13	1,640	333	725	582	2.89	–	125	–	16,228	2,273	2,790	2,067	2,363	6,705	30	9,098	25 Apr.
May 30	26	–	–	8.2	8.2	2 3/4	2.73	63	1,690	391	757	542	2.72	–	130	–	15,735	2,247	2,731	1,604	2,323	6,803	28	9,154	30 May
June 27	5	–	–	8.3	8.3	2 3/8	2.48	62	1,690	461	793	436	2.52	–	130	–	15,655	2,335	2,729	1,606	2,293	6,657	35	8,985	27 June
July 25	12	–	–	8.1	8.3	2 5/8	2.63	81	1,695	464	733	499	2.65	–	130	–	15,230	2,341	2,630	1,352	2,266	6,607	35	8,907	25 July
Aug. 29	–	–	–	8.2	8.4	2 1/4	2.40	32	1,705	491	832	382	2.90	–	135	–	15,207	2,349	2,680	1,403	2,237	6,508	31	8,776	29 Aug.
Sept. 26	–	–	–	8.2	8.3	2 3/4	2.88	95	1,725	518	803	404	3.16	–	135	–	15,199	2,364	2,651	1,424	2,210	6,520	29	8,760	26 Sept.
Oct. 31	–	–	26	8.6	8.3	2 3/4	2.90	85	1,720	558	791	371	3.34	–	115	–	15,178†	2,374	2,575	1,496	2,199†	6,507	28	8,733†	31 Oct.
Nov. 28	50	–	–	8.5	8.2	2 7/8	3.03	97	1,645	529	738	378	3.52	–	115	–	15,485	2,356	2,510	1,540	2,582	6,470	26	9,079	28 Nov.
Dec. 26	10	–	–	8.2	8.3	3 1/4	3.25	75	1,585	515	749	321	3.67	–	125	–	15,220†	2,403	2,414	1,447†	2,530†	6,399†	28	8,957†	26 Dec.
1957—Jan. 30	–	–	–	8.2	8.2	3	3.00	86	1,565	417	804	345	3.70	–	125	–	15,165	2,279[2]	2,411	1,536	2,500	6,415[3]	24	8,939[3]	30 Jan. — 1957
Weekly																									**Weekly**
1956—Aug. 1	–	3	3	7.8	7.8	2 7/8	2.75	95	1,700	457	749	494	2.80	–	130	–	15,228	2,339	2,646	1,358	2,260	6,592	33	8,886	1 Aug.—1956
8	7	1	3	8.3	8.3	2 7/8	2.83	94	1,705	498	728	479	2.97	–	135	–	15,225	2,357	2,615	1,386	2,253	6,581	33	8,866	8
15	25	–	–	8.9	8.5	2 1/2	2.68	44	1,705	495	806	404	3.03	–	135	–	15,219	2,376	2,666	1,394	2,248	6,504	32	8,783	11
22	–	–	–	8.2	8.5	2 1/2	2.50	45	1,705	472	834	398	3.00	–	135	–	15,213	2,326	2,696	1,399	2,242	6,519	31	8,793	22
29	–	–	–	8.2	8.4	2 1/4	2.40	32	1,705	491	832	382	2.90	–	135	–	15,207	2,349	2,680	1,403	2,237	6,508	31	8,776	29
Sept. 5	–	–	–	8.2	8.2	2 1/4	2.25	59	1,710	495	810	405	2.92	–	135	–	15,207	2,357	2,658	1,403	2,232	6,526	30	8,789	5 Sept.
12	–	6	26	8.2	8.3	3	2.80	90	1,715	493	784	438	3.05	–	135	–	15,203	2,356	2,634	1,410	2,224	6,549	30	8,803	12
19	–	–	2	8.4	8.3	2 3/4	2.75	67	1,720	514	796	411	3.09	–	135	–	15,200	2,383	2,650	1,418	2,216	6,504	30	8,750	19
26	–	–	–	8.2	8.3	2 3/4	2.88	95	1,725	518	803	404	3.16	–	135	–	15,199	2,364	2,651	1,424	2,210	6,520	29	8,760	26
Oct. 3	–	–	–	8.2	8.2	2 3/4	2.80	68	1,730	537	798	396	3.21	–	135	–	15,195	2,391	2,651	1,422	2,204	6,499	29	8,732	3 Oct.
10	32	–	–	8.3	8.3	2 3/4	2.75	76	1,735	496	792	447	3.26	–	125	–	15,189	2,336	2,645	1,478	2,193	6,510	29	8,732	10
17	–	7	7	8.0	8.2	3	2.90	79	1,730	498	778	453	3.34	–	125	–	15,179	2,362	2,608	1,489	2,189	6,504	28	8,721	17
24	–	–	–	8.2	8.3	2 3/4	2.80	71	1,725	543	763	419	3.37	–	125	–	15,178	2,383	2,574	1,493	2,193	6,507	28	8,728	24
31	–	–	26	8.6	8.3	2 3/4	2.90	85	1,720	558	791	371	3.34	–	115	–	15,178†	2,374	2,575	1,496	2,199†	6,507	28	8,733†	31
Nov. 7	–	–	–	8.2	8.4	2 3/4	2.75	70	1,705	549	790	366	3.33	–	115	–	15,289	2,346	2,573	1,526	2,326	6,491	27	8,844	7 Nov.
14	25	–	2	8.0	8.2	2 3/4	2.73	69	1,685	529	795	361	3.32	–	115	–	15,334	2,326	2,570	1,529	2,391	6,491	27	8,909	14
21	10	15	20	8.2	8.2	3 1/4	3.05	80	1,665	541	761	363	3.44	–	115	–	15,522	2,351	2,524	1,536	2,599	6,486	27	9,111	21
28	50	–	–	8.5	8.2	2 7/8	3.03	97	1,645	529	738	378	3.52	–	115	–	15,485	2,356	2,510	1,540	2,582	6,470	26	9,079	28
Dec. 5	–	–	–	8.1	8.3	2 3/4	2.80	51	1,625	537	753	336	3.53	–	115	–	15,461†	2,369	2,509	1,539	2,583†	6,435	26	9,044†	5 Dec.
12	–	1	1	8.2	8.2	3 1/2	3.15	63	1,605	543	750	312	3.59	–	125	–	15,414†	2,395	2,472	1,540	2,556†	6,426	26	9,008†	12
19	45	–	–	8.6	8.3	3 1/2	3.50	92	1,595	508	737	350	3.64	–	125	–	15,250†	2,389	2,419	1,446†	2,541†	6,418†	36	8,996†	19
26	10	–	–	8.2	8.3	3 1/2	3.25	75	1,585	515	749	321	3.67	–	125	–	15,220†	2,403	2,414	1,447†	2,530†	6,399†	28	8,957†	26
1957—Jan. 2	–	–	–	8.1	8.1	3	3.25	69	1,575	493	753	329	3.65	–	125	–	15,220	2,377[2]	2,413	1,518	2,540	6,344[3]	27	8,911[3]	2 Jan. — 1957
9	30	6	10	8.3	8.1	3 1/2	3.35	68	1,565	484	753	328	3.71	–	125	–	15,196	2,342	2,392	1,542	2,528	6,366	26	8,920	9
16	–	–	1	8.2	8.2	3 1/2	3.40	76	1,565	484	762	319	3.72	–	125	–	15,183	2,346	2,386	1,543	2,516	6,367	25	8,908	16
23	–	–	–	8.3	8.2	3	3.35	101	1,565	454	762	349	3.72	–	125	–	15,173	2,317	2,377	1,541	2,506	6,407	25	8,938	23
30	–	–	–	8.2	8.2	3	3.00	86	1,565	417	804	345	3.70	–	125	–	15,165	2,279	2,411	1,536	2,500	6,415	24	8,939	30

1. Bank Rate, the minimum rate at which the Bank of Canada will make temporary loans or advances, stood at 2% from October 1950 to February 14, 1955 when it was reduced to 1½%. The rate was raised to 2% on August 5, 1955, to 2¼% on October 12, 1955, to 2¾% on November 18, 1955, to 3% on April 4, 1956, to 3¼% on August 9, 1956, and to 3½% on October 17, 1956. Since November 1, 1956, Bank Rate has been ¼ of 1% above the latest weekly average tender rate for 91-day Treasury Bills. 2. See footnote 5 on page 2. 3. As this is a residual figure it is affected by the Bank of Canada valuation change referred to in footnote 5 on page 2. † Revised.

NOTE: For data back to July 1954 see pages 40–43 in the "Financial Supplement for 1955".

TREASURY BILL RATES, GOVERNMENT BOND PRICES[1] AND MARKET YIELDS[2]

SELECTED ISSUES[3]

CANADA, UNITED STATES, UNITED KINGDOM

Bank of Canada

	Weighted Average of Tender Rates on 3 Month Treasury Bills[4]			Canada								United States						United Kingdom				
				3% Sept. 1/61–66		2¾% June 15/67–68		3¾% Jan. 15/75–78		3¼% Oct. 1/79		2½% Dec. 15/63–68		2½% Dec. 15/67–72		3¼% June 15/78–83		3% Apr. 15/59–69		3% Aug. 15/65–75		
	Canada	U.S.	U.K.	Price	Yield	Price	Yield	Price	Yield	Price	Yield	Price	Yield	Price	Yield	Price	Yield	Price	Yield	Price	Yield	
				Cdn. $		*Cdn. $*		*Cdn. $*		*Cdn. $*		*U.S. $*		*U.S. $*		*U.S. $*		£		£		
Wednesdays																						**Wednesdays**
1955—Jan. 26	.88	1.35	2.33	100 3/4	2.87	97 5/8	2.97	106 1/2	3.30	99 7/8	3.26	98 9/32	2.65	97 5/8	2.67	108 1/8	2.78	94 9/32	3.51	91 13/32	3.59	26 Jan.—1955
Feb. 23	1.13	1.36	3.77	101 5/8	2.73	98 3/4	2.86	107 3/4	3.22	101 5/8	3.15	97 1/4	2.74	96 31/32	2.77	106 7/16	2.89	91 25/32	3.75	88 9/16	3.81	23 Feb.
Mar. 30	1.09	1.37	3.79	102 1/4	2.62	99 3/8	2.81	108	3.20	101 7/8	3.14	97 17/32	2.72	96 25/32	2.73	106 3/4	2.85	91 7/8	3.75	88 13/32	3.82	30 Mar.
Apr. 27	1.25	1.70	3.90	101 3/4	2.70	98 3/4	2.86	107 3/4	3.22	101 3/8	3.17	96 27/32	2.78	96 1/16	2.77	106 9/16	2.86	89 25/32	3.96	85 25/32	4.03	27 Apr.
May 25	1.30	1.47	3.92	101 5/8	2.72	98 1/2	2.89	108	3.20	101 3/8	3.17	97 9/32	2.74	96 5/8	2.74	106 3/4	2.85	86 11/16	4.28	83 13/16	4.19	25 May
June 29	1.44	1.40	3.97	102	2.65	98 1/2	2.89	108	3.20	101 1/2	3.16	96 7/32	2.84	95 3/4	2.81	106	2.89	85 5/8	4.40	82 17/32	4.30	29 June
July 27	1.43	1.72	3.97	101 1/2	2.73	97 7/8	2.95	107 1/2	3.23	100 7/8	3.20	95 31/32	2.93	94 31/32	2.94	104 7/8	2.96	83 13/32	4.65	80 5/32	4.51	27 July
Aug. 31	1.70	2.09	4.07	99 3/4	3.03	96 3/4	3.06	105 3/4	3.34	99 3/4	3.27	95 7/16	2.92	94 13/32	2.90	104 1/4	2.99	79 1/4	5.14	76 1/2	4.85	31 Aug.
Sept. 28	1.83	2.12	4.07	99 1/4	3.08	96 3/8	3.10	105 1/2	3.36	99 5/8	3.27	96	2.86	95 9/32	2.85	104 3/4	2.96	81 3/4	4.85	78	4.71	28 Sept.
Oct. 26	2.20	2.23	4.07	99 1/4	3.08	95 3/4	3.16	105 1/2	3.36	99 5/8	3.27	96 7/8	2.78	95 27/32	2.81	105 3/4	2.90	84 1/32	4.60	80 21/32	4.48	26 Oct.
Nov. 30	2.58	2.45	4.07	97 1/2	3.28	94 3/8	3.30	105	3.39	97 3/4	3.39	96 3/8	2.83	94 27/32	2.89	105 1/4	2.93	82 15/16	4.74	79	4.64	30 Nov.
Dec. 28	2.56	2.69	4.07	97 1/4	3.31	93 1/2	3.39	103 3/4	3.48	97 3/8	3.41	95 3/4	2.89	94 13/16	2.89	105 1/32	2.94	82 1/32	4.85	78 3/8	4.69	28 Dec.
1956—Jan. 25	2.53	2.25	4.07	98	3.22	94 1/2	3.29	104 1/2	3.43	98 3/8	3.35	96 1/2	2.83	95 3/4	2.82	105 3/4	2.90	80 13/32	5.04	77	4.83	25 Jan.—1956
Feb. 29	2.56	2.41	5.20	98	3.23	95	3.25	105 1/4	3.37	99 1/8	3.30	96 15/16	2.83	95 21/32	2.83	105 11/16	2.90	80 1/2	5.06	76 7/8	4.85	29 Feb.
Mar. 28	2.64	2.17	5.17	97 7/8	3.33	93 1/2	3.40	103 1/2	3.49	97 3/8	3.41	94 23/32	3.00	93 15/16	2.96	104 3/32	3.00	79 3/32	5.23	75 9/32	5.03	28 Mar.
Apr. 25	2.89	2.79	5.01	94 3/4	3.61	92 1/2	3.51	100 3/4	3.69	94 1/2	3.60	93 23/32	3.10	92 25/32	3.06	102 1/8	3.12	80 13/32	5.08	75 13/16	4.96	25 Apr.
May 30	2.72	2.57	5.01	95 5/8	3.51	92 5/8	3.51	102	3.60	95 7/8	3.51	95 13/16	2.90	95 1/4	2.86	104 5/16	2.98	79	5.27	74 3/4	5.07	30 May
June 27	2.52	2.54	5.14	96 3/8	3.42	93 5/8	3.40	103 3/4	3.47	98	3.37	95 7/8	2.96	94 9/16	2.92	104 1/4	2.99	77 19/32	5.45	73 5/32	5.24	27 June
July 25	2.65	2.30	4.98	95 3/8	3.55	92 1/2	3.53	101 1/2	3.64	95 1/4	3.55	93 31/32	3.09	93 7/32	3.03	102 1/16	3.12	77 27/32	5.43	72 1/16	5.36	25 July
Aug. 29	2.90	2.83	5.02	93 7/8	3.74	90	3.81	99 1/2	3.78	93 1/8	3.69	91 15/32	3.35	90 15/16	3.22	100 3/32	3.25	79 1/4	5.28	74 1/4	5.14	29 Aug.
Sept. 26	3.16	2.99	5.09	92 7/8	3.87	89 1/2	3.88	98	3.89	91 1/2	3.81	92 5/16	3.27	91 13/16	3.15	100 1/8	3.24	77 17/32	5.51	72 5/32	5.37	26 Sept.
Oct. 31	3.34	2.89	5.00	92 1/4	3.96	89	3.94	98	3.89	91 1/8	3.84	91 11/16	3.34	90 23/32	3.24	99 5/16	3.30	78 3/4	5.37	72 3/8	5.35	31 Oct.
Nov. 28	3.52	3.17	5.02	91 7/8	4.11	88 3/4	3.97	97	3.96	90 3/4	3.86	90 31/32	3.42	89 19/32	3.34	98 1/4	3.35	77 3/4	5.49	71 1/4	5.47	28 Nov.
Dec. 26	3.67	3.22	4.86	90 7/8	4.16	88 3/4	3.98	96 3/4	3.98	90 1/4	3.90	90 15/32	3.48	88 9/16	3.44	97 1/2	3.39	78 13/32	5.43	72 13/32	5.36	26 Dec.
1957—Jan. 30	3.70	3.28	4.54	89 1/2	4.35	86 3/4	4.23	95	4.11	87	4.14	92 9/16	3.26	91 9/16	3.18	99 1/4	3.29	83	4.86	77 5/8	4.84	30 Jan.—1957
Weekly																						**Weekly**
1956—Aug. 15	3.03	2.60	5.00	93 1/2	3.78	90	3.81	99 1/2	3.78	92 3/4	3.72	92 27/32	3.21	92 1/16	3.12	100 15/16	3.19	77 1/8	5.54	72 13/16	5.28	15 Aug.—1956
22	3.00	2.82	5.06	93 1/2	3.79	89 3/4	3.84	99 1/2	3.78	93	3.70	91 15/16	3.30	91 1/8	3.20	100	3.25	78 3/4	5.33	74 1/16	5.16	22
29	2.90	2.83	5.03	93 7/8	3.74	90	3.81	99 1/2	3.78	93 1/8	3.69	91 15/32	3.35	90 15/16	3.22	100 1/32	3.25	79 1/4	5.28	74 1/4	5.14	29
Sept. 5	2.92	2.74	5.07	93 5/8	3.77	90 1/4	3.79	99 1/2	3.78	92 3/4	3.72	91 1/2	3.35	90 15/16	3.22	99 11/16	3.27	78 1/16	5.43	73 1/4	5.25	5 Sept.
12	3.05	2.77	5.10	93 3/8	3.81	90	3.81	99 1/4	3.80	92 1/8	3.76	91 11/16	3.33	91 3/32	3.21	99 1/2	3.28	77 21/32	5.48	72 13/32	5.33	12
19	3.09	2.91	5.17	93 1/8	3.84	90	3.81	99 1/4	3.80	92 1/8	3.76	92 1/4	3.27	91 23/32	3.16	99 3/4	3.26	77 15/32	5.51	72 3/32	5.37	19
26	3.16	2.99	5.09	92 7/8	3.87	89 1/2	3.88	98	3.89	91 1/2	3.81	92 5/16	3.27	91 13/16	3.15	100 1/8	3.24	77 17/32	5.51	72 5/32	5.37	26
Oct. 3	3.21	2.90	5.06	93 1/8	3.84	89 1/2	3.88	97 3/4	3.91	91 1/2	3.81	92 5/8	3.24	91 29/32	3.14	100 15/32	3.22	77 31/32	5.45	72 27/32	5.30	3 Oct.
10	3.26	3.01	5.11	93 1/8	3.84	89 1/2	3.88	98 1/4	3.87	91 1/2	3.81	92 13/32	3.24	91 25/32	3.15	100 7/16	3.22	78 3/32	5.44	73 3/32	5.27	10
17	3.34	3.02	5.01	92 7/8	3.88	89 1/2	3.88	98 1/4	3.87	91 1/2	3.81	92 3/4	3.22	91 7/8	3.14	100 1/4	3.23	78 15/32	5.37	73 9/32	5.26	17
24	3.37	2.91	4.99	92 3/8	3.94	88 3/4	3.96	98 1/2	3.85	91 1/4	3.83	91 29/32	3.31	91	3.22	99 1/4	3.29	79	5.32	73 1/16	5.27	24
31	3.34	2.89	5.00	92 1/4	3.96	89	3.94	98	3.89	91 1/8	3.84	91 11/16	3.34	90 23/32	3.24	99 3/16	3.30	78 3/4	5.37	72 3/8	5.35	31
Nov. 7	3.33	2.91	5.00	92 1/4	3.97	89 1/8	3.92	98 3/8	3.86	91 1/2	3.81	91 11/32	3.38	90 3/8	3.27	98 7/8	3.31	78 15/16	5.34	72 9/16	5.33	7 Nov.
14	3.32	2.98	5.00	91 5/8	4.05	89	3.94	97 1/2	3.92	91	3.85	91 11/16	3.34	90 23/32	3.25	99 1/8	3.30	78	5.46	72	5.39	14
21	3.44	3.04	5.01	91	4.13	88 3/4	3.97	97 1/4	3.94	91	3.85	91 7/16	3.37	90 5/16	3.28	99	3.31	77 15/16	5.47	71 9/16	5.44	21
28	3.52	3.17	5.02	91 1/8	4.11	88 3/4	3.97	97	3.96	90 3/4	3.86	90 31/32	3.42	89 19/32	3.34	98 1/4	3.35	77 3/4	5.49	71 1/4	5.47	28
Dec. 5	3.53	3.10	5.04	90 1/2	4.20	88 1/2	4.01	96 1/2	4.00	90 1/2	3.88	91 7/32	3.40	89 21/32	3.34	98 5/16	3.35	77 15/32	5.53	71 11/32	5.47	5 Dec.
12	3.59	3.27	4.96	91	4.13	88 1/2	4.01	96 1/2	4.00	90 1/2	3.88	91 9/32	3.39	89 17/32	3.35	98 7/16	3.34	77 29/32	5.49	71 25/32	5.42	12
19	3.64	3.33	4.91	90 7/8	4.16	88 3/4	3.98	96 3/4	3.98	90 1/2	3.88	90 3/8	3.49	88 11/32	3.45	97 5/8	3.39	77 29/32	5.49	71 25/32	5.41	19
26	3.67	3.22	4.86	90 7/8	4.16	88 3/4	3.98	96 3/4	3.98	90 1/4	3.90	90 15/32	3.48	88 9/16	3.44	97 1/2	3.39	78 13/32	5.43	72 13/32	5.36	26
1957—Jan. 2	3.65	3.26	4.79	90 7/8	4.16	88 1/4	4.05	95 1/2	4.07	88 1/4	4.04	89 19/32	3.58	87 3/4	3.51	96 11/32	3.46	79 11/32	5.31	73 15/32	5.25	2 Jan.—1957
9	3.71	3.20	4.77	90	4.27	87 3/4	4.11	95	4.11	87 3/4	4.08	89 7/8	3.55	88 3/8	3.46	96 9/16	3.45	79 25/32	5.25	74 11/16	5.13	9
16	3.72	3.22	4.66	90	4.27	87 3/4	4.11	95 1/4	4.09	87 1/2	4.10	91 7/16	3.38	90 1/4	3.29	97 13/16	3.38	80 3/4	5.14	75 5/8	5.03	16
23	3.72	3.09	4.55	89 5/8	4.33	87 1/4	4.16	94 3/4	4.13	86 3/4	4.16	92 3/8	3.28	91 5/8	3.17	99 3/8	3.30	82 3/16	4.96	76 5/16	4.90	23
30	3.70	3.28	4.54	89 1/2	4.35	86 3/4	4.23	95	4.11	87	4.14	92 9/16	3.26	91 9/16	3.18	99 1/4	3.29	83	4.86	77 5/8	4.84	30

1. Government bond prices are closing bids at the Wednesday date for Canadian and United States issues. Prices of the United Kingdom Apr. 15/59–69 issue are closing transactions at the Wednesday date and of the United Kingdom Aug. 15/65–75 issue are approximate mid-market transactions at the Wednesday date. All prices exclude accrued interest.
2. Market yields are based on the prices shown and are expressed as per cent per annum to maturity date if at a discount and to earliest call date if at a premium.
3. On Jan. 1st, 1957 the amounts outstanding for the four Canadian bond issues were $1,692 million, $350 million, $100 million, and $400 million respectively; for the three United States bond issues, $2,824 million, $3,785† million, and $1,606 million respectively; and for the two United Kingdom bond issues £296 million and £1,073 million respectively.
4. Treasury Bill tender rates are at the date nearest the Wednesday shown. In Canada tenders are received on Thursday, in the United States on Monday, and in the United Kingdom on Friday. † Revised.

NOTE: For data back to 1950 see pages 52–55 in the "Financial Supplement 1954" and pages 46–49 in the "Financial Supplement 1955".

PUBLIC FINANCE: MUNICIPALITIES[1]: OUTSTANDING DEBT[2]

Millions of Dollars

TYPE OF DEBT BY CLASS OF MUNICIPALITY

Calendar Year End[3]	1953	1954[4]	1955[5] (Est.)	1956[5] (Est.)
Bonded Debt				
Schools (Gross)				
Metropolitan	109.1	134.6	173.5	212.9
Other Urban	257.0	291.2	331.7	374.6
Rural	118.0	151.6	180.9	191.8
Total	484.1	577.4	686.1	779.3
Highways (Gross)				
Metropolitan	126.6	139.2	154.1	177.3
Other Urban	150.4	168.3	186.4	206.2
Rural	9.5	10.8	12.6	18.0
Total	286.5	318.2	353.1	401.5
Other (ex. Utilities) (Gross)				
Metropolitan	282.1	318.2	326.5	345.0
Other Urban	248.5	287.0	306.9	337.6
Rural	47.4	57.8	65.0	73.6
Total	578.0	663.0	698.4	756.2
Less: Sinking Funds				
Metropolitan	33.0	33.9	37.0	41.5
Other Urban	44.1	43.2	40.3	41.3
Rural	3.0	2.8	2.7	2.7
Total	80.1	79.9	80.0	85.5
Public Utilities (Net)				
Metropolitan	178.4	207.5	239.5	250.8
Other Urban	213.0	257.8	286.5	311.8
Rural	20.7	25.6	29.0	32.2
Total	412.1	490.9	555.0	594.8
Direct Bonded Debt (Net)	**1,680.7**	**1,969.7**	**2,212.6**	**2,446.3**
Guaranteed (Net)				
Metropolitan	71.9	99.1	96.2	107.6
Other Urban	12.0	13.7	14.2	13.9
Rural	1.6	1.3	2.2	2.2
Total	85.5	114.1	112.6	123.7
Direct & Guaranteed Bonded Debt (Net)	**1,766.2**	**2,083.8**	**2,325.2**	**2,570.0**
Bank Loans				
Metropolitan	21.1	25.3	25.4	27.9
Other Urban	50.2	57.9	62.5	72.0
Rural	30.5	33.7	41.1	49.6
Total	**101.8**	**116.9**	**129.0**	**149.5**
Total Outstanding Debt (Net)				
Metropolitan	756.3	890.0	978.1	1,080.0
Other Urban	887.0	1,032.7	1,147.9	1,274.8
Rural	224.7	278.0	328.2	364.7
Total	**1,868.0**	**2,200.7**	**2,454.2**	**2,719.5**

TOTAL BY CLASS OF MUNICIPALITY & PROVINCE

Calendar Year End[3]	1953	1954[4]	1955[5] (Est.)	1956[5] (Est.)
Total Outstanding Debt (Net)				
Metropolitan				
Quebec	295.2	357.2	392.9	436.1
Ontario	276.0	316.0	358.2	403.6
Manitoba	50.0	60.0	65.8	77.8
British Columbia	135.1	156.8	161.2	162.5
Total	756.3	890.0	978.1	1,080.0
Other Urban				
Newfoundland	6.4	10.0	10.9	11.7
Prince Edward Island	4.1	5.1	5.9	6.1
Nova Scotia	48.4	50.1	51.0	50.0
New Brunswick	36.0	39.2	41.0	42.2
Quebec	274.0	315.2	350.8	384.1
Ontario	303.6	344.8	375.7	421.4
Manitoba	7.0	9.0	11.2	13.0
Saskatchewan	32.6	44.3	53.4	63.1
Alberta	141.0	176.1	204.5	238.1
British Columbia	33.9	38.9	43.5	45.2
Total	887.0	1,032.7	1,147.9	1,274.8
Rural				
Prince Edward Island	0.2	0.2	0.2	0.2
Nova Scotia	4.3	5.1	5.4	7.3
New Brunswick	17.4	19.3	22.1	24.7
Quebec	37.0	44.4	55.7	63.6
Ontario	100.4	122.1	144.5	160.1
Manitoba	6.6	7.7	8.8	9.1
Saskatchewan	9.7	12.9	15.0	15.9
Alberta	17.9	24.0	26.3	31.6
British Columbia	31.2	42.3	50.3	52.1
Total	224.7	278.0	328.2	364.7
All Municipalities				
Newfoundland	6.4	10.0	10.9	11.7
Prince Edward Island	4.2	5.3	6.1	6.3
Nova Scotia	52.7	55.2	56.4	57.3
New Brunswick	53.4	58.5	63.1	66.9
Quebec	606.2	716.9	799.4	883.8
Ontario	680.1	782.8	878.4	985.1
Manitoba	63.6	76.7	85.8	99.9
Saskatchewan	42.3	57.2	68.4	79.0
Alberta	158.9	200.1	230.8	269.7
British Columbia	200.2	238.0	255.0	259.8
Total	**1,868.0**	**2,200.7**	**2,454.2**	**2,719.5**

1. Includes school corporations. Figures for metropolitan areas relate to Montreal, Toronto, Windsor, Winnipeg and Vancouver metropolitan areas only.
2. Excludes treasury bills owing to provinces of 1.0 in 1953, 0.9 in 1954, 1955 and 1956 and accounts payable of about 101, 103, 106 and 109 in the years 1953 to 1956 respectively, against which are such assets as cash, investments, taxes, accounts and other items receivable of greater amounts. Includes provincially guaranteed school and municipal bonds and capital loans to municipalities and school corporations from provincial funds provided for that purpose.
3. Or for Montreal, Quebec and some other municipalities, the fiscal year end nearest the calendar year and June 30th for Quebec school corporations.
4. Figures included for Quebec are estimated, as complete final figures have not yet been published.
5. Estimates based on published material and sample municipal returns received by the Dominion Bureau of Statistics.

SOURCES: Reports of Prov. Depts. of Municipal Affairs and Education, records of the Dominion Bureau of Statistics and Citizens Research Institute.

NOTE: For the years 1926, 1930, 1933 and 1937 to 1952 see pages 80–83 in the "Financial Supplement 1954".

PUBLIC FINANCE: MUNICIPALITIES[1]: CURRENT REVENUE AND EXPENDITURE

Millions of Dollars

CURRENT REVENUE[2]

Calendar Years[3]	1953	1954[4]	1955[5] (Est.)	1956[5] (Est.)
Real Property Tax[6]				
Metropolitan	201.7	220.6	244.5	271.9
Other Urban	225.7	246.4	266.8	287.8
Rural	153.8	160.1	171.7	183.0
Total	581.2	627.1	683.0	742.8
Sales Tax				
Metropolitan	24.7	26.9	29.5	32.2
Other Urban	8.8	9.9	13.1	16.1
Rural	0.3	0.5	0.7	0.9
Total	33.9	37.3	43.3	49.2
Other Taxes				
Metropolitan	29.5	31.3	36.1	38.1
Other Urban	37.6	40.2	43.8	46.4
Rural	8.8	9.1	10.2	10.9
Total	75.9	80.6	90.1	95.4
Total Taxation				
Metropolitan	256.0	278.8	310.1	342.3
Other Urban	272.1	296.5	323.6	350.3
Rural	162.9	169.7	182.7	194.8
Total	**691.0**	**745.0**	**816.4**	**887.4**
Public Utility Contributions[7]				
Metropolitan	21.1	22.4	23.8	22.5
Other Urban	14.5	15.0	15.8	16.4
Rural	0.4	0.5	0.6	0.6
Total	36.0	37.9	40.3	39.5
Government Subsidies for General Purposes[8]				
Metropolitan	6.4	10.9	8.9	9.7
Other Urban	13.1	18.3	20.8	23.9
Rural	8.8	11.3	12.4	13.9
Total	28.3	40.5	42.1	47.5
Other Revenue				
Metropolitan	30.2	35.1	37.6	38.4
Other Urban	33.9	36.4	39.8	41.5
Rural	13.1	13.1	14.8	15.1
Total	77.2	84.6	92.2	95.0
Total Revenue				
Metropolitan	313.7	347.3	380.5	412.9
Other Urban	333.6	366.2	400.1	432.1
Rural	185.2	194.5	210.4	224.4
Total	**832.5**	**908.0**	**991.0**	**1,069.4**

CURRENT EXPENDITURE[2]

Calendar Years[3]	1953	1954[4]	1955[5] (Est.)	1956[5] (Est.)
Schools[9]				
Metropolitan	89.7	96.6	101.5	114.3
Other Urban	91.5	99.9	104.1	115.7
Rural	77.9	83.5	86.5	93.4
Total	259.1	280.0	292.1	323.5
Public Welfare[9]				
Metropolitan	46.1	54.3	57.9	61.8
Other Urban	42.4	47.7	50.6	53.9
Rural	17.4	18.2	19.5	20.2
Total	105.9	120.1	128.1	135.9
Highways, Roads, Streets[9]				
Metropolitan	23.1	28.6	32.0	32.4
Other Urban	35.7	39.7	44.8	48.9
Rural	46.7	49.0	53.0	56.1
Total	105.5	117.3	129.8	137.4
Protection, General Administration and Sundry[9]				
Metropolitan	102.1	117.7	125.3	139.7
Other Urban	96.3	107.0	114.6	122.3
Rural	27.2	29.6	31.5	33.1
Total	225.7	254.4	271.4	295.1
Debt Charges (ex. Debt Repayment)				
Metropolitan	16.0	19.7	22.3	25.6
Other Urban	23.2	27.0	30.3	32.8
Rural	7.3	8.6	9.5	10.1
Total	46.5	55.3	62.0	68.4
Total Current Expenditure (ex. Provision for Debt Repayment)				
Metropolitan	277.0	316.9	338.9	373.8
Other Urban	289.1	321.3	344.4	373.6
Rural	176.5	188.9	200.0	212.9
Total	**742.6**	**827.1**	**883.4**	**960.3**
Provision for Debt Repayment				
Metropolitan	30.9	32.3	33.1	39.3
Other Urban	34.4	40.8	46.9	51.0
Rural	11.9	13.8	15.3	16.5
Total	77.2	86.9	95.3	106.8
Total Current Expenditure				
Metropolitan	307.9	349.2	372.1	413.1
Other Urban	323.5	362.1	391.3	424.6
Rural	188.4	202.7	215.3	229.4
Total	**819.8**	**914.0**	**978.7**	**1,067.1**

1. Includes school corporations. Figures for metropolitan areas relate to Montreal, Toronto, Windsor, Winnipeg and Vancouver metropolitan areas only.
2. Provincial grants, other than general subsidies, have been excluded from "Revenue" and corresponding amounts deducted from "Expenditure". The classification of "Revenue" (other than taxation) and "Expenditure" involves a considerable amount of estimation so that classified totals are at best approximate.
3. See footnote 3 page 19.
4. Figures included for Quebec are estimated, as complete final figures have not yet been published.
5. Estimates based on published material and sample municipal returns received by the Dominion Bureau of Statistics.
6. Tax collection figures have been used so far as this information is available.
7. Includes contributions from federal and provincial enterprises which are not taxed or taxable in the ordinary course of events.
8. Includes amounts received under Federal-Provincial tax agreements and provincial and federal grants in lieu of taxes.
9. Excludes debt charges.

NOTE: For the years 1926, 1930, 1933 and 1937 to 1952 see pages 84–87 in the "Financial Supplement 1954".

FOREIGN EXCHANGE RATES[1]

Bank of Canada

Canadian cents per unit

Business Days	U.S. Dollar					£ Sterling				
	Spot Rates			Average Noon Rates [2]		Spot Rates			Average Noon Rates [2]	
	High	Low	Close	Spot	90-Day Forward Rate [2]	High	Low	Close	Spot	90-Day Forward Rate [2]
1951	107 5/16	101 3/16	101 3/16	105.28	104.92	300 1/2	281 3/8	281 3/8	294.68	294.71
1952	101 1/2	95 7/8	97 3/32	97.89	98.09	281 1/4	266 3/4	272 9/16	273.40	272.26
1953	99 25/32	96 3/4	97 3/8	98.34	98.66	280 15/16	272 3/8	273 5/8	276.66	277.02
1954	98 3/4	96 11/32	96 19/32	97.32	97.65	278 5/16	269	269	273.39	274.19
1955	100 1/16	96 15/32	99 29/32	98.63	98.62	280 7/16	268 3/4	280 9/32	275.35	274.23
1956	99 31/32	95 23/32	95 31/32	98.41	98.64	280 11/16	266 3/16	267 7/16	275.16	274.13
1955—Nov.	100 1/16	99 23/32	100	99.94	99.96	280 3/8	278 15/16	280 3/16	280.04	278.79
Dec.	100 1/32	99 7/8	99 29/32	99.95	99.99	280 7/16	279 7/8	280 3/32	280.15	279.07
1956—Jan.	99 15/16	99 13/16	99 29/32	99.87	99.91	280 17/32	280 1/8	280 13/32	280.35	279.38
Feb.	99 29/32	99 27/32	99 29/32	99.91	99.94	280 13/16	280 3/16	280 11/16	280.43	279.00
Mar.	99 15/16	99 13/16	99 7/8	99.87	99.91	280 5/8	279 11/16	280 1/32	280.17	278.39
Apr.	99 7/8	99 1/32	99 15/32	99.68	99.75	280 3/8	278 1/2	279 7/32	279.93	278.31
May	99 15/32	98 7/8	98 15/16	99.18	99.30	279 15/32	277 3/16	277 13/32	278.49	277.27
June	99 1/16	98	98 9/32	98.53	98.75	277 5/8	274	274 15/32	276.16	275.25
July	98 13/32	97 27/32	98 5/32	98.18	98.45	275 3/32	273 3/16	273 1/4	274.30	273.51
Aug.	98 7/16	97 27/32	98 3/32	98.12	98.38	273 15/16	272 1/2	272 29/32	273.11	272.39
Sept.	98 1/16	97 7/16	97 15/32	97.77	98.10	272 7/8	271 3/16	271 1/4	272.14	271.43
Oct.	97 5/8	96 21/32	97 1/4	97.32	97.69	271 7/8	268 31/32	270 5/8	271.06	270.54
Nov.	97 3/16	95 23/32	96 1/8	96.44	96.81	270 7/16	266 3/16	267 9/16	268.36	267.56
Dec.	96 15/32	95 25/32	95 31/32	96.05	96.66	268 5/8	266 13/16	267 7/16	267.54	266.62
1957—Jan.	96 11/32	95 27/32	95 7/8	96.07	96.57	269 1/4	267 11/16	268 1/4	268.63	268.65

1. Rates are as reported on transactions between banks in the exchange market. Noon rates prior to May 6, 1954 are not available and closing rates have been used.

2. The 90-day forward rates are the averages of approximate rates at noon.

NOTE: For data back to 1939 see page 59 in the "Financial Supplement 1954" and page 51 in the "Financial Supplement 1955".

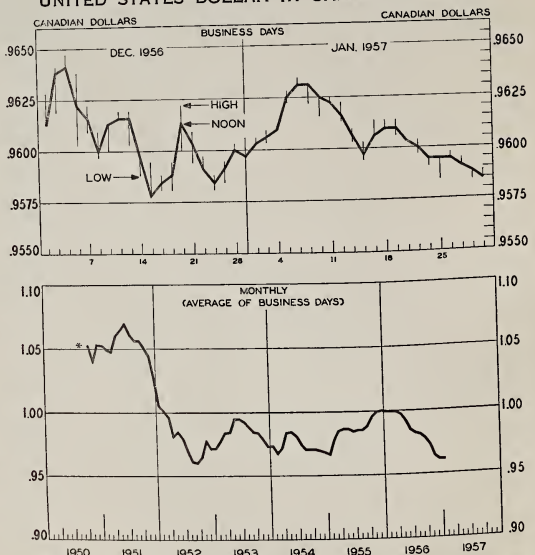
OFFICIAL HOLDINGS OF GOLD AND U.S. DOLLARS[1]

$ mm. U.S. *Dept. of Finance*

End of Period	Gold	U.S. Dollars	Total
1951	841.7	936.9	1,778.6
1952	885.0	975.2	1,860.2
1953	986.1	832.4	1,818.5
1954	1,072.7	869.9	1,942.6
1955	1,133.9	766.9	1,900.8
1956	1,103.3	832.9	1,936.2
1955—July	1,116.2	822.1	1,938.3
Aug.	1,127.3	807.4	1,934.7
Sept.	1,131.8	804.9	1,936.7
Oct.	1,140.8	755.4	1,896.2
Nov.	1,143.4	746.5	1,889.9
Dec.	1,133.9	766.9	1,900.8
1956—Jan.	1,129.5	749.4	1,878.9
Feb.	1,122.2	755.5	1,877.7
Mar.	1,120.1	751.3	1,871.4
Apr.	1,106.1	759.0	1,865.1
May	1,100.4	785.0	1,885.4
June	1,100.6	798.9	1,899.5
July	1,104.8	788.5	1,893.3
Aug.	1,105.9	777.8	1,883.7
Sept.	1,105.5	798.0	1,903.5
Oct.	1,109.8	803.2	1,913.0
Nov.	1,114.2	818.4	1,932.6
Dec.	1,103.3	832.9	1,936.2
1957—Jan.	1,105.9	824.7	1,930.6

1. Gold, U.S. dollars and short-term securities of the U.S. Gov't. held by the Exchange Fund Account, other Gov't. accounts, and the net holdings of the Bank of Canada.

UNITED STATES DOLLAR IN CANADIAN FUNDS



* Official rates were withdrawn on September 30 and the exchange market re-opened on October 2.

NOTE: For data back to 1945 see pages 60–61 in the "Financial Supplement 1954".

CANADIAN INVESTMENT TRANSACTIONS OF TWELVE LIFE INSURANCE COMPANIES[1]

Millions of Dollars

		Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	Apr.	May	June	July	Aug.	Sept.	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.	Annual Total*
Net Investment in:—														
Govt. of Canada Bonds [2]	1953	−12.2	−0.9	−5.2	−2.6	−3.8	−10.5	−7.1	0.1	6.8	0.6	1.4	−11.0	−44.4
	1954	−6.2	8.0	−14.6	−10.6	−30.0	−1.1	−11.4	−0.6	−10.4	7.6	−12.3	−15.2	−96.7
	1955	7.4	−2.6	−11.4	15.8	−10.4	−15.1	−8.4	1.3	3.8	5.0	−2.7	−22.2	−39.4
	1956	−10.7	−11.4	−17.9	−26.7	−9.1	−24.7	−21.5	−7.6	5.3	−6.3	−6.3	−11.1	−147.8
Provincial Bonds [2]	1953	1.1	−1.2	3.8	−0.1	−5.1	−1.1	7.2	−0.4	−0.1	−1.0	−0.8	−1.2	1.2
	1954	2.7	3.7	4.1	1.1	18.3	−2.5	2.9	−6.4	−3.8	1.2	−4.0	−2.2	15.1
	1955	−4.6	−2.0	16.2	−1.1	−0.6	−1.0	2.4	−7.9	−1.2	−0.9	−1.6	−0.3	−2.7
	1956	13.6	0.1	−8.5	0.4	12.0	−5.4	5.9	−3.6	−1.6	3.9	−1.2	2.1	17.7
Municipal Bonds [2]	1953	1.3	1.3	1.2	0.2	0.1	1.1	1.3	2.0	0.6	0.6	0.6	0.6	10.7
	1954	0.3	0.9	3.0	2.9	1.1	0.9	3.1	1.2	1.3	1.1	0.6	0.4	16.8
	1955	2.6	2.1	0.9	−1.4	1.0	2.4	−0.7	3.2	0.7	1.4	2.1	8.1	22.6
	1956	1.7	3.7	0.7	2.8	1.9	9.7	3.1	0.7	−0.3	1.4	1.3	1.5	28.2
Corporate & Other Bonds	1953	32.7	12.6	23.7	6.5	10.7	13.4	7.4	2.6	−0.2	−0.3	−3.9	15.2	120.5
	1954	9.4	5.8	18.7	17.3	3.6	7.9	6.1	0.2	10.8	−4.7	15.9	1.6	92.5
	1955	1.3	−2.3	8.0	−6.3	23.0	8.6	−1.1	−4.2	−8.8	−2.2	7.6	11.0	34.7
	1956	31.2	17.2	30.9	21.2	2.3	6.9	−1.7	8.1	−5.9	3.4	2.6	12.4	128.4
Pref. & Com. Stocks	1953	−1.0	−0.3	−0.3	2.6	−0.3	–	−0.7	–	0.2	1.2	0.2	0.3	2.0
	1954	−0.5	−0.5	−0.5	−0.4	−0.3	−0.1	−0.6	−0.7	−1.1	0.4	0.2	0.9	−3.2
	1955	0.3	0.3	0.4	0.5	−0.2	−1.5	−1.5	−0.6	−0.5	−0.5	0.2	4.3	1.1
	1956	0.1	0.5	–	0.1	0.2	1.3	0.7	−1.0	–	−0.3	−0.2	0.2	1.3
Mortgage Loans (Gross) [3]	1953	18.9	17.9	18.4	18.1	21.0	27.4	25.7	21.6	24.9	25.7	26.2	27.1	273.0
	1954	22.2	19.0	22.0	21.3	24.8	29.4	32.6	34.4	38.7	33.0	42.2	37.5	357.1
	1955	33.8	26.8	28.0	23.8	33.7	38.3	45.5	44.0	46.8	41.0	40.4	39.3	441.3
	1956	35.9	27.6	27.5	27.4	34.5	46.6	45.7	50.7	45.1	52.5	45.0	40.2	478.6
Real Estate [4]	1953	1.0	0.6	1.1	1.0	1.4	1.2	1.6	1.9	0.5	1.0	0.6	2.5	14.3
	1954	1.0	1.2	0.8	1.8	2.0	3.4	3.0	1.7	2.6	2.5	2.5	4.7	27.1
	1955	0.7	4.6	5.0	1.2	1.9	1.9	2.6	3.7	0.9	0.1	2.0	0.4	24.8
	1956	2.5	0.4	1.9	0.5	6.5	0.9	1.1	1.2	1.5	1.5	1.0	5.1	24.0
Policy Loans	1953	0.8	0.3	1.1	1.3	1.0	0.8	0.8	0.9	1.1	0.8	0.7	0.5	10.2
	1954	1.0	0.8	1.2	1.3	1.2	1.3	1.0	0.9	1.1	1.0	0.7	0.6	12.1
	1955	0.8	0.6	1.0	0.9	0.8	0.9	0.7	0.5	0.7	0.6	0.3	0.3	8.1
	1956	0.8	0.9	1.0	1.2	2.0	2.2	1.5	1.6	1.7	1.8	1.3	0.5	16.5
Total [5]	1953	42.6	30.3	43.8	27.0	25.0	32.3	36.2	28.7	33.8	28.6	25.0	34.0	387.5
	1954	29.9	38.9	34.7	34.7	20.7	39.2	36.7	30.7	39.2	42.1	45.8	28.3	420.8
	1955	42.3	27.5	48.1	33.4	49.2	34.5	39.5	40.0	42.4	44.5	48.3	40.9	490.5
	1956	75.1	39.0	35.6	26.9	50.3	37.5	34.8	50.1	45.8	57.9	43.5	50.9	546.9
Net Source of Funds:—														
Mortgage Repayments (Gross) [3]	1953	10.3	9.8	10.0	9.6	10.0	10.4	10.4	9.7	9.8	11.0	11.6	9.9	122.5
	1954	11.3	10.3	11.8	10.4	11.7	10.8	12.1	11.5	12.1	12.1	12.7	10.1	136.7
	1955	14.2	11.0	13.1	11.7	14.1	13.6	13.0	13.5	13.2	14.3	14.4	12.4	158.5
	1956	15.6	12.5	13.2	14.4	17.2	15.3	17.2	15.0	14.1	22.6	14.9	13.5	185.6
Funds Transferred From Abroad	1953	−4.5	−2.2	4.8	3.0	1.7	1.7	5.5	−1.5	1.9	0.9	0.1	–	11.3
	1954	−2.5	–	2.6	−0.7	2.1	2.4	3.2	2.3	2.6	3.9	2.6	4.4	22.8
	1955	1.6	0.1	3.4	−0.1	4.0	1.6	4.8	1.4	0.4	6.6	−1.1	12.7	35.5
	1956	17.0	7.2	3.3	−8.5	5.8	2.0	3.0	9.2	8.1	19.4	7.3	8.9	82.5
Funds From Canadian Insurance Operations★	1953	36.8	22.7	29.0	14.4	13.3	20.2	20.3	20.5	22.1	16.7	13.3	24.1	253.7
	1954	21.1	28.6	20.3	25.0	6.9	26.0	21.4	16.9	24.5	26.1	30.5	13.8	261.3
	1955	26.5	16.4	31.6	21.8	31.1	19.3	21.7	25.1	28.8	23.6	35.0	15.8	296.5
	1956	42.5	19.3	19.1	21.0	27.3	20.2	14.6	25.9	23.6	15.9	21.3	28.5	278.8

1. Data are based on cash transactions affecting ledger assets and taking place in Canadian dollars, by 12 companies whose net premium income in Canada in Canada in 1955 was 78.2% of the total for all companies registered under the federal Insurance Acts. Total Canadian assets of these 12 companies at December 31, 1949 to 1955 are shown on page 74 of March 1956 Statistical Summary. 2. Includes guaranteed bonds. 3. Includes sale agreements. 4. Includes real estate for the production of income. 5. Includes gross mortgage loans. * Figures rounded to the nearest $100,000. Due to rounding, totals may not equal the sum of the monthly components. ★ Balancing item in the table, representing mainly Canadian dollars available from insurance operations *plus* any reduction or *minus* any increase in Canadian dollar cash balances.

NOTE: For 1952 data see page 56 in the "Financial Supplement 1955".

CANADIAN GOLD STATISTICS

Thousands of Fine Ounces — *Bank of Canada*

	New Gold Production Available for Export 1 ‡	Physical Movement		Net Change in Gold Held in Safekeeping		Net Sales to Foreigners	Net Change in Official Holdings 4
		Exports 2	Imports 3	Foreign-owned Gold in Canada	Canadian-owned Gold Abroad		
Calendar Yrs.	1	2	3	4	5	6 (2−3+4−5)	7 (1−6)
1951	4,080	347	12,104	+8,472	+143	−3,427	+7,507
1952	4,310	19,246	24	−18,723	−2,565	3,064	+1,246
1953	4,167	1,181	163	+105	−143	1,266	+2,901
1954	4,556	751	138	+1,317	−143	2,072	+2,484
1955	4,506	2,451	-	+890	+578	2,763	+1,743
1956*	**	3,100	**	**	−578	**	−576
Quarters							
1954—I	1,022	66	13	+119	-	173	+849
II	1,256	313	37	+318	−143	737	+519
III	1,146	171	-	+428	-	599	+547
IV	1,133	200	88	+451	-	563	+570
1955—I	1,131	190	-	+402	-	592	+538
II	1,140	175	-	+571	-	746	+394
III	1,085	247	-	+86	-	333	+752
IV	1,150	1,838	-	−169	+578	1,091	+59
1956—I	1,078	1,017	9	+427	−40	1,474	−396
II	1,155	1,445	8	+4	+93	1,348	−258
III	1,107	210	3	+428	−285	921	+139
IV*	**	428	**	**	−347	**	−62

1. Newly mined gold sold by the Mint (excl. sales for industrial purposes) plus exports of raw gold or concentrates direct from the mines for refining abroad plus commercial sales of gold abroad by mines beginning November 1, 1951. Beginning November 1, 1951, the series excludes increases in commercial gold stocks held in safekeeping by the Mint for the account of the mines.
2. Excluding the gold content of exports of jewellers' sweepings and precious metals scrap which are shown in the export returns.
3. Excluding small amounts of unmanufactured gold, scrap and manufactured forms which are shown under various headings in the import returns.
4. Holdings of the Exchange Fund and the Bank of Canada.

‡ Since March 21, 1956, mines not receiving aid under the Emergency Gold Mining Assistance Act have been allowed to sell their gold to private residents and non-residents, either for export or for safekeeping in Canada. Such sales, commencing in the second quarter of 1956 are included in the figures for "New Gold Production Available for Export."

** Not available.

* Preliminary.

NOTE: For data back to 1948 see page 66 in the Financial Supplement 1954" and page 58 in the "Financial Supplement 1955".

PRICE INDEXES

"Prices and Price Indexes", Dominion Bureau of Statistics

	Wholesale Prices						Consumer Prices 2					
	General			Construction	Farm 1		Total Index (1st of Month)	Food	Shelter	Clothing	Household Operation	Other Commodities & Services
	Total Index (Mid-Month)	Raw and Partly Manufactured	Fully & Chiefly Manufactured	Non-Residential Building Materials	Grains	Livestock	100	32	15	11	17	25
	1935–39 = 100			1949 = 100	1935–39 = 100		1949 = 100					
Average of Mths.												
1951	240.2	237.9	242.4	118.6	217.3	407.8	113.7	117.0	114.4	109.8	113.1	111.5
1952	226.0	218.7	230.7	123.2	206.2	316.4	116.5	116.8	120.2	111.8	116.2	116.0
1953	220.7	207.0	228.8	124.4	201.0	288.1	115.5	112.6	123.6	110.1	117.0	115.8
1954	217.0	204.8	224.2	121.8	187.2	283.3	116.2	112.2	126.5	109.4	117.4	117.4
1955	218.9	209.7	224.5	123.4	188.0	263.2	116.4	112.1	129.5	108.0	116.4	118.1
1956	225.6	215.9	231.3	128.1	188.3	265.6	118.1	113.4	132.5	108.6	117.1	120.9
Monthly												
1955—Sept.	220.9	212.2	226.4	125.8	186.3	269.4	116.8	113.7	130.0	107.8	115.9	117.9
Oct.	220.0	210.8	225.8	125.9	183.2	254.5	116.9	113.5	130.2	107.8	116.1	118.1
Nov.	220.7	211.3	226.6	125.9	183.7	251.8	116.9	113.0	130.6	107.9	116.5	118.3
Dec.	221.5	212.6	226.7	126.0	183.8	252.0	116.9	112.4	131.0	108.5	116.6	118.3
1956—Jan.	222.0	212.9	227.3	126.7	184.9	248.6	116.8	111.5	131.3	108.6	116.5	119.0
Feb.	222.2	213.4	227.4	126.9	186.6	245.1	116.4	109.9	131.5	108.6	116.7	119.3
Mar.	223.3	214.7	228.3	127.2	190.4	240.4	116.4	109.1	131.6	108.7	116.8	119.9
Apr.	224.5	216.2	229.4	127.2	191.2	241.5	116.6	109.7	131.9	108.7	116.6	120.1
May	225.3	217.3	230.3	127.4	191.7	252.3	116.6	109.3	132.1	108.8	116.5	120.5
June	226.5	219.2	231.3	127.5	190.6	272.8	117.8	112.5	132.6	108.6	116.7	120.6
July	226.6	219.0	231.6	127.1	188.4	278.4	118.5	114.4	132.7	108.6	116.7	121.1
Aug.	227.0	217.0	233.3	129.3	188.9	280.8	119.1	115.9	133.0	108.4	116.8	121.3
Sept.	227.4	216.2	234.3	129.3	188.8	284.2	119.0	115.5	133.1	108.4	117.1	121.4
Oct.	227.1	214.4	232.2	129.5	187.6	277.3	119.8	117.4	133.3	108.5	117.7	121.6
Nov.	226.6	213.5	234.6	129.3	185.9	281.0	120.3	117.9	133.4	108.4	118.1	122.8
Dec.	228.1	216.4	235.3	129.6	184.9	284.3	120.4	117.5	133.5	108.6	118.6	122.9
1957—Jan.							120.3	117.1	133.6	107.6	119.0	123.1

1. Two sub-groups of the General Wholesale Price Index.
2. Components were selected and weighted on the basis of 1948 urban family incomes ranging from $1,650 to $4,050 with incomes between $2,000 and $3,000 most common.

NOTE: For the years 1952–1955 see page 86 in the "Financial Supplement 1955".

LABOUR FORCE STATUS OF THE POPULATION 1

Thousands of Persons — *"The Labour Force", Dominion Bureau of Statistics; Department of National Defence*

Survey Week Ending	Persons With Jobs				Without Jobs and Seeking Work 3		Total Civilian Labour Force	Civilian Non-Institutional Population (14 years of age and over)	Armed Forces	Civilian Labour Force Participation Ratio 4		
	Agriculture	Non-Agricultural Industries	Total	Of Which On Temporary Lay-off and Short-time 2	Thousands	Percentage of Labour Force				Total	Male	Female
1955—Mar. 19	759	4,240	4,999	74	401	7.4	5,400	10,468	118	51.6	80.5	22.9
Apr. 23	807	4,316	5,123	55	327	6.0	5,450	10,490	118	52.0	80.9	23.3
May 21	873	4,451	5,324	52	213	3.8	5,537	10,506	118	52.7	82.0	23.6
June 18	881	4,577	5,458	43	157	2.8	5,615	10,522	117	53.4	82.8	24.2
July 23	989	4,599	5,588	35	150	2.6	5,738	10,543	117	54.4	84.8	24.2
Aug. 20	960	4,681	5,641	46	131	2.3	5,772	10,557	116	54.7	85.1	24.4
Sept. 17	844	4,651	5,495	44	138	2.4	5,633	10,574	117	53.3	82.4	24.3
Oct. 22	774	4,703	5,477	40	142	2.5	5,619	10,590	117	53.1	82.3	24.1
Nov. 19	728	4,691	5,419	54	162	2.9	5,581	10,602	117	52.6	81.2	24.3
Dec. 10	713	4,675	5,388	67	200	3.6	5,588	10,610	117	52.7	81.0	24.6
1956—Jan. 21	688	4,543	5,231	74	286	5.2	5,517	10,626	116	51.9	80.2	23.9
Feb. 18	678	4,538	5,216	73	308	5.6	5,524	10,635	117	51.9	80.3	23.9
Mar. 24	679	4,562	5,241	66	295	5.3	5,536	10,646	117	52.0	80.1	24.1
Apr. 21	764	4,562	5,326	51	257	4.6	5,583	10,663	117	52.4	80.7	24.3
May 19	817	4,682	5,499	37	165	2.9	5,664	10,680	116	53.0	81.9	24.4
June 23	804	4,843	5,647	35	117	2.0	5,764	10,699	116	53.9	83.1	24.9
July 21	897	4,892	5,789	33	102	1.7	5,891	10,714	116	55.0	85.3	25.0
Aug. 18	946	4,877	5,823	36	103	1.7	5,926	10,733	116	55.2	85.5	25.2
Sept. 22	841	4,835	5,676	45	97	1.7	5,773	10,752	117	53.7	82.7	25.0
Oct. 20	794	4,880	5,674	39	98	1.7	5,772	10,771	117	53.6	82.3	25.2
Nov. 17	693	4,937	5,630	47	135	2.3	5,765	10,791	117	53.4	81.7	25.5
Dec. 15	680	4,875	5,555	59	186	3.2	5,741	10,815	117	53.1	81.0	25.5

1. The estimates are based on a sample of about 30,000 households and are therefore subject to sampling error which is relatively larger the smaller the estimate. Data not seasonally adjusted.
2. Includes those laid off for part of the week or on lay-off during the entire week, with definite instructions to return to their jobs within 30 days of the date on which lay-off began, provided they did not look for work during the survey week.
3. Includes persons who, though having jobs, did not work during the entire week and looked for work or would have looked for work only they were temporarily ill, on indefinite or prolonged lay-off or believed no work was available.
4. Civilian labour force as a percentage of civilian non-institutional population 14 years of age and over.

NOTE: For the years 1946–1955 see pages 84–85 in the "Financial Supplement 1955".

EMPLOYMENT AND LABOUR INCOME

"Employment and Payrolls", "Man-Hours and Hourly Earnings" and "Estimates of Labour Income", Dominion Bureau of Statistics

	Employment Indexes 1, 2		Average Hours Worked 1, 3		Average Hourly Earnings 1, 3, 4		Monthly Labour Income 4			
	Manufacturing	Mining	Manufacturing	Mining	Manufacturing	Mining	Total 5	Manufacturing	Construction	All Other 6
	Index 1949 = 100		Hours per week		Cents		Millions of Dollars			
Monthly Average										
1951	108.0	110.6	41.8	43.1	116.8	133.4	810	272	52	486
1952	109.3	116.8	41.5	42.7	129.2	147.1	906	303	63	540
1953	113.3	111.7	41.3	42.7	135.8	153.8	976	329	70	577
1954	107.7	109.8	40.6	42.6	140.8	157.3	1,000	323	69	608
1955	109.3	113.4	41.0	43.2	144.5	161.1	1,068	342	78	648
1956			41.1	42.9	151.5	171.4				
1955—July	111.6	115.5	40.9	43.4	145.0	159.9	1,085	343	86	656
Aug.	111.4	116.5	40.8	43.5	145.1	160.5	1,107	351	93	663
Sept.	114.0	117.4	41.2	43.2	143.8	160.5	1,123	354	94	675
Oct.	113.4	116.5	41.5	43.6	144.8	161.9	1,131	354	100	677
Nov.	112.8	116.6	41.7	44.5	145.4	163.4	1,128	354	89	685
Dec.	112.3	116.5	41.6	44.2	146.1	165.2	1,117	357	78	682
1956—Jan.	109.8	114.4	39.0	42.0	147.5	165.1	1,077	349	71	657
Feb.	110.2	114.4	41.2	43.8	147.3	166.2	1,090	358	69	663
Mar.	112.3	115.9	41.3	44.0	148.5	166.8	1,094	365	70	659
Apr.	113.4	117.3	41.1	42.6	150.5	168.5	1,126	371	79	676
May	114.1	116.9	41.4	42.7	151.1	169.0	1,169	377	92	700
June	115.4	123.0	40.9	42.8	151.9	170.5	1,215	381	105	729
July	118.0	126.1	41.2	42.4	152.7	172.0	1,223	382	105	736
Aug.	117.9	128.2	40.8	42.6	152.4	172.7	1,236	382	108	746
Sept.	118.0	128.6	41.1	42.7	152.1	173.8	1,268	392	110	766
Oct.	118.6	126.5	41.5	43.6	153.3	176.2†	1,273	394	114	765
Nov.	118.5	127.0	41.6	42.5	154.7	177.3	1,265	397	101	767
Dec.			41.6	43.3	155.5	179.0				

1. As reported by employers usually having 15 or more employees. Dated first of month and covering the last pay period in the previous month.
2. Coverage, including salaried and part time workers at Nov. 1, 1956, was Manufacturing, 1,236,326; Mining, 113,008.
3. Include hourly rated wage earners only.
4. Gross earnings before deductions for taxes, unemployment insurance, etc.
5. Wages and salaries and includes bonuses and commissions, food, clothing, shelter and contributions to insurance, pensions, etc. provided by employer.
6. Includes all supplementary labour income.

* Preliminary. † Revised.

NOTE: For the years 1952–1955 see page 83 in the "Financial Supplement 1955".

SELECTED HOUSING STATISTICS

Central Mortgage and Housing Corporation and Dominion Bureau of Statistics

	Dwellings in New Structures 1				Composite Indexes of Residential Building Costs			Residential Construction Expenditures 3, 6		
	Areas of 5,000 Population and over 2		All Areas 3		Residential Building Materials 4	Wage Rates of All Construction Workers 5	Residential Building Materials and Wage Rates 4	New Dwellings and Major Improvements	Repair and Maintenance	Total
	Starts	Completions	Starts	Completions						
	thousands of units				*1949 = 100*			*millions of dollars*		
Calendar Years										
1951	47.4	61.2	68.6	81.3	125.5	119.2	123.8	821.6	221.0	1,042.6
1952	63.4	54.3	83.2	73.1	124.9	129.5	126.6	825.6	203.2	1,028.8
1953	80.3	73.4	102.4	96.8	123.9	137.2	128.9	1,083.7	213.6	1,297.3
1954	89.8	80.6	113.5	102.0	121.7	141.2	129.0	1,178.0	221.8	1,399.8
1955	97.3	93.5	138.3	127.9†	124.3	145.2	132.1	1,499.3	238.0	1,737.3
1956*	87.3	95.2	127.3	135.7	128.4	151.0	136.3			
Monthly										
1955—July	11.8	7.1	15.9	9.6	124.6	144.5	132.1			
Aug.	11.3	7.2	16.2	10.7	125.2	144.7	132.5	433.3	60.2	493.5
Sept.	10.0	8.4	15.4	11.4	125.8	144.7	132.9			
Oct.	9.5	10.5	14.9	17.4	125.8	145.2	133.1			
Nov.	8.6	10.7	10.9	14.2	125.7	147.0	133.7	430.3	61.6	491.9
Dec.	4.8	9.3	6.2	12.2	126.1	147.2	134.0			
1956—Jan.	3.5	6.9	4.2	9.5	127.0	147.5	134.7			
Feb.	4.1	5.8	4.7	7.5	127.0	147.6	134.7	284.9	62.4	347.3
Mar.	4.5	7.3	5.6	8.7	128.0	147.6	135.4			
Apr.	7.6	7.4	10.4	9.1	128.7	147.6	135.8			
May	11.1	7.9	15.9	9.7	129.0	147.9	136.1	427.3	63.3	490.6
June	11.0	7.8	19.4	13.6	129.0	150.0	136.9			
July	11.1	7.4	15.9	9.7	128.9	150.3	136.9			
Aug.	9.0	7.4	14.0	10.7	128.9	150.6	137.0	425.7	64.4	490.1
Sept.	8.9	7.7	13.3	12.2	128.7	150.8†	137.0			
Oct.	7.8	10.7	11.8	18.5	128.7	151.0	137.1			
Nov.*	5.7	10.1	8.0	14.1	128.6	151.2	137.1			
Dec.*	3.2	8.7	4.1	12.5	128.4	152.1	137.3			

1. Excludes conversions. From 1951 to 1955 these are estimated to have totalled approximately 3.5, 3.2, 3.8, 4.4, and 4.3 thousand respectively. 2. Based on a complete enumeration. 3. In areas outside the centres of 5,000 population and over, information relating to starts and completions is based on a sample survey. In the latter part of 1954 the sample was redesigned and enlarged and some discontinuity with previous years resulted. There is probably an understatement of total starts and completions and of expenditures in 1954 and earlier years. Total number of starts in 1956 is subject to upward revision when the results of the October survey are available. 4. Calendar year figures are the averages of 12 months. 5. Index of average hourly wage rates including holiday pay allowances. Annual data refer to the month of October each year. 6. Expenditures on work put in place. All figures to be revised. † Revised. * Preliminary.

NOTE: For data back to 1952 see page 78 in the "Financial Supplement 1955"

POPULATION BY PROVINCES

Thousands of Persons — *Dominion Bureau of Statistics*

As of June 1	Canada 1	Atlantic Provinces 1		Quebec		Ontario		Manitoba		Saskatchewan		Alberta		British Columbia		Yukon and N.W.T.
		Thous.	%	Thous.	%	Thous.	%	Thous.	%	Thous.	%	Thous.	%	Thous.	%	
1921	**8,788**	1,001	*11.4*	2,361	*26.9*	2,934	*33.4*	610	*6.9*	758	*8.6*	588	*6.7*	525	*6.0*	12
1926	**9,451**	998	*10.6*	2,603	*27.5*	3,164	*33.5*	639	*6.8*	821	*8.7*	608	*6.4*	606	*6.4*	12
1931	**10,376**	1,009	*9.7*	2,874	*27.7*	3,432	*33.1*	700	*6.7*	922	*8.9*	732	*7.1*	694	*6.7*	13
1932	**10,510**	1,022	*9.7*	2,925	*27.8*	3,473	*33.1*	705	*6.7*	924	*8.8*	740	*7.1*	707	*6.7*	14
1933	**10,633**	1,034	*9.7*	2,972	*28.0*	3,512	*33.0*	708	*6.7*	926	*8.7*	750	*7.1*	717	*6.7*	14
1934	**10,741**	1,045	*9.7*	3,016	*28.1*	3,544	*33.0*	709	*6.6*	928	*8.6*	758	*7.1*	727	*6.8*	14
1935	**10,845**	1,056	*9.7*	3,057	*28.2*	3,575	*33.0*	711	*6.6*	930	*8.6*	765	*7.0*	736	*6.8*	16
1936	**10,950**	1,069	*9.8*	3,099	*28.3*	3,606	*32.9*	711	*6.5*	931	*8.5*	773	*7.1*	745	*6.8*	16
1937	**11,045**	1,079	*9.8*	3,141	*28.4*	3,637	*32.9*	715	*6.5*	922	*8.4*	776	*7.0*	759	*6.9*	16
1938	**11,152**	1,091	*9.8*	3,183	*28.5*	3,672	*32.9*	720	*6.5*	914	*8.2*	781	*7.0*	775	*7.0*	16
1939	**11,267**	1,102	*9.8*	3,230	*28.7*	3,708	*32.9*	726	*6.4*	906	*8.0*	786	*7.0*	792	*7.0*	17
1940	**11,381**	1,116	*9.8*	3,278	*28.8*	3,747	*32.9*	728	*6.4*	900	*7.9*	790	*6.9*	805	*7.1*	17
1941	**11,507**	1,130	*9.8*	3,332	*29.0*	3,788	*32.9*	730	*6.3*	896	*7.8*	796	*6.9*	818	*7.1*	17
1942	**11,654**	1,145	*9.8*	3,390	*29.1*	3,884	*33.3*	724	*6.2*	848	*7.3*	776	*6.7*	870	*7.5*	17
1943	**11,795**	1,160	*9.8*	3,457	*29.3*	3,915	*33.2*	723	*6.1*	838	*7.1*	785	*6.7*	900	*7.6*	17
1944	**11,946**	1,163	*9.7*	3,500	*29.3*	3,963	*33.2*	727	*6.1*	836	*7.0*	808	*6.8*	932	*7.8*	17
1945	**12,072**	1,178	*9.8*	3,560	*29.5*	4,000	*33.1*	727	*6.0*	833	*6.9*	808	*6.7*	949	*7.9*	17
1946	**12,292**	1,180	*9.6*	3,629	*29.5*	4,093	*33.3*	727	*5.9*	833	*6.8*	803	*6.5*	1,003	*8.2*	24
1947	**12,551**	1,197	*9.5*	3,710	*29.5*	4,176	*33.3*	739	*5.9*	836	*6.7*	825	*6.6*	1,044	*8.3*	24
1948	**12,823**	1,216	*9.5*	3,788	*28.9*	4,275	*33.4*	746	*5.8*	838	*6.5*	854	*6.7*	1,082	*8.4*	24
1949	**13,447**	1,576	*11.7*	3,882	*28.9*	4,378	*32.5*	757	*5.6*	832	*6.2*	885	*6.6*	1,113	*8.3*	24
1950	**13,712**	1,597	*11.6*	3,969	*28.9*	4,471	*32.6*	768	*5.6*	833	*6.1*	913	*6.6*	1,137	*8.3*	24
1951	**14,009**	1,618	*11.6*	4,056	*29.0*	4,598	*32.8*	776	*5.5*	832	*5.9*	939	*6.7*	1,165	*8.3*	25
..... 2																
1956	**16,081**	1,764	*10.9*	4,628	*28.8*	5,405	*33.6*	850	*5.3*	881	*5.5*	1,123	*7.0*	1,398	*8.7*	32

PERCENTAGE ANNUAL RATE OF CHANGE

1921–31	**1.7** 3	–3	2.0	1.5	1.5	2.0	2.2	2.8
1931–41	**1.0** 3	1.1 3	1.5	1.0	0.4	–0.3	0.9	1.7
1941–51	**1.7** 3	1.1 3	2.0	2.0	0.6	–0.7	1.7	3.6
1951–56	**2.8**	1.7	2.7	3.3	1.8	1.1	3.7	3.7

1. Including Newfoundland beginning in 1949. 2. 1952–1955 intercensal estimates have been omitted since they are subject to revision in line with census information. 3. Excluding Newfoundland.

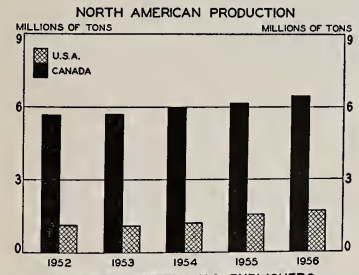
NEWSPRINT : NORTH AMERICA

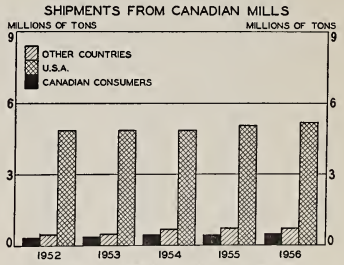
Thousands of Tons — *"Monthly Newsprint Report", Newsprint Association of Canada*

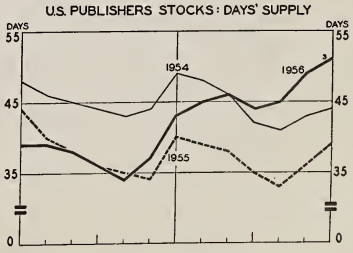
	Supply: Production			Imports from Europe	*Less:* Exports Overseas	Total Supply	Estimated Consumption			Stocks
	Canada	U.S.A.	Total				U.S. Publishers	Canadian Publishers	Total Consumption	Net Change
Calendar Yrs.										
1951	5,516	1,125	6,641	206	378	**6,469**	5,975	360	**6,335**	**+135**
1952	5,687	1,147	6,834	183	530	**6,487**	5,988	369	**6,357**	**+130**
1953	5,721	1,084	6,805	164	503	**6,466**	6,143	398	**6,541**	**−75**
1954	5,984	1,211	7,195	128	767	**6,557**	6,163	425	**6,584**	**−27**
1955	6,191	1,552	7,743	146	911	**6,977**	6,638	430	**7,069**	**−92**
1956	6,469	1,717	8,186	314*	875	**7,625***	6,899	477	**7,376**	**+249***
Monthly										
1955—Mar.	539.1	127.3	666.4	17.1	70.6	**612.9**	577.5	37.1	**614.6**	**−1.6**
Apr.	518.6	122.7	641.3	6.2	79.5	**568.0**	568.1	34.1	**602.2**	**−34.3**
May	521.3	135.2	656.6	12.3	85.5	**583.4**	599.2	38.1	**637.3**	**−53.9**
June	507.8	133.0	641.7	8.8	74.8	**574.8**	555.6	36.0	**591.5**	**−16.7**
July	490.4	126.2	616.6	11.0	90.4	**537.1**	497.9	34.4	**532.4**	**+4.7**
Aug.	539.5	136.7	676.3	12.7	78.1	**610.8**	506.2	34.9	**541.1**	**+69.7**
Sept.	503.2	126.7	629.9	13.7	74.4	**569.1**	559.0	35.2	**594.1**	**−25.0**
Oct.	538.8	141.8	680.6	11.7	77.8	**614.5**	630.2	37.1	**667.3**	**−52.8**
Nov.	541.7	142.0	683.8	18.0	76.2	**625.6**	607.7	39.3	**647.0**	**−21.5**
Dec.	520.0	131.9	651.9	20.9	76.3	**596.5**	551.6	39.0	**590.6**	**+6.0**
1956—Jan.	523.3	139.5	662.8	16.7	55.2	**624.3**	532.8†	37.7	**570.5†**	**−53.8†**
Feb.	514.7	130.5	645.1	20.9	73.1	**592.9**	526.8†	36.4	**563.3†**	**+29.6†**
Mar.	552.9	149.0	701.9	15.7	69.9	**647.6**	590.9†	39.0	**629.9†**	**+17.8†**
Apr.	518.4	138.3	656.7	17.2	53.9	**620.0**	611.6†	39.4	**651.0†**	**−31.0†**
May	550.5	149.0	699.6	33.8	84.5	**648.9**	614.7†	40.7	**655.4†**	**−6.5†**
June	536.4	141.9	678.3	33.7	82.5†	**629.5**	559.4†	40.8	**600.2†**	**+29.3†**
July	532.5	138.5	671.0	41.9	86.3	**626.6**	515.0†	38.5	**553.5†**	**+73.1†**
Aug.	570.4	154.3	724.7	32.8	66.4	**691.1**	533.1†	41.9	**575.1†**	**+116.0†**
Sept.	514.0	140.6	654.6	26.0	74.8	**605.7**	576.1†	39.2	**615.2†**	**−9.5†**
Oct.	582.1	154.0	736.1	29.2	81.9	**683.5**	631.6	42.4	**674.0**	**+9.5**
Nov.	559.5	142.5	702.0	25.3*	66.2	**661.1***	619.5	40.9	**660.3**	**+0.8***
Dec.	514.2	139.2	653.4	20.5*	79.8	**594.1***	587.6	40.4	**627.9**	**−33.8***

† Revised. * Preliminary.

NEWSPRINT: PRODUCTION, SHIPMENTS & STOCKS







1. Newfoundland is included. 2. U.S. publishers' stocks. Nov.-Dec. preliminary. 3. Nov.-Dec. preliminary.

SELECTED AGRICULTURAL STATISTICS[1]: QUARTERLY

Department of Agriculture, Board of Grain Commissioners and Dominion Bureau of Statistics

PRODUCTION

	Livestock: Inspected Slaughterings: Cattle and Calves	Hogs	Sheep and Lambs	Total	Exports: Cattle, Calves, Beef and Veal (Dressed Weight)	Bacon and Ham (Dressed Weight)	Wheat		Oats	Field Crops: Oats	Barley		Other Field Crops 2		Dairying: Butter 3	Cheddar Cheese	Concentrated Milk Products 4	Total Milk 5	Eggs 6	D.B.S. Index of Physical Volume of Agricultural Production
	Thousands of Head				Millions of lbs.		Mm. acres	Mm. bus.	Mm. acres	Mm. bus.	Mm. acres	Mm. bus.	Mm. acres	Mm. bus.	Millions of pounds				Thous. of cases	1935–39 = 100
1953—II	606	1,198	38	1,842	13	2									109	27	159	5,013	1,456	
III	574	853	191	1,618	22	3									117	29	138	5,122	1,067	
IV	563	1,230	237	2,030	11	2									61	14	80	3,449	1,296	
Yearly Total	2,210	4,611	543	7,365	56	7	26	614	10	407	9	262	5	125	326	77	440	16,375	5,231	156.2
1954—I	570	1,152	86	1,808	19	2									40	7	68	2,889	1,539	
II	674	1,108	45	1,828	20	2									110	28	157	5,082	1,547	
III	614	1,000	189	1,803	10	2									124	35	146	5,359	1,295	
IV	598	1,419	242	2,259	8	2									61	15	79	3,488	1,501	
Yearly Total	2,456	4,679	563	7,697	57	8	24	309	10	307	8	176	4	112	334	85	450	16,818	5,883	117.1 7
1955—I	560	1,399	95	2,054	7	2									38	6	70	2,880	1,465†	
II	693	1,377	57	2,127	12	3									112	27	156	5,199	1,416	
III	653	1,191	192	2,036	9	2									123	31	155†	5,421	1,176	
IV	625	1,576	248	2,449	8	3									65†	15	92†	3,696	1,461†	
Yearly Total	2,531	5,544	592	8,666	36	10	22	494	11	408	10	252	5	134	338†	79†	473	17,196	5,518†	150.1
1956—I	603	1,532	97	2,232	7	2									41	7	79	3,065	1,517†	
II	745	1,476	62	2,283	11	2									110	20	156	5,080	1,561	
III	708	1,177	182	2,068	9	2									120	35	161	5,430	1,358	
IV*	710	1,363	258	2,331	9	2									72	18	87	3,744	1,594	
Yearly Total*	2,766	5,548	599	8,914	37	8	21**	538**	12**	535**	9**	278**	6**	139**	343	85	483	17,319	6,030	

PRICES[8]

	D.B.S. Index of Farm Prices of Agricultural Products 9	Wholesale Prices: Wheat 10 (No. 1 Northern) I.W.A. 11	Class II	Steers (Good up to 1000 lbs., Toronto)	Hogs (Grade B1 Dressed, Toronto)	Butter 12	Cheddar Cheese 13
	1935–39 = 100	Cents per bushel		Dollars per cwt.		Cents per pound	
1953—II	254.6	178.3	210.8	19.62	30.62	58.1	29.6
III	248.2	193.3	202.3	19.27	33.81	57.5	28.1
IV	238.5	191.2	191.2	18.90	32.60	60.2	31.9
Yearly Total	250.4	184.7	205.7	20.28	30.40	59.6	30.3
1954—I	240.2	184.0	184.0	17.97	34.61	61.0	32.5
II	240.0	179.7	179.7	19.01	35.42	57.8	30.1
III	235.8	170.1	170.1	20.63	28.34	57.3	30.1
IV	223.1	170.1	170.1	20.46	25.68	59.3	30.2
Yearly Total	236.8	176.0	176.0	19.25	30.90	58.9	30.7
1955—I	229.3	173.8	173.8	19.56	25.22	61.0	30.3
II	236.5	176.0	176.0	19.62	25.66	56.7	29.7
III	230.0†	175.7	175.7	19.61	26.85	57.3	29.3
IV	220.1†	172.2	172.2	19.59	22.88	57.3	29.9
Yearly Total	229.0†	174.4	174.4	19.60	25.15	58.1	29.8
1956—I	218.5†	173.7	173.7	17.84	22.53	57.6	31.3
II	226.5†	175.0	175.0	18.78	23.99	56.8	31.1
III	233.8	173.2	173.2	21.17	27.53	56.2	33.3
IV*	226.5	170.2	170.2	19.84	29.90	57.4	34.0
Yearly Total*	226.3	173.0	173.0	19.41	25.99	57.0	32.5

FARM CASH AND NET INCOME FROM SALE OF FARM PRODUCTS

	By Products: Field Crops	Participation and Equalization Payments 14	Livestock	Dairy Products, Poultry and Eggs	All Other	Total Cash Income	By Regions: Maritimes	Quebec and Ontario	Western Provinces	Total Cash Income (Incl. certain Govt. Pay'ts.) 15	Total Net Income 16
	Millions of Dollars										
1953—II	196	73	161	175	45	650	25	259	366	650	
III	394	9	152	202	22	778	24	306	448	778	
IV	298	88	186	186	57	814	33	297	485	815	
Yearly Total	1,103	172	657	687	156	2,776	107	1,114	1,555	2,778	1,697
1954—I	142	28	181	127	35	513	24	264	224	515	
II	126	31	181	175	48	561	29	269	263	561	
III	225	–	156	195	19	595	27	292	276	595	
IV	242	54	186	191	54	726	37	296	393	726	
Yearly Total	735	113	704	688	156	2,395	117	1,121	1,156	2,397	1,190
1955—I	150	–	164	121	32	467	26	262	180	485	
II	147	37	169	180	50	583	31	274	279	596	
III	239	–	172	205	20	636	27	312	297	637	
IV	195	10	198	208	56	667	35	322	310	668	
Yearly Total	731	47	703	714	158	2,353	119	1,169†	1,066	2,386	1,454*
1956—I	159	22	159	134	36	510	25	253	231	513	
II	223†	40	172	191	53	679	31	281	366	680	
III	263	–	187	215	21	686	27	324	335	687	
IV*	273	23	216	213	56	781	40	336	407	781	
Yearly Total*	918	85	734	753	166	2,656	123	1,194	1,339	2,661	

1. Exclude Newfoundland.
2. Rye, flaxseed, buckwheat, mixed grains and shelled corn.
3. Creamery, dairy and whey butter.
4. Whole milk products and milk by-products.
5. Total milk production by quarters does not include the milk equivalent of factory cheese other than cheddar included in the annual totals.
6. Registered egg station gradings.
7. Allowances made for the low quality of the 1954 western grain crop.
8. Prices are quarterly and annual averages.
9. Prices used for western wheat, oats and barley are initial payments to farmers plus retroactive revisions to include participation payments as these are announced. The indexes prior to July 1955 and earlier months include final payments for all three grains. Subsequent to July 1955 only the initial prices of the three grains are used.
10. Basis in store Fort William–Port Arthur.
11. Up to July 31, 1953 excludes 6 cents carrying charges, after that date carrying charges are included in the price quoted.
12. No. 1 pasteurized, current receipts, price delivered.
13. Ontario coloured, current receipts, price f.o.b. factory.
14. Wheat participation and adjustment payments, oats and barley equalization payments and flaxseed adjustment payments. The wheat participation and adjustment payments for the years 1953, 1954, 1955 and 1956 amounted to 125, 97, 26 and 62 respectively.
15. Payments under the Prairie Farm Assistance Act.
16. Net Income is Cash Income plus income in kind plus increase in inventories on the farm less farm operating costs.

† Revised. ** D.B.S. estimate Oct. 15, 1956. * Preliminary.

SELECTED SEASONALLY ADJUSTED STATISTICS★

Dominion Bureau of Statistics

	Gross National Production		Personal Income and Expenditure				Change in Business Inventories	Corporation Profits before Taxes 1	Expenditure on Construction 2	External Trade Value Indexes		Labour Force Survey			Industrial Production Index	Manufacturing						
					Expenditure on Goods											Total		Durable Goods		Non-Durable Goods		
	Total	Ex. Farm	Labour Income	Disposable Income	Durable	Non-Dur.				Exports of Goods	Imports of Goods	Without Jobs	Non-Agric. Employment	Employment in Construction		Production Index	Employment Index	Employment Index	Hrs. Worked per Week	Employment Index	Hrs. Worked per Week	
	Millions of Dollars									*1949=100*		*Thousands of Persons*			*1935–39=100*	*1949=100*			*Average*	*1949=100*	*Average*	
1594—Nov.	24,800	23,620	12,144	17,196	1,648	9,152	−72	2,284	2,924	135	152	252†	4,326	343	249	253	105	110	41.3	101	40.4	Nov.—1954
Dec.			12,288							139	152	245			250	253	106	109	41.0	103	40.4	Dec.
1955—Jan.			12,204							141	158	253†			255	260	106	111	41.8	100	41.1	Jan.—1955
Feb.	25,488	24,160	12,252	17,416	1,744	9,168	480	2,472	3,016	144	159	250†	4,383	364	255	259	107†	112	41.0	101	40.8	Feb.
Mar.			12,264							141	158	263			255	258	108	115	41.0	101	40.6	Mar.
Apr.			12,480							152	167	238			259	264	108	115	41.0	101	40.5	Apr.
May	26,628	25,152	12,732	18,316	1,888	9,532	−24	2,760	3,164	134	165	236	4,460	359	263	268	109	116	41.2	102	40.6	May
June			12,972							138	159	224†			266	271	110	117	41.4	103	40.7	June
July			12,984							142	160	220†			269	275	111	119	40.9	103	40.9	July
Aug.	27,320	25,924	13,104	18,416	1,992	9,576	300	3,044	3,344	147	181	208	4,621	374	270	276	111	118	41.4	103	40.9	Aug.
Sept.			13,104							157	180	230			272	278	112	119	41.3	105	41.0	Sept.
Oct.			13,152							159	201	209			274	278	111	119	41.4	104	40.8	Oct.
Nov.	27,640	26,224	13,200	18,652	1,980	9,600	512	3,160	3,480	143	183	195†	4,631	382	278	279	112	120	41.5	105	40.9	Nov.
Dec.			13,272							143	182	198			275	277	113	120	41.2	106	40.8	Dec.
1956—Jan			13,320							159	199	200†			276	278	113	121	41.2	104	41.1	Jan.—1956
Feb.	28,632	27,060	13,488	19,060	1,932	9,916	1,272	3,104	3,620	162	199	202†	4,645	391	274	275	113	121	41.2	106	41.1	Feb.
Mar.			13,524							151	216	193†			278	280	115	124	41.1	105	40.9	Mar.
Apr.			13,908							166	225	188			279	281	115	125	41.0	106	40.3	Apr.
May	29,476	27,868	14,172	19,900	2,112	10,040	764	3,260	3,972	149	199	183	4,691	419	278	282	116	126	41.4	106	40.7	May
June			14,484							161	202	167†			286	290	116	127	41.1	106	40.9	June
July			14,616							164	198	150†			293	299†	118	128	41.3	107	41.0	July
Aug.	29,984	28,396	14,628	20,192	2,128	10,284	292	3,348	4,076	162	200	164†	4,814	416	288	288	117	127	41.5	108	40.8	Aug.
Sept.			14,772							182	210	162†			289	290†	116	125	41.2	107	40.7	Sept.
Oct.			14,772							173	220	144			290†	289	117†	126	41.0	107†	40.9	Oct.
Nov.			14,772							155	218	163†	4,874	416	292	291	118	129	41.3	107	40.7	Nov.
Dec.										**	**	175										Dec.

★ Note: All dollar series are expressed at annual rates. 1. As per survey of corporate earnings: profits before payment of dividends abroad and including earnings of Canadian corporations abroad. 2. As per National Accounts: expenditure on private residential and non-residential construction. † Revised. ** Not available.
* Preliminary.

NOTE: For data back to 1952 for most of this series see page 87 in the "Financial Supplement 1955".

VOLUME OF INDUSTRIAL PRODUCTION

INDEXES NOT SEASONALLY ADJUSTED

"Canadian Statistical Review", Dominion Bureau of Statistics

1935–39=100

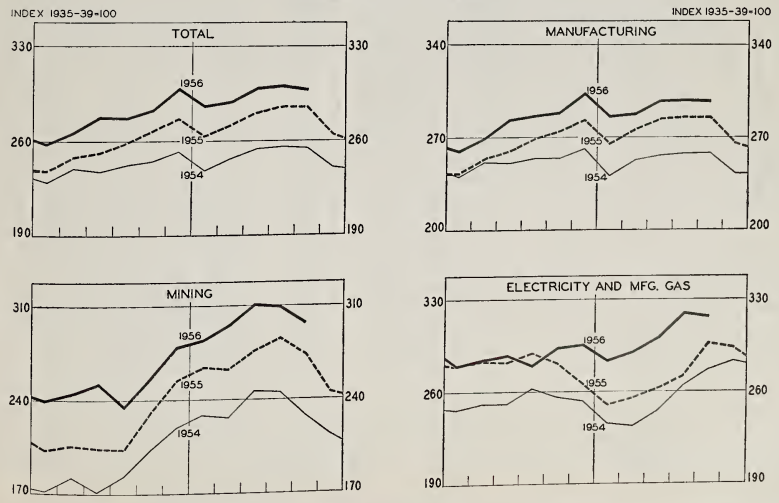
	Total	Mining	Manufacturing			Electricity and Manufactured Gas
			Total	Non-Durables	Durables	
Weighting	**100.0**	16.8	75.6	46.1	29.5	7.6
Annual Average						
1951	**226.5**	161.8	242.1	214.0	285.9	214.2
1952	**233.0**	174.7	246.3	215.2	294.8	228.8
1953	**248.4**	185.8	263.0	224.1	323.9	241.9
1954	**244.6**	209.7	251.4	221.7	297.7	254.6
1955	**265.8**	242.0	270.1	235.2	324.8	275.7
Monthly						
1955—Feb.	**248.0**	205.6	253.9	220.5	306.1	282.4
Mar.	**251.9**	203.8	259.5	222.2	318.0	282.2
Apr.	**259.2**	202.6	268.8	231.8	326.8	288.8
May	**267.4**	230.2	274.2	238.4	330.3	281.1
June	**276.8**	254.1	282.9	248.7	336.5	266.7
July	**263.7**	264.0	265.1	230.1	320.0	249.6
Aug.	**271.7**	261.8	275.5	245.8	322.0	255.2
Sept.	**281.2**	275.7	284.3	250.2	337.6	262.3
Oct.	**284.0**	285.3	284.9	247.5	343.2	272.3
Nov.	**283.7**	273.9	284.6	248.6	341.0	296.5
Dec.	**264.3**	245.5	265.5	229.5	321.9	293.2
1956—Jan.	**257.7**	239.8	259.5	223.5	315.8	278.8
Feb.	**266.5**	244.3	269.7	232.8	327.5	283.2
Mar.	**277.6**	251.1	282.5	240.9	347.5	286.9
Apr.	**277.3**	234.4	286.6	244.1	353.0	279.8
May	**283.1**	256.3	288.0	244.3	356.3	293.2
June	**298.6**	278.9	303.3	260.1	370.8	295.3
July	**285.5**	283.9	286.1	240.2	358.0	282.7
Aug.	**288.9†**	295.3†	287.4	252.5	342.1	289.1
Sept.	**299.0**	309.7	296.5	260.2	353.2	300.6
Oct.	**301.1***	308.7*	297.6*	257.5*	360.4*	319.5
Nov.	**298.4***	297.3*	296.8*	255.5*	361.3*	317.1

† Revised. * Preliminary.

NOTE: For the years 1952–1955 see page 82 in the "Financial Supplement 1955".

INDEXES OF INDUSTRIAL PRODUCTION

NOT SEASONALLY ADJUSTED



MANUFACTURING: SHIPMENTS, ORDERS AND INVENTORIES

ESTIMATES FOR ALL ITEMS IN ALL INDUSTRIES

"Inventories, Shipments and Orders in Manufacturing Industries", DBS

Millions of Dollars

	Shipments During Month 1	Orders: New Orders Received During Month 2	Orders: Unfilled Orders at end of Month 3	Inventories at End of Month: Owned 4	All Inventories Held: Total 5	All Inventories Held: Raw Materials	All Inventories Held: Goods in Process	All Inventories Held: Finished Products
1955—Mar.	1,603	1,563	2,540	3,607	4,149	1,749	1,156	1,244
Apr.	1,582	1,558	2,515	3,542	4,081	1,733	1,150	1,198
May	1,685	1,749	2,579	3,543	4,082	1,728	1,151	1,204
June	1,746	1,725	2,559	3,551	4,097	1,715	1,166	1,216
July	1,584	1,612	2,587	3,537	4,070	1,743	1,146	1,181
Aug.	1,685	1,724	2,626	3,522	4,066	1,718	1,163	1,184
Sept.	1,764	1,744	2,606	3,547	4,100	1,720	1,171	1,209
Oct.	1,717	1,685	2,574	3,577	4,143	1,763	1,194	1,186
Nov.	1,707	1,739	2,606	3,607	4,163	1,792	1,174	1,198
Dec.	1,653	1,670	2,623	3,691	4,207	1,820	1,168	1,219
1956—Jan.	1,546	1,690	2,767	3,760	4,269	1,843	1,167	1,259
Feb.	1,637	1,693	2,823	3,843	4,364	1,874	1,206	1,283
Mar.	1,776	1,741	2,787	3,882	4,390	1,881	1,213	1,295
Apr.	1,754	1,816	2,849	3,895	4,418	1,881	1,222	1,316
May	1,903	1,874	2,819	3,931	4,475	1,900	1,248	1,327
June	1,881	1,787	2,725	3,993	4,541	1,922	1,255	1,363
July	1,778	1,772	2,719	4,006	4,545	1,952	1,234	1,359
Aug.	1,826	1,858	2,751	4,009	4,553	1,964	1,243	1,347
Sept.*	1,829	1,842	2,763	4,040	4,597	1,968	1,256	1,373
Oct. *	1,941	1,908	2,730	4,072	4,640	1,996	1,281	1,363
Nov. *	1,895	1,888	2,722	4,098	4,674	2,018	1,285	1,370

1. Represent an estimated projection, on a monthly basis, of the latest available Census of Industry values. The value level used being the factory selling value. 2. Indicates the rate at which new business is being received. These are new orders received during the period at estimated selling value. 3. Estimated selling value of orders received but not yet shipped, irrespective of work done on them. 4. Estimated book value of inventory owned by manufacturers in connection with manufacturing operations. Excludes value of goods purchased for re-sale. 5. Estimated total value of manufacturers' inventory holdings in connection with manufacturing operations, regardless of ownership. Includes progress payments inventory. * Preliminary.

NOTE: For data back to 1952 see page 79 in the "Financial Supplement 1955".

U.S.A. ECONOMIC STATISTICS

U.S. Department of Commerce — *U.S. Dept. of Labor* — *Federal Reserve*

	Gross National Product	Change in Business Inventories	Govt. Expenditure on National Security 1	Personal Savings as a Percentage of Disposable Income	Total Personal Income	Construction 3	Unemployment	Retail Sales 4	Consumer Price Index	Wholesale Prices: All Commodities	Average Hourly Earnings in Manufacturing 5	Total Industrial Production 4
	Billions of Dollars 2				Billions of $ 2	Billions of $	Millions	Billions of $	1947–49 = 100		Dollars	1947–49 = 100
Annual Averages 6												
1951	328.2	10.4	37.3	7.8	255.3	31.2	1.9	158.2	111.0	114.8	1.59	120
1952	345.4	3.0	48.8	8.0	271.8	33.0	1.7	164.1	113.5	111.6	1.67	124
1953	363.2	0.3	51.5	7.9	286.0	35.3	1.6	170.7	114.4	110.1	1.77†	134
1954	360.7	−2.3	43.0	7.0	287.3	37.6	3.2	170.8	114.8	110.3	1.81	125
1955	390.9	4.2	41.2	6.1	306.1	43.0	2.7	185.7	114.5	110.7	1.88	139
1956	412.4*	3.4*	41.6*	7.3*	325.2	44.3	2.6	191.3	116.2	114.3	1.98	143
Monthly												
1955—July	396.8	3.7	41.3	5.8	309.2	4.1	2.5	15.5	114.7	110.5	1.89	139
Aug.					308.7	4.2	2.2	15.7	114.5	110.9	1.88	140
Sept.					311.0	4.1	2.1	15.8	114.9	111.7	1.90	142
Oct.	401.9	6.1	40.6	6.8	311.6	4.0	2.1	15.8	114.9	111.6	1.91	143
Nov.					314.5	3.7	2.4	15.8	115.0	111.2	1.93	143
Dec.					317.5	3.3	2.4	15.8	114.7	111.3	1.93	144
1956—Jan.	403.4	4.1	40.5	6.6	316.7	2.9	2.9	15.7	114.6	111.9	1.93	143
Feb.					317.1	2.8	2.9	15.3	114.6	112.4	1.93	143
Mar.					318.6	3.1	2.8	15.7	114.7	112.8	1.95	141
Apr.	408.3	3.5	40.7	7.4	321.7	3.4	2.6	15.5	114.9	113.6	1.96	143
May					322.8	3.8	2.6	15.9	115.4	114.4	1.97	141
June					324.9	4.1	2.9	16.0	116.2	114.2	1.97	141
July	413.8	2.0	41.9	7.4	324.3	4.2	2.8	16.0	117.0	114.0	1.97	136
Aug.					328.1	4.3	2.2	16.3	116.8	114.7	1.98	142
Sept.					329.5	4.3	2.0	16.0	117.1	115.5	2.00	145
Oct.	424.0*	4.0*	43.2*	7.5*	332.5	4.1	1.9	16.1	117.7	115.6	2.02	146
Nov.					333.5†	3.8	2.5	16.4	117.8	115.9	2.03	146†
Dec.					333.5	3.4	2.5	16.4	118.0	116.2	2.05	147

1. Includes stockpiling, atomic energy, and Mutual Defence Assistance in addition to strictly military programmes.
2. Seasonally adjusted annual rates.
3. Value of new work put in place
4. Seasonally adjusted.
5. Production workers.
6. Quarterly averages for first four columns. Calendar year totals in the case of "Construction" and "Retail Sales".

* Council of Economic Advisors estimates.
† Revised.

EXTERNAL TRADE AND TRADE INDEXES

Millions of Dollars — *Compiled from "Trade of Canada", Dominion Bureau of Statistics*

	Total Exports (Excluding Gold) to 1: U.S.A.	U.K.	Other Sterling Area 2	Western Europe & Colonies 3	Central and South America	All Other	Total All Countries	New Gold Production Available for Export ‡	Export Indexes 4 (1948 = 100): Total Value	Price	Physical Volume
Calendar Yrs.											
1951	2,334	636	267	364	217	145	3,963	150	127.3	123.0	103.5
1952	2,349	751	291	468	281	216	4,356	150	139.9	121.8	114.9
1953	2,463	669	252	367	207	215	4,173	144	133.9	118.3	113.2
1954	2,367	658	208	349	196	169	3,947	155	126.2	115.1	109.6
1955	2,612	774	254	379	172	160	4,351	155	139.2	117.5	118.5
1956*	2,879	819					4,863				
12 Mths. ending Nov. 1956	2,874	806	255	464	185	250	4,834	154			
Monthly											
1955–May	222.0	67.2	24.3	30.6	15.0	13.9	373.0	15.0	143.2	117.2	122.2
June	232.6	65.5	19.5	36.8	14.1	14.8	383.3	13.3	147.4	118.3	124.6
July	202.1	63.8	19.4	39.2	16.4	16.0	356.9	11.9	135.8	117.4	115.7
Aug.	243.3	63.3	25.6	27.7	14.2	13.4	387.5	13.1	148.9	118.0	126.2
Sept.	230.2	72.2	30.3	32.5	15.2	8.9	389.3	12.2	149.8	118.4	126.5
Oct.	237.5	61.6	21.1	33.1	14.0	13.9	381.2	11.7	145.9	119.0	122.6
Nov.	240.1	64.2	18.1	43.3	13.2	13.3	392.2	15.0	150.7	118.9	126.7
Dec.	230.1	62.3	19.3	35.6	15.5	18.1	380.9	13.4	146.6	119.4	122.8
1956–Jan.	217.3	72.9	19.9	26.5	14.1	14.7	365.4	12.4	140.4	119.2	117.8
Feb.	216.0	58.8	19.5	31.4	12.4	14.8	352.9	12.7	135.7	119.4	113.7
Mar.	208.4	49.2	21.0	28.6	12.0	14.0	333.2	12.0	127.8	120.3	106.2
Apr.	236.6	65.6	19.9	30.7	15.0	20.4	388.2	12.5	149.3	120.8	123.6
May	261.8	59.3	25.4	42.4	16.3	30.1	435.3	14.4	167.2	121.7	137.4
June	233.6	65.7	28.5	50.6	17.1	33.9	429.3	12.9	165.3	121.9	135.6
July	237.5	75.9	22.1	46.6	16.4	31.8	430.3	11.1	165.6	121.0	136.9
Aug.	267.5	69.1	19.2	37.2	13.6	20.2†	426.7	14.5	163.8	121.4	134.9
Sept.	235.8	75.7	19.9	42.1	15.3	20.6	409.4	12.2	157.5	121.5	129.6
Oct.	286.1	67.3	17.9	47.0	21.2	17.1	456.6	12.3	175.4	121.7	144.1
Nov.	243.7	83.9	22.7	44.9	16.4	14.6	426.2	12.3	163.6*	121.7*	134.4*
Dec. *	235.9	75.1					410.6				

	Total Imports (Excluding Gold) from: U.S.A.	U.K.	Other Sterling Area 2	Western Europe & Colonies 3	Central and South America	All Other	Total All Countries	Excess of Merchandise Exports over Merchandise Imports	Import Indexes 4 (1948 = 100): Total Value	Price	Physical Volume
Calendar Yrs.											
1951	2,813	421	309	181	275	86	4,085	−122	154.8	126.2	122.7
1952	2,977	360	186	157	285	65	4,030	326	152.3	110.4	138.0
1953	3,221	453	172	179	291	67	4,383	−210	165.2	109.4	151.0
1954	2,961	392	183	199	286	72	4,093	−146	154.4	109.5	141.0
1955	3,452	401	211	234	320	94	4,712	−360	177.1	110.5	160.3
1956*	4,169	485					5,712	−849			
12 Mths. ending Oct. 1956	4,087	475	221	323	362	143	5,612	−811			
Monthly											
1955–May	318.5	37.1	20.6	21.4	28.7	7.7	434.0	−61.0	195.7	109.7	178.4
June	300.3	26.6	20.6	19.7	26.9	8.0	402.1	−18.8	180.6	109.8	164.5
July	274.4	33.5	16.3	17.8	23.6	7.0	372.6	−15.7	167.6	109.1	153.6
Aug.	301.7	45.4	18.4	21.6	32.7	10.0	429.8	−42.3	191.2	109.6	174.5
Sept.	302.4	31.7	23.1	22.0	27.3	7.7	414.2	−24.9	187.6	111.3	168.6
Oct.	331.1	38.6	21.4	23.5	31.3	10.8	456.7	−75.5	207.1	112.1	184.7
Nov.	303.5	40.3	24.7	32.8	31.7	10.7	443.7	−51.5	201.0	112.8	178.2
Dec.	289.9	28.1	11.6	21.3	26.0	8.9	385.8	−4.9	175.1	113.6	154.1
1956–Jan.	294.5	33.1	13.0	18.2	33.2	11.7	403.7	−38.3	183.2	113.3	161.7
Feb.	305.3	30.9	13.1	16.5	30.4	8.8	405.0	−52.1	183.5	113.7	161.4
Mar.	361.7	33.8	13.2	17.4	27.9	9.5	463.5	−130.4	210.0	114.3	183.7
Apr.	400.3	50.0	14.0	27.6	30.8	9.7	532.4	−144.2	240.0	113.8	210.9
May	397.7	49.5	26.5	32.9	32.4	11.0	550.0	−114.7	248.0	113.1	219.3
June	357.8	41.4	18.4	29.4	28.2	15.4	490.6	−61.3	221.6	113.5	195.2
July	341.7	45.9	22.5	28.8	29.8	13.9	482.6	−52.3	218.1	112.4	194.0
Aug.	329.7	42.8	21.6	30.9	35.1	13.6	473.7	−47.0	212.9	112.4	189.4
Sept.	309.9	35.8	21.2	29.0	28.4	13.4	437.7	−28.3	196.2	111.9	175.3
Oct.	394.6	43.7	21.6	38.5	28.0	16.5	542.8	−86.2	245.3*	112.7*	217.7*
Nov.*	375.3	48.7					527.1	−100.9			
Dec. *	300.8	28.9					402.6	+8.0			

1. Includes exports of foreign produce. Excludes defence equipment transferred by Canada to North Atlantic Treaty countries which in 1950, 1951, 1952, 1953, 1954 and 1955 amounted to 56.8, 109.1, 100.9, 182.0, 202.4 and 165.9 respectively.
2. Consists of U.K. Dependencies, Union of South Africa, Ireland, India, Pakistan, Burma, Australia, New Zealand, Iceland, Jordan, Libya, Ceylon and Iraq.
3. Excludes Spain, but includes Greece and Turkey.
4. Excludes exports of foreign produce. Price indexes are based largely on unit values derived from the Customs' entries.

‡ See footnote ‡ to "Canadian Gold Statistics" table on page 22.
† Revised. * Preliminary.

NOTE: For the years 1952–1955 see pages 76–77 in the "Financial Supplement 1955".

IMPORTS CLASSIFIED BY SOURCE AND END-USE★

Compiled from "Trade of Canada", Dominion Bureau of Statistics

Millions of Dollars

Source, Calendar Years and Quarters	Fuels and Lubricants 1	Industrial Materials: Textile, Leather and Fur Materials 2	Metal Materials 3	Chemical Materials 4	Other Industrial Materials 5	Total Industrial Materials	Investment Goods: Machinery and Parts 6	Electrical Machinery 7	Aircraft, Other Transport Equipment, and Parts 8	Construction Materials, Structural Steel and Pipe 9	Total Investment Goods	Consumer Goods: Food, Beverages, and Tobacco 10	Clothing, Household Textiles, Leather Goods 11	Passenger Automobiles: Engines, Parts and Finished Vehicles 12	Household Durables and Semi-Durables 13	Other Manufactured Goods 14	Total Consumer Goods	Special Items 15	Total Imports
From U.S.A.																			
1953	304	181	256	183	190	810	645	162	209	141	1,157	164	48	259	146	272	889	61	**3,221**
1954	236	168	213	177	196	753	544	174	200	140	1,058	190	44	211	127	277	849	64	**2,961**
1955	231	181	280	208	232	901	660	190	242	155	1,247	201	48	302	149	296	995	78	**3,452**
1953–IV	82	38	60	43	54	195	128	43	45	33	249	46	12	47	31	72	208	14	**749**
1954–I	46	42	50	42	41	174	134	40	45	34	253	39	12	69	29	59	208	9	**690**
II	59	43	54	48	51	196	172	40	53	39	304	52	11	69	39	71	242	11	**813**
III	62	36	57	42	45	179	127	39	50	36	251	45	10	30	30	76	191	23	**707**
IV	69	47	52	45	59	204	111	55	52	31	250	54	11	43	29	71	208	21	**751**
1955–I	37	56	48	45	48	197	135	47	52	30	264	45	12	80	31	61	229	16	**746**
II	59	47	68	55	56	226	181	42	65	35	323	54	12	95	41	74	276	22	**904**
III	64	37	79	53	57	226	167	45	73	40	325	45	12	62	38	83	239	25	**879**
IV	71	41	85	55	71	252	177	56	52	50	335	57	12	65	39	78	251	15	**925**
1956–I	45	47	86	55	61	249	211	51	61	52	374	50	13	106	42	69	279	15	**961**
II	67	40	109	65	73	287	265	54	66	74	460	61	12	110	48	84	315	26	**1,156**
III	73	28	94	54	63	238	223	50	55	59	386	61	22	47	38	90	258	26	**982**
From U.K.																			
1953	5	94	52	18	11	175	58	23	33	21	135	24	32	33	22	20	131	8	**453**
1954	4	71	53	18	11	153	45	19	26	21	111	25	28	20	20	19	114	11	**393**
1955	4	76	49	22	14	161	41	22	28	21	112	25	32	19	21	21	117	7	**401**
1953–IV	2	20	14	6	3	43	16	5	12	6	39	9	7	3	6	5	30	2	**114**
1954–I	1	20	12	4	2	37	11	3	8	3	26	4	6	5	4	4	23	2	**88**
II	1	18	16	5	3	43	17	5	7	7	35	6	7	9	6	5	34	4	**116**
III	1	17	13	4	3	37	9	5	5	6	25	6	9	3	5	5	30	3	**97**
IV	1	16	12	5	3	36	8	6	6	5	25	9	6	3	5	5	27	2	**92**
1955–I	–	19	12	4	3	38	9	4	7	3	23	4	6	3	4	4	21	1	**85**
II	1	18	10	5	3	36	12	5	8	5	30	6	7	7	5	5	30	2	**98**
III	2	19	12	6	5	42	10	7	9	7	32	6	11	5	6	6	33	2	**111**
IV	1	20	15	7	3	45	10	6	4	6	27	9	8	4	6	6	33	2	**107**
1956–I	–	20	15	4	4	44	11	5	4	6	26	4	7	6	5	5	27	1	**98**
II	1	23	23	6	4	56	16	8	7	10	42	7	8	11	7	8	40	2	**141**
III	1	20	21	5	4	49	13	9	5	12	39	6	10	5	6	6	33	2	**124**
From All Other																			
1953	192	71	47	12	59	189	18	2	1	20	41	214	15	2	25	18	274	14	**709**
1954	217	51	39	11	56	157	20	6	1	21	49	235	19	3	24	22	301	16	**739**
1955	254	79	49	16	73	216	22	6	3	30	61	234	25	5	28	24	318	10	**859**
1953–IV	49	14	13	4	15	46	4	–	–	6	10	59	4	1	7	5	76	4	**185**
1954–I	49	12	4	2	11	31	3	2	–	3	7	46	4	–	6	4	59	1	**148**
II	52	14	12	2	17	44	6	1	1	5	13	66	4	1	6	6	82	4	**195**
III	59	12	12	3	14	42	5	–	–	8	15	60	6	2	7	6	79	4	**197**
IV	57	13	11	4	14	40	6	3	–	5	14	63	5	–	5	6	81	7	**199**
1955–I	55	13	4	3	15	35	4	2	–	4	10	44	6	1	6	5	62	2	**159**
II	61	19	13	3	20	55	5	1	1	6	13	63	5	2	6	7	83	2	**217**
III	69	21	15	5	15	55	6	2	1	9	18	59	6	1	7	6	82	3	**227**
IV	69	26	17	5	23	71	7	1	1	11	20	68	8	1	9	6	91	3	**254**
1956–I	65	34	6	3	18	60	5	2	–	8	16	47	7	3	7	6	70	2	**213**
II	69	30	19	5	21	75	8	3	1	20	31	67	9	6	8	8	99	3	**276**
III	86	19	27	4	19	71	8	1	1	19	31	67	10	1	8	9	95	4	**288**
Total All Countries																			
1953	501	346	355	213	260	1,174	721	187	243	181	1,332	402	95	294	193	310	1,294	83	**4,383**
1954	457	290	305	206	263	1,063	609	199	227	182	1,218	450	91	234	171	318	1,264	91	**4,093**
1955	489	336	378	246	318	1,278	723	218	273	206	1,420	460	105	326	198	341	1,430	95	**4,712**
12 Months ending Sept. 1956	548	348	517	268	363	1,497	954	246	257	327	1,787	504	126	365	223	375	1,591	101	**5,525**
1953–IV	133	72	87	53	72	284	148	48	57	45	298	114	23	51	44	82	314	20	**1,048**
1954–I	96	74	66	48	54	242	148	45	53	40	286	89	22	74	39	67	290	12	**926**
II	112	75	82	55	71	283	195	46	61	51	352	124	22	79	51	82	358	19	**1,124**
III	122	65	82	49	62	258	141	44	55	50	291	111	25	35	42	87	300	30	**1,001**
IV	127	76	75	54	76	280	125	64	58	41	289	126	22	46	39	82	316	30	**1,042**
1955–I	92	88	64	52	66	270	148	53	59	37	297	93	24	84	41	70	312	19	**991**
II	121	84	91	63	79	317	198	48	74	46	366	123	24	104	52	86	389	26	**1,219**
III	135	77	106	64	77	323	183	54	83	56	375	110	29	68	51	95	354	30	**1,217**
IV	141	87	117	67	96	368	194	63	57	67	382	134	28	70	54	90	375	20	**1,286**
1956–I	110	101	107	62	83	353	227	58	65	66	416	101	27	115	54	80	376	18	**1,272**
II	137	93	151	76	98	418	289	65	74	104	533	135	29	127	63	100	454	31	**1,573**
III	160	67	142	63	86	358	244	60	61	90	456	134	42	53	52	105	386	32	**1,394**

★ This classification attempts to distinguish between imports for investment and imports for consumption, insofar as this is possible within the limitations of the basic data provided by the trade returns. In the case of most finished goods and many component parts, the end-use is reasonably clear, although a certain amount of rather arbitrary grouping is unavoidable. Finished goods whose end-use cannot easily be determined are included in "Other Manufactured Goods" above. In the case of fuels and lubricants and most crude and semi-manufactured industrial materials, separate categories are provided in the table because imports of these goods enter into both investment and consumption. A complete list of items included in this classification is available from the Research Department on request.

1. Mainly coal, crude petroleum, gasoline, lubricants, natural gas.
2. Mainly textile yarn, fabrics, textile fibres, hides, skins, leather and furs.
3. Includes primary metals and products thereof whose end-use cannot clearly be distinguished.
4. Including synthetic resins, dyes and paints.
5. Oil and fats, rubber, paper and products, crude minerals, wood and cork.
6. Includes tools and agricultural machinery, but excludes electrical machinery.
7. Includes radio apparatus, n.o.p.
8. Includes aircraft and parts, railway rolling stock, trucks, buses and parts. Excludes passenger automobiles and parts.
9. Includes softwood lumber, cement, window glass, hardware and building fixtures.
10. Fruits and vegetables, coffee, tea, cocoa, meats, cereals, alcoholic beverages, tobacco and products.
11. Includes carpets, linoleum and travel goods.
12. Automobile engines and parts for assembly or repair and finished vehicles.
13. Mainly electric household appliances, stoves and heaters, furniture, china and glassware, household utensils, jewellery, clocks and watches.
14. Includes instruments, cameras, duty-free tourist purchases, postal packages, drugs, medicines, cosmetics, toys, books newspapers, etc.
15. Chiefly arms and supplies for use of NATO forces in Canada, settler's effects and Canadian goods returned.

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MONTH-END AND WEEKLY SERIES

Millions of Dollars

	ASSETS													LIABILITIES									
	Government of Canada Direct and Guaranteed Securities								Provincial Govt. Securities	Advances to		Foreign Currency Assets 1	Investment in IDB 2	All Other Accounts 3	Total Assets or Liabilities	Notes in Circulation			Canadian Dollar Deposits			Foreign Currency Liabilities	All Other Accounts 4	
	Treasury Bills	Other Maturities: 2 yrs. and under	Other Maturities: Over 2 yrs. to 5 yrs.	Other Maturities: Over 5 yrs. to 10 yrs.	Other Maturities: Over 10 yrs.	Other Maturities: Total	Total	*Of which held under Purchase and Resale Agreements*		Govt. of Canada	Chartered & Savings Banks					Held by: Chartered Banks	Held by: Others	Total	Govt. of Canada	Chartered Banks	Other			
As at Dec. 31																								**As at Dec. 31**
1951	186.4	955.3		1,049.3		2,004.7	**2,191.1**	–	–	–	–	204.2	27.8	21.0	**2,444.1**	273.1	1,191.1	**1,464.2**	94.9	619.0	66.1	155.6	44.4	1951
1952	282.9	1,176.9		767.2		1,944.1	**2,227.0**	–	–	–	–	84.5	30.8	39.2	**2,381.4**	272.5	1,288.7	**1,561.2**	16.2	626.6	44.5	82.9	50.0	1952
1953	374.5	1,002.1		893.7		1,895.7	**2,270.2**	*21.8*	–	–	–	67.2	36.3	63.5	**2,437.2**	263.8	1,335.3	**1,599.1**	51.5	623.9	29.5	63.8	69.3	1953
1954	168.5	1,193.0	410.8	297.3	152.5	2,053.6	**2,222.0**	–	–	–	–	66.4	35.6	76.9	**2,400.8**	261.6	1,361.9	**1,623.5**	56.3	529.6	30.5	63.1	97.9	1954
1955	262.6	1,021.2	354.5	516.6	212.5	2,104.9	**2,367.5**	–	–	–	2.0	114.7	35.1	100.9	**2,620.2**	289.4	1,449.0	**1,738.5**	89.2	551.0	34.0	98.0	109.5	1955
1956	505.2	519.7 [5]	629.7 [5]	507.2 [5]	232.0 [5]	1,888.7 [5]	**2,393.9** [5]	–	–	–	–	77.7	48.0	28.1	**2,547.7**	370.9	1,497.8	**1,868.7**	38.8	511.5	31.2	62.2	35.4	1956
End of																								**End of**
1956—Feb.	338.6	727.0	411.0	539.4	181.5	1,858.9	**2,197.5**	*6.2*	–	–	–	103.7	36.3	36.0	**2,373.6**	265.8	1,375.2	**1,641.1**	60.8	493.6	35.0	94.3	48.7	Feb.—1956
Mar.	455.6	510.3	449.1	624.2	199.9	1,783.5	**2,239.1**	–	–	–	5.0	101.0	36.9	22.7	**2,404.7**	219.1	1,458.1	**1,677.2**	48.1	506.1	31.4	91.2	50.7	Mar.
Apr.	323.5	440.6	569.6	725.1	231.6	1,966.8	**2,290.3**	–	–	–	–	94.4	36.9	54.3	**2,475.9**	271.0	1,415.4	**1,686.3**	54.1	564.9	30.6	83.5	56.6	Apr.
May	392.4	673.3	643.1	328.7	206.4	1,851.5	**2,243.9**	–	–	–	15.7	104.1	37.0	53.6	**2,454.3**	280.9	1,425.2	**1,706.1**	30.2	542.8	29.9	82.7	62.6	May
June	456.1	585.3	798.9	328.8	148.8	1,861.8	**2,317.8**	–	–	–	–	96.7	38.3	131.0	**2,583.9**	235.3	1,499.6	**1,734.9**	51.1	574.7	32.2	87.2	103.8	June
July	453.0	576.5	828.0	335.7	138.1	1,878.4	**2,331.4**	–	–	–	–	91.7	39.9	48.2	**2,511.2**	304.6	1,457.7	**1,762.3**	49.8	500.0	39.6	82.0	77.4	July
Aug.	495.1	524.2	849.8	354.4	131.3	1,859.7	**2,354.8**	–	–	–	–	74.4	40.8	143.3	**2,613.4**	249.6	1,515.0	**1,764.6**	65.4	580.6	35.6	64.4	102.8	Aug.
Sept.	535.3	506.0	672.7	447.5	215.6	1,841.7	**2,377.1**	–	–	–	–	74.8	42.2	108.2	**2,602.1**	255.8	1,513.7	**1,769.5**	46.0	564.0	45.2	64.9	112.4	Sept.
Oct.	557.5	473.8	669.7	451.5	221.4	1,816.4	**2,374.0**	–	–	–	–	68.5	42.8	85.9	**2,571.1**	309.1	1,471.8	**1,780.9**	55.0	575.3	30.7	56.4	72.9	Oct.
Nov.	553.5	467.7	672.7	466.4	222.5	1,829.2	**2,382.8**	–	–	–	–	77.9	43.7	116.9	**2,621.3**	250.5	1,542.9	**1,793.5**	7.4	624.9	31.7	68.2	95.7	Nov.
Dec.	505.2	519.7 [5]	629.7 [5]	507.2 [5]	232.0 [5]	1,888.7 [5]	**2,393.9** [5]	–	–	–	–	77.7	48.0	28.1	**2,547.7**	370.9	1,497.8	**1,868.7**	38.8	511.5	31.2	62.2	35.4	Dec.
1957—Jan.	413.5	678.2	438.8	510.3	229.2	1,856.5	**2,270.0**	*2.1*	–	–	–	75.1	48.9	66.9	**2,460.9**	294.1	1,444.8	**1,738.9**	57.8	524.0	34.3	65.4	40.5	Jan.—1957
Feb.	436.6	616.1	620.4	318.9	224.9	1,780.4	**2,217.0**	*1.2*	–	–	–	84.8	50.1	69.6	**2,421.5**	*	*	**1,717.9**	52.7	497.5	27.2	75.0	51.4	Feb.
Average of Wednesdays																								**Average of Wednesdays**
1956—Feb.	276.9	794.0		1,125.5		1,919.5	**2,196.4**	*1.2*	–	–	–	94.9	35.5	41.6	**2,368.3**	292.1	1,353.0	**1,645.1**	56.0	503.5	35.3	84.0	44.3	Feb.—1956
Mar.	421.6	612.7		1,214.9		1,827.6	**2,249.2**	*3.8*	–	–	–	96.7	36.6	38.8	**2,421.2**	302.3	1,360.3	**1,662.6**	48.6	538.7	34.0	87.9	49.4	Mar.
Apr.	410.2	472.9		1,395.3		1,868.2	**2,278.4**	–	–	–	11.5	97.0	36.9	48.3	**2,472.0**	318.4	1,366.8	**1,685.2**	48.3	556.0	31.0	87.5	64.0	Apr.
May	353.7	723.6		1,195.5		1,919.2	**2,272.9**	*0.2*	–	–	5.1	101.1	36.9	51.3	**2,467.4**	320.4	1,384.4	**1,704.8**	52.4	537.2	28.9	88.7	55.4	May
June	447.9	641.4		1,230.1		1,871.6	**2,319.5**	–	–	–	5.7	95.7	37.2	53.1	**2,511.1**	335.9	1,386.0	**1,721.9**	55.7	550.2	32.1	85.7	65.4	June
July	456.3	588.3		1,286.7		1,875.0	**2,331.3**	*0.8*	–	–	20.3	90.8	38.3	47.5	**2,528.3**	339.6	1,417.6	**1,787.2**	47.9	531.5	32.9	81.0	77.7	July
Aug.	482.7	541.4		1,325.3		1,866.7	**2,349.3**	*1.0*	–	–	6.4	79.4	39.9	56.0	**2,531.0**	332.2	1,434.5	**1,766.7**	51.9	545.6	30.2	69.7	66.8	Aug.
Sept.	505.1	514.9		1,335.0		1,859.9	**2,365.0**	*1.4*	–	–	–	70.7	41.0	42.5	**2,519.3**	342.2	1,430.8	**1,772.9**	47.7	542.8	31.4	60.7	63.7	Sept.
Oct.	526.3	500.7		1,342.1		1,842.8	**2,369.1**	*1.4*	–	–	6.4	70.5	42.2	55.0	**2,543.2**	335.0	1,447.5	**1,782.5**	59.3	538.3	31.4	60.4	71.3	Oct.
Nov.	536.9	455.7		1,352.3		1,808.0	**2,344.9**	*3.8*	–	–	21.3	77.0	42.8	63.6	**2,549.5**	349.9†	1,444.1†	**1,794.1**	45.0	531.4	30.2	67.3	81.6	Nov.
Dec.	525.9	493.4		1,369.4		1,862.8	**2,388.7**	*0.4*	–	–	13.6	75.9	43.7	49.3	**2,571.3**	356.7†	1,481.5†	**1,838.2**	32.6	548.5	30.7	61.6	59.7	Dec.
1957—Jan.	466.4	687.6 [5]		1,178.3 [5]		1,866.0 [5]	**2,332.4** [5]	*1.2*	–	–	6.0	72.6	48.1	55.3	**2,514.3**	378.7	1,423.4	**1,802.2**	57.5	524.5	27.9	63.0	39.3	Jan.—1957
Feb.	402.6	646.2		1,174.1		1,820.3	**2,222.9**	*7.0*	–	–	–	73.8	49.0	60.6	**2,481.3**	325.7	1,400.4	**1,726.0**	64.3	478.3	28.0	64.1	45.5	Feb.
As at																								**As at**
1956—Sept. 5	495.2	528.0		1,333.8		1,861.8	**2,356.9**	–	–	–	–	69.8	40.8	46.7	**2,514.3**	314.8	1,458.1	**1,772.9**	49.6	542.5	29.6	59.7	59.9	5 Sept.—1956
12	493.3	525.0		1,338.0		1,863.0	**2,356.4**	*5.5*	–	–	–	75.6	40.8	33.1	**2,505.9**	350.7	1,425.6	**1,776.3**	40.7	535.9	25.6	65.5	61.9	12
19	513.8	532.7		1,336.2		1,868.9	**2,382.6**	–	–	–	–	68.7	40.8	39.2	**2,531.4**	348.4	1,424.9	**1,773.2**	49.2	557.8	29.7	58.8	62.6	19
26	518.1	514.0		1,332.1		1,846.1	**2,364.2**	–	–	–	–	68.7	41.5	51.0	**2,525.5**	354.8	1,414.5	**1,769.3**	51.3	535.0	40.7	58.6	70.6	26
Oct. 3	536.9	506.1		1,347.8		1,853.9	**2,390.8**	–	–	–	–	71.4	42.1	50.4	**2,544.8**	318.6	1,458.3	**1,776.9**	70.9	534.3	35.7	61.5	75.5	3 Oct.
10	496.0	496.1		1,343.5		1,839.6	**2,335.6**	–	–	–	32.0	68.1	42.1	57.3	**2,535.1**	346.4	1,441.2	**1,787.6**	51.2	539.6	28.6	58.3	69.7	10
17	498.3	524.8		1,338.8		1,863.6	**2,361.9**	*7.2*	–	–	–	71.1	42.1	40.2	**2,515.3**	340.5	1,447.5	**1,788.0**	52.5	509.1	31.8	62.2	71.7	17
24	542.6	502.8		1,337.7		1,840.6	**2,383.1**	–	–	–	–	73.3	42.1	41.3	**2,539.8**	360.4	1,418.7	**1,779.1**	67.1	533.1	30.0	63.5	67.0	24
31	557.5	473.8		1,342.6		1,816.4	**2,374.0**	–	–	–	–	68.5	42.8	85.9	**2,571.1**	309.1	1,471.8	**1,780.9**	55.0	575.3	30.7	56.4	72.9	31
Nov. 7	549.0	451.4		1,345.6		1,797.0	**2,346.0**	–	–	–	–	72.5	42.7	86.3	**2,547.6**	335.6	1,455.9	**1,791.4**	43.9	528.0	29.3	62.7	92.2	7 Nov.
14	529.0	452.1		1,344.7		1,796.8	**2,325.8**	–	–	–	25.0	81.3	42.7	59.4	**2,534.2**	348.6	1,448.0	**1,796.6**	44.8	508.6	28.1	71.7	84.4	14
21	540.6	452.9		1,357.5		1,810.5	**2,351.1**	*15.1*	–	–	10.0	70.2	42.7	72.2	**2,546.2**	355.3	1,441.7	**1,796.9**	41.7	525.5	31.9	60.5	89.7	21
28	528.8	466.3		1,361.5		1,827.7	**2,356.5**	–	–	–	50.0	83.8	43.1	36.8	**2,570.1**	360.3†	1,431.0†	**1,791.3**	49.5	563.6	31.4	74.1	60.1	28
Dec. 5	536.7	468.4		1,363.9		1,832.3	**2,369.0**	–	–	–	–	66.3	43.7	52.4	**2,531.3**	329.2†	1,479.0†	**1,808.2**	50.2	529.2	29.4	56.9	57.4	5 Dec.
12	543.3	481.1		1,370.1		1,851.2	**2,394.6**	*1.4*	–	–	–	77.9	43.7	51.1	**2,567.3**	369.3†	1,457.6†	**1,826.9**	39.9	542.1	27.9	65.8	64.8	12
19	508.3	511.9		1,368.5		1,880.3	**2,388.7**	–	–	–	44.5	79.9	43.6	47.5	**2,604.1**	361.0†	1,491.6†	**1,852.7**	18.6	581.0	27.9	62.1	61.8	19
26	515.3	512.0		1,375.2		1,887.3	**2,402.5**	–	–	–	10.0	79.7	43.8	46.2	**2,582.3**	367.2	1,497.8	**1,865.0**	21.5	541.7	37.8	61.4	54.9	26
1957—Jan. 2	493.3	707.1 [5]		1,177.0 [5]		1,884.2 [5]	**2,377.4** [5]	–	–	–	–	67.5	48.0	86.3	**2,579.2**	384.4	1,482.4	**1,866.8**	72.9	511.1	31.0	58.0	39.4	2 Jan.—1957
9	484.1	678.8		1,178.7		1,857.5	**2,341.6**	*6.0*	–	–	30.0	75.2	48.0	71.8	**2,566.6**	420.4	1,418.0	**1,838.4**	60.5	528.6	29.1	65.5	44.5	9
16	484.2	682.1		1,179.7		1,861.9	**2,346.1**	–	–	–	–	75.8	48.1	39.4	**2,509.4**	373.5	1,427.2	**1,800.7**	50.2	524.9	26.9	66.1	40.5	16
23	454.0	685.8		1,177.6		1,863.4	**2,317.4**	–	–	–	–	73.2	48.3	39.1	**2,477.9**	375.4	1,388.5	**1,763.9**	51.7	534.8	26.9	63.4	37.2	23
30	416.5	684.3		1,178.5		1,862.8	**2,279.3**	–	–	–	–	71.3	48.3	39.7	**2,438.6**	339.8	1,401.1	**1,741.0**	52.1	523.1	25.5	62.0	35.0	30
Feb. 6	383.3	672.4		1,183.8		1,856.2	**2,239.5**	–	–	–	–	82.6	48.9	56.4	**2,427.5**	327.7	1,409.5	**1,737.2**	60.1	481.0	31.4	72.9	45.0	6 Feb.
13	391.5	654.9		1,182.6		1,837.5	**2,229.0**	*7.8*	–	–	–	69.9	48.9	41.1	**2,388.9**	338.0	1,391.9	**1,729.9**	50.2	469.9	29.4	60.3	49.2	13
20	401.1	638.6		1,161.9		1,800.5	**2,201.6**	*20.4*	–	–	–	69.2	48.9	47.4	**2,367.1**	329.0	1,392.3	**1,721.3**	48.6	466.8	25.6	59.4	45.5	20
27	434.4	619.0		1,168.1		1,787.1	**2,221.4**	–	–	–	–	73.4	49.3	97.5	**2,441.7**	308.1	1,407.7	**1,715.8**	98.4	495.6	25.6	63.8	42.4	27

1. Foreign exchange and foreign securities exceeding market values" to amortized values, and for this reason figures for Dec. 31 and later dates are not comparable with those for earlier dates. 2. Industrial Development Bank capital stock, bonds and debentures. 3. Bank premises and all other assets. * Not available. † Revised. 4. Capital, rest fund and all other liabilities. 5. On Dec. 31, 1956, the basis for the valuation of securities held by the Bank of Canada was changed from "not

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CHARTERED BANKS

MONTHLY SERIES

Bank of Canada

Millions of Dollars

I. CANADIAN CASH RESERVES★

	Cash Reserves: Bank of Canada Deposits	Cash Reserves: Bank of Canada Notes	Cash Reserves: Total	Canadian Dollar Deposit Liabilities	Average Cash Reserve Ratio 1
Averages					
1951	567	225	**792**	7,759	10.2
1952	606	239	**844**	8,110	10.4
1953	627	256	**883**	8,624	10.2
1954 1st Half	634	260	**894**	8,820	10.1
1954 2nd Half★	525	286	**811**	9,097	8.9
1955	541	293	**834**	9,915	8.4
1956	548	325	**873**	10,527	8.3
1955—Aug.	552	293	**845**	10,222	8.3
Sept.	542	303	**845**	10,264	8.2
Oct.	556	301	**857**	10,314	8.3
Nov.	549	313	**861**	10,383	8.3
Dec.	552	312	**863**	10,487	8.2
1956—Jan.	568	310	**877**	10,515	8.4
Feb.	504	354	**858**	10,448	8.2
Mar.	542	299	**841**	10,285	8.2
Apr.	561	294	**855**	10,357	8.3
May	545	310	**856**	10,409	8.2
June	560	318	**878**	10,597	8.3
July	544	332	**876**	10,608	8.3
Aug.	563	338	**900**	10,649	8.5
Sept.	549	328	**877**	10,563	8.3
Oct.	544	340	**885**	10,607	8.3
Nov.	539	341	**881**	10,591	8.3
Dec.	553	338	**890**	10,704	8.3
1957—Jan.	523	355	**878**	10,660	8.2
Feb.*	475	388	**863**	10,524	8.2

II. LIABILITIES

	Advances from Bank of Canada	Canadian Dollar Deposits: Govt. of Canada	Canadian Dollar Deposits: Provincial Governments	Canadian Dollar Deposits: Personal Savings	Canadian Dollar Deposits: Other Notice	Canadian Dollar Deposits: Other Banks 2	Canadian Dollar Deposits: Public Demand	Canadian Dollar Deposits: Total	Foreign Currency Deposits	Acceptances, Guarantees, & Letters of Credit	All Other Liabilities	Shareholders Equity 3	Total Liabilities	
As at Dec. 31														**As at Dec. 31**
1951	–	88	185	4,296	316	95	2,993	**7,973**	878	225	7	375	**9,458**	1951
1952	–	49	214	4,600	325	75	3,373	**8,636**	905	199	7	381	**10,128**	1952
1953	–	473	166	4,756	278	69	3,368	**9,111**	963	155	8	419	**10,656**	1953
1954	–	176	190	5,218	397	104	3,597	**9,683**	1,030	155	43	521	**11,433**	1954
1955	2	517	181	5,633	464	139	3,915	**10,848**	1,056	203	26	567	**12,702**	1955
1956	–	246	169	6,007	444	116	4,180	**11,162**	1,369	210	34	653	**13,428**	1956
End of														**End of**
1955—Aug.	–	174	163	5,696	599	134	3,607	**10,368**	1,032	181	20	552	**12,153**	Aug.–1955
Sept.	–	134	213	5,757	576	142	3,725	**10,547**	1,044	189	21	552	**12,353**	Sept.
Oct.	15	165	158	5,839	526	156	3,924	**10,768**	1,048	200	39	560	**12,629**	Oct.
Nov.	2	543	143	5,615	477	136	3,735	**10,650**	1,098	211	30	567	**12,557**	Nov.
Dec.	2	517	181	5,633	464	139	3,915	**10,848**	1,056	203	26	567	**12,702**	Dec.
1956—Jan.	–	501	148	5,676	469	117	3,596	**10,507**	1,070	216	28	567	**12,387**	Jan.–1956
Feb.	–	493	152	5,721	476	123	3,483	**10,449**	1,118	226	21	567	**12,380**	Feb.
Mar.	5	488	223	5,791	466	125	3,316	**10,408**	1,148	229	21	568	**12,380**	Mar.
Apr.	–	355	162	5,919	480	124	3,766	**10,805**	1,185	220	27	569	**12,806**	Apr.
May	16	494	168	5,844	485	110	3,554	**10,655**	1,203	216	24	587	**12,700**	May
June	–	413	172	5,881	459	118	3,817	**10,860**	1,236	217	23	609	**12,944**	June
July	–	279	143	5,923	472	115	3,773	**10,706**	1,315	210	27	619	**12,878**	July
Aug.	–	275	123	5,941	477	110	3,731	**10,658**	1,354	226	24	628	**12,889**	Aug.
Sept.	–	281	117	6,020	476	110	3,812	**10,816**	1,315	223	23	631	**13,008**	Sept.
Oct.	–	153	154	6,098	453	155	3,846	**10,859**	1,334	216	48	647	**13,104**	Oct.
Nov.	–	417	103	5,974	439	123	3,821	**10,877**	1,376	221	38	652	**13,164**	Nov.
Dec.	–	246	169	6,007	444	116	4,180	**11,162**	1,369	210	34	653	**13,428**	Dec.
1957—Jan.	–	254	138	6,039	438	110	3,499	**10,479**	1,409	209	41	653	**12,791**	Jan.–1957

III. ASSETS

	Bank of Canada Deposits and Notes	Cdn. Day-to-Day Loans	Treasury Bills	Government of Canada Direct and Guaranteed Bonds 6: 2 yrs. and under	Government of Canada Direct and Guaranteed Bonds 6: Over 2 years	Government of Canada Direct and Guaranteed Bonds 6: Total	Other Canadian Securities 6: Provincial 7, 8	Other Canadian Securities 6: Municipal 8	Other Canadian Securities 6: Corporate	Other Canadian Securities 6: Total	Ins. Res. Mtges.	Call and Short 9: To Stock-Brokers 11	Call and Short 9: To Others	Mortgages and Loans 9 in Canada: Provincial 8	Mortgages and Loans 9 in Canada: Municipal 8	
As at Dec. 31																**As at Dec. 31**
1951	892	–	236	499	2,019	2,518	321	167	393	881	–	78	30	68	94	1951
1952	899	–	138	869	1,777	2,647	304	159	370	834	–	73	82	79	97	1952
1953	888	–	244	482	2,034	2,516	280	152	341	773	–	61	92	65	96	1953
1954	791	68	360	636	2,318	2,953	264	177	353	794	74	68	75	61	103	1954
1955	840	81	427	475	2,157	2,632	322	218	482	1,022	294	112	67	83	124	1955
1956	882	74	740	406	1,269	1,675	269	185	510	964	493	90	62	95	177	1956
End of																**End of**
1955–July	772	109	412	424	2,862	3,286	316	205	438	959	162	99	61	13	122	Aug.–1955
Aug.	819	90	418	416	2,838	3,254	317	212	444	973	184	94	46	19	115	Aug.
Sept.	796	44	369	401	2,775	3,175	337	214	449	999	209	88	45	33	130	Sept.
Oct.	858	86	337	646	2,484	3,130	338	219	469	1,027	236	94	52	51	125	Oct.
Nov.	852	54	327	564	2,364	2,928	336	218	479	1,034	264	99	48	83	121	Nov.
Dec.	840	81	427	475	2,157	2,632	322	218	482	1,022	294	112	67	83	124	Dec.
1956–Jan.	819	59	512	436	2,047	2,482	317	213	480	1,009	317	113	52	60	143	Jan.–1956
Feb.	759	82	564	406	1,993	2,400	308	210	489	1,007	331	116	56	54	166	Feb.
Mar.	725	75	593	398	1,922	2,319	298	210	485	993	345	109	53	6	200	Mar.
Apr.	836	43	756	350	1,695	2,045	295	211	489	995	361	120	56	16	223	Apr.
May	824	64	767	558	1,424	1,982	297	208	504	1,010	377	118	73	33	215	May
June	810	97	772	557	1,398	1,955	291	206	510	1,007	393	121	57	27	157	June
July	805	109	742	511	1,383	1,893	292	202	511	1,005	412	127	58	36	150	July
Aug.	830	68	814	522	1,325	1,847	291	200	520	1,010	432	123	37	57	145	Aug.
Sept.	820	114	786	526	1,322	1,848	286	197	519	1,003	448	110	38	81	167	Sept.
Oct.	884	85	791	464	1,320	1,784	295	197	516	1,008	471	104	39	83	168	Oct.
Nov.	875	64	743	485	1,280	1,765	265	192	518	975	489	89	36	124	152	Nov.
Dec.	882	74	740	406	1,269	1,675	269	185	510	964	493	90	62	95	177	Dec.
1957–Jan. 5	818	86	800	503 4	1,232 4	1,735 4	284 4	178	501 5	963	500	86	40	60	201	Jan. 5–1957

	Loans 9 In Canada: Grain Dealers 10, 11	Loans 9 In Canada: C.S.B. 11, 12	Loans 9 In Canada: Sub-Total 11	Loans 9 In Canada: General Loans 11	Loans 9 In Canada: Total Loans	Total 9	Canadian Dollar Items in Transit (Net)	Foreign Cash Items Securities & Loans: Cash Items 13	Foreign Cash Items Securities & Loans: Foreign Sec.	Foreign Cash Items Securities & Loans: Loans Outside Canada	Customers' Liability Under Acceptances, Guarantees, & Letters of Credit	All Other Assets 14	Total Assets	
As at Dec. 31														**As at Dec. 31**
1951	177	137	583	2,587	3,171	**4,052**	512	254	206	409	225	154	**9,458**	1951
1952	257	146	734	2,786	3,519	**4,353**	752	283	262	435	199	160	**10,128**	1952
1953	391	165	871	3,235	4,105	**4,878**	751	280	244	540	155	160	**10,656**	1953
1954	404	147	859	3,236	4,095	**4,963**	827	332	322	488	155	174	**11,433**	1954
1955	361	163	910	3,979	4,889	**6,205**	1,002	327	282	518	203	185	**12,702**	1955
1956	373	169	966	4,431	5,397	**6,854**	1,330	356	375	720	210	213	**13,428**	1956
End of														**End of**
1955–July	338	44	678	3,604	4,281	**5,402**	649	302	296	514	179	187	**12,109**	Aug.–1955
Aug.	352	31	657	3,672	4,329	**5,486**	571	301	303	539	181	190	**12,153**	Aug.
Sept.	360	20	676	3,750	4,426	**5,634**	803	297	314	540	189	191	**12,353**	Sept.
Oct.	369	7	699	3,889	4,588	**5,850**	835	301	300	546	200	186	**12,629**	Oct.
Nov.	368	185	904	3,955	4,859	**6,157**	677	309	297	561	211	183	**12,557**	Nov.
Dec.	361	163	910	3,979	4,889	**6,205**	1,002	327	282	518	203	185	**12,702**	Dec.
1956–Jan.	360	144	872	4,029	4,901	**6,227**	736	297	291	554	216	193	**12,387**	Jan.–1956
Feb.	356	129	877	4,086	4,962	**6,300**	677	301	293	585	226	192	**12,380**	Feb.
Mar.	354	114	836	4,234	5,069	**6,407**	629	310	295	607	229	190	**12,380**	Mar.
Apr.	319	97	831	4,352	5,183	**6,539**	936	314	314	611	220	193	**12,806**	Apr.
May	312	76	828	4,460	5,288	**6,675**	717	296	326	632	216	202	**12,700**	May
June	340	60	763	4,535	5,297	**6,698**	920	294	339	641	217	201	**12,944**	June
July	350	45	765	4,541	5,307	**6,724**	836	314	380	657	210	207	**12,878**	July
Aug.	358	34	753	4,569	5,321	**6,763**	697	334	355	750	226	205	**12,889**	Aug.
Sept.	341	22	759	4,521	5,280	**6,731**	859	313	396	711	223	207	**13,008**	Sept.
Oct.	359	4	756	4,609	5,365	**6,845**	843	381	371	701	216	203	**13,104**	Oct.
Nov.	361	193	955	4,575	5,531	**6,994**	878	314	395	712	221	202	**13,164**	Nov.
Dec.	373	169	966	4,431	5,397	**6,854**	1,330	356	375	720	210	213	**13,428**	Dec.
1957–Jan. 5	359	150	896	4,408 5	5,304 5	**6,768** 5	715	311	370	763 5	209	216	**12,791**	Jan. 5–1957

★ For periods prior to July 1954 all figures in this section are daily averages. From July 1954, in accordance with section 71 of the Bank Act of 1954, Bank of Canada deposits are averages of the juridical days in the month shown while Bank of Canada notes and Canadian dollar deposit liabilities are averages of the 4 consecutive Wednesdays ending with the second last Wednesday in the previous month.

1. Prior to July 1st, 1954, the statutory minimum requirement was 5 per cent for each day; since that date it has been a monthly average of 8 per cent, calculated as described in footnote★.
2. Mainly deposits of foreign banks.
3. Capital, rest fund, and undivided profits as at the latest fiscal year-end.
4. Beginning January 31, 1957, month-end figures for chartered bank holdings of Government of Canada and provincial government securities are based on "amortized value" and are therefore not directly comparable with figures for preceding month-ends, which are based on "not exceeding market value".
5. Beginning January 31, 1957, figures for certain chartered bank asset items are not strictly comparable with those for earlier dates, owing to the reallocation of inner reserves consequent upon the securities valuation change referred to in footnote 4. Investment reserves which became redundant were reallocated to apply against other asset items, mainly general loans, loans outside Canada and corporate securities.
6. Including issues payable in foreign currency.
7. Includes securities guaranteed by provincial governments.
8. Securities purchased direct from issuer with a term of less than one year at time of issue are classified as loans.
9. Excluding Canadian day-to-day loans.
10. Loans to grain dealers and exporters.
11. "Call & Short loans to Stockbrokers", "Grain Dealers", "Canada Savings Bonds" and "General Loans" are Research Department estimates.
12. Loans to finance the purchase of Canada Savings Bonds at time of issue.
13. Includes deposits with other banks in foreign currencies, foreign bank notes, gold and coin outside Canada and foreign currency items in transit (net).
14. Includes bank premises, shares of and loans to controlled corporations, gold and coin in Canada, Canadian dollar deposits with other banks, non-current loans and other assets. * Preliminary.

NOTE: For data back to 1946 see pages 14–21 in the "Financial Supplement 1954" and pages 14–17 in the "Financial Supplement 1955".

CHARTERED BANKS

Estimated Weekly Series

Bank of Canada

Millions of Dollars

	Bank of Canada Deposits & Notes ★	Cdn. Day-to-Day Loans	Treasury Bills	Govt. of Canada Bonds 1	Other Canadian Securities, Insured Residential: Other Canadian Securities: Provincial 1, 3, 4	Municipal 4	Corporate	Total	Insured Residential Mortgages	Call & Short 2: To Stock-Brokers	To Others	Provincial 4	Municipal 4
Average of Wednesdays													
1955—Feb.	762	60	450	3,086	269	180	366	816	92	117		55	105
Mar.	780	80	423	3,122	290	182	374	846	105	137		41	134
Apr.	817	87	388	3,172	294	189	388	872	114	115		8	160
May	817	93	419	3,210	296	198	394	888	124	78	54	10	151
June	803	111	409	3,229	313	204	409	926	138	83	63	23	130
July	854	114	391	3,268	312	203	435	950	152	94	88	17	132
Aug.	848	80	416	3,270	315	211	437	964	173	95	52	16	115
Sept.	852	54	379	3,210	334	211	443	988	196	95	40	32	123
Oct.	859	50	363	3,127	336	213	449	997	221	94	52	38	130
Nov.	854	53	298	3,051	336	215	473	1,024	250	99	55	66	117
Dec.	879	57	375	2,721	329	217	482	1,029	281	106	56	94	121
1956—Jan.	921	55	442	2,541	320	214	478	1,012	303	107	53	67	126
Feb.	796	80	542	2,432	312	211	482	1,005	324	114	53	54	147
Mar.	841	61	570	2,352	297	208	482	987	339	117	48	33	179
Apr.	874	17	640	2,184	295	208	480	984	352	119	57	11	213
May	858	59	759	1,994	294	207	489	990	368	126	65	24	216
June	886	78	760	1,932	289	206	504	1,000	385	119	62	39	188
July	871	77	739	1,906	288	202	509	999	400	128	58	25	151
Aug.	878	62	790	1,871	290	200	514	1,004	420	127	41	41	145
Sept.	885	78	798	1,850	289	197	516	1,002	438	120	35	61	153
Oct.	873	76	785	1,826	293	195	517	1,005	459	107	40	69	167
Nov.	880	79	771	1,773	280	191	515	987	480	95	36	108	142
Dec.	904	70	747	1,706	267	186	510	964	493	88	53	124	159
1957—Jan.	903	80	766	1,629	265	179	506	950	496	89	47	66	186
As at													
1956—July 4	836	56	765	1,930	287	203	509	999	395	125	57	19	153
11	889	86	739	1,899	287	202	509	998	397	135	45	21	151
18	881	87	720	1,896	289	202	506	997	401	124	66	30	150
25	878	81	733	1,897	289	201	510	1,001	407	126	63	29	149
Aug. 1	800	95	749	1,897	289	201	512	1,001	411	128	55	34	145
8	885	94	728	1,887	289	200	513	1,002	415	132	44	37	145
15	939	44	806	1,860	290	200	513	1,003	421	131	33	41	141
22	881	45	834	1,862	293	200	513	1,006	423	122	37	43	146
29	884	32	832	1,848	288	200	518	1,006	429	122	36	49	148
Sept. 5	857	59	810	1,848	287	198	515	1,000	432	122	33	54	145
12	887	90	784	1,850	290	198	515	1,003	436	122	34	58	146
19	906	67	796	1,854	290	197	517	1,005	441	122	37	63	157
26	890	95	803	1,848	289	197	516	1,002	445	114	37	67	165
Oct. 3	853	68	797	1,854	292	195	518	1,005	449	111	42	57	163
10	886	76	792	1,852	292	195	518	1,005	452	106	38	64	164
17	850	79	778	1,829	292	195	514	1,001	458	109	44	69	167
24	893	71	763	1,811	293	195	519	1,007	463	107	38	70	171
31	884	85	791	1,784	295	197	516	1,008	471	104	39	83	168
Nov. 7	864	70	790	1,784	291	191	518	1,000	473	98	40	92	144
14	857	69	795	1,775	284	191	515	990	478	96	33	99	138
21	881	80	761	1,762	281	192	515	987	482	93	35	121	140
28	922	97	738	1,772	265	191	514	971	486	91	35	122	145
Dec. 5	858	51	753	1,756	264	186	513	963	490	90	48	134	151
12	908	63	750	1,722	270	187	512	969	493	87	50	128	156
19	940	92	737	1,682	268	185	509	962	497	87	57	118	161
26	909	75	749	1,665	268	185	507	961	494	89	57	113	169
1957—Jan. 2	896	69	753	1,660	265	182	506	953	493	89	59	86	175
9	949	68	753	1,639	265	180	505	950	494	90	45	67	180
16	898	76	762	1,624	265	178	506	948	498	90	48	59	184
23	910	101	762	1,615	266	178	506	950	496	88	42	60	191
30	863	86	804	1,608	265	178	507	950	499	86	39	60	201
Feb. 6	809	110	818	1,607	264	180	507	951	499	85	40	67	187
13	808	115	814	1,626	264	179	506	950	501	86	37	72	195
20	796	117	812	1,642	266	178	505	950	503	85	55	74	204

	Mortgages and Loans 2 in Canada: Loans 2 in Canada: Grain Dealers 5	C.S.B. 6	Sub-Total	General Loans	Total Loans	Total 2	Estimated Items in Transit (net)	Canadian Dollar Deposits: Personal Savings	Govt. of Canada Deposits	All Other	Total	
Average of Wednesdays												
1955—Feb.	393	120	791	3,212	4,002	**4,910**	442	5,316	187	3,923	**9,427**	Feb.—1955
Mar.	363	104	780	3,243	4,023	**4,974**	499	5,391	174	4,022	**9,588**	Mar.
Apr.	343	89	716	3,308	4,024	**5,011**	467	5,453	69	4,148	**9,669**	Apr.
May	321	74	688	3,408	4,096	**5,109**	506	5,500	122	4,254	**9,876**	May
June	317	60	676	3,486	4,162	**5,226**	561	5,529	158	4,374	**10,061**	June
July	337	48	716	3,570	4,286	**5,388**	516	5,599	200	4,456	**10,255**	July
Aug.	351	36	665	3,653	4,318	**5,454**	491	5,670	182	4,433	**10,285**	Aug.
Sept.	353	24	665	3,737	4,402	**5,586**	506	5,727	165	4,421	**10,313**	Sept.
Oct.	361	12	687	3,817	4,504	**5,722**	546	5,775	124	4,492	**10,392**	Oct.
Nov.	369	112	817	3,948	4,766	**6,040**	558	5,655	443	4,421	**10,520**	Nov.
Dec.	359	174	909	3,988	4,897	**6,206**	605	5,603	541	4,351	**10,495**	Dec.
1956—Jan.	361	153	868	4,015	4,884	**6,199**	562	5,651	510	4,228	**10,390**	Jan.—1956
Feb.	358	136	863	4,069	4,932	**6,261**	539	5,693	495	4,136	**10,324**	Feb.
Mar.	355	119	852	4,156	5,008	**6,333**	511	5,754	530	4,057	**10,342**	Mar.
Apr.	331	103	834	4,287	5,121	**6,456**	591	5,822	367	4,234	**10,423**	Apr.
May	313	85	830	4,427	5,256	**6,615**	654	5,859	437	4,298	**10,595**	May
June	321	66	794	4,537	5,331	**6,716**	622	5,867	488	4,275	**10,630**	June
July	340	53	753	4,552	5,305	**6,704**	721	5,898	296	4,428	**10,623**	July
Aug.	355	39	747	4,571	5,319	**6,742**	613	5,918	307	4,338	**10,563**	Aug.
Sept.	341	26	737	4,563	5,300	**6,740**	669	5,982	312	4,342	**10,635**	Sept.
Oct.	347	11	740	4,571	5,312	**6,776**	700	6,047	184	4,413	**10,644**	Oct.
Nov.	357	130	867	4,581	5,449	**6,915**	640	5,992	370	4,299†	**10,661†**	Nov.
Dec.	361	178	963	4,512	5,475	**6,932**	684†	5,960	341	4,355†	**10,655†**	Dec.
1957—Jan.	361	158	907	4,482	5,389	**6,835**	647	5,993	242	4,257	**10,491**	Jan.—1957
As at												As at
1956—July 4	339	57	751	4,544	5,296	**6,690**	875	5,921	262	4,586	**10,770**	4 July—1956
11	345	54	751	4,555	5,307	**6,702**	616	5,892	325	4,316	**10,532**	11
18	337	51	758	4,556	5,315	**6,712**	736	5,887	305	4,428	**10,620**	18
25	337	48	752	4,551	5,303	**6,711**	657	5,893	293	4,383	**10,569**	25
Aug. 1	344	45	750	4,558	5,308	**6,720**	723	5,924	266	4,406	**10,596**	1 Aug.
8	359	42	760	4,586	5,345	**6,762**	560	5,918	327	4,275	**10,520**	8
15	360	39	746	4,562	5,308	**6,731**	590	5,920	314	4,325	**10,559**	15
22	358	36	742	4,566	5,307	**6,737**	600	5,914	329	4,334	**10,577**	22
29	353	34	740	4,585	5,326	**6,761**	592	5,914	301	4,348	**10,563**	29
Sept. 5	349	31	734	4,581	5,315	**6,747**	721	5,972	304	4,379	**10,656**	5 Sept.
12	340	28	728	4,581	5,308	**6,747**	613	5,953	341	4,289	**10,584**	12
19	341	25	745	4,546	5,291	**6,737**	654	6,002	307	4,315	**10,624**	19
26	336	22	741	4,542	5,284	**6,730**	689	5,998	295	4,385	**10,678**	26
Oct. 3	336	18	727	4,563	5,290	**6,744**	727	6,046	191	4,419	**10,656**	3 Oct.
10	342	15	729	4,612	5,340	**6,797**	597	6,032	215	4,337	**10,585**	10
17	348	11	748	4,539	5,287	**6,746**	703	6,033	175	4,387	**10,595**	17
24	349	7	742	4,534	5,276	**6,746**	628	6,023	187	4,316	**10,526**	24
31	359	4	756	4,609	5,365	**6,845**	843	6,098	153	4,608	**10,859**	31
Nov. 7	354	36	765	4,627	5,392	**6,865**	631†	6,048	293	4,296	**10,636**	7 Nov.
14	356	97	819	4,577	5,397	**6,864**	612	5,995	297	4,284	**10,576**	14
21	356	193	938	4,549	5,487	**6,956**	692†	5,969	488	4,289	**10,745**	21
28	361	193	947	4,572	5,519	**6,975**	626†	5,955	404	4,326†	**10,685†**	28
Dec. 5	357	187	967	4,570	5,538	**6,990**	663†	5,984	371	4,334†	**10,689†**	5 Dec.
12	359	181	961	4,509	5,470	**6,932**	584†	5,946	385	4,255†	**10,586†**	12
19	366	175	965	4,483	5,448	**6,907**	753†	5,954	330	4,399†	**10,682†**	19
26	363	169	960	4,485	5,445	**6,900**	735	5,956	279	4,431	**10,665**	26
1957—Jan. 2	364	165	939	4,472	5,411	**6,857**	997	6,009	164	4,706	**10,879**	2 Jan.—1957
9	361	162	905	4,499	5,404	**6,848**	520	5,985	233	4,175	**10,393**	9
16	363	158	902	4,485	5,387	**6,833**	660	5,985	262	4,232	**10,479**	16
23	360	154	896	4,473	5,369	**6,815**	514	5,984	295	4,068	**10,346**	23
30	359	150	896	4,478	5,374	**6,822**	544	6,000	257	4,102	**10,359**	30
Feb. 6	358	146	882	4,490	5,372	**6,821**	522	6,041	332	3,944	**10,318**	6 Feb.
13	354	142	885	4,474	5,360	**6,810**	518	6,036	324	3,959	**10,320**	13
20	356	138	911	4,472	5,383	**6,835**	585	6,043	340	4,036	**10,419**	20

★ For data on cash reserves, see section 1 of table on page 37. 1. Valued at "not exceeding market value". 2. Excluding Canadian day-to-day loans. 3. Includes securities guaranteed by provincial governments. 4. Securities purchased direct from issuer with a term of less than 1 year at time of issue are classified as loans. 5. Loans to grain dealers and exporters. 6. Loans to finance the purchase of Canada Savings Bonds at time of issue. † Revised.

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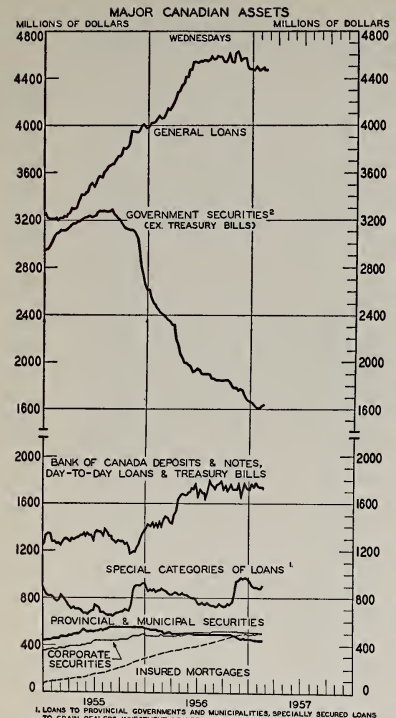
CHARTERED BANKS

ASSETS AND LIABILITIES



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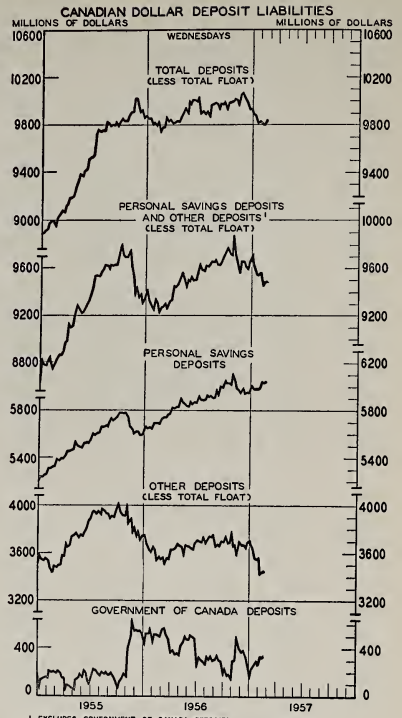

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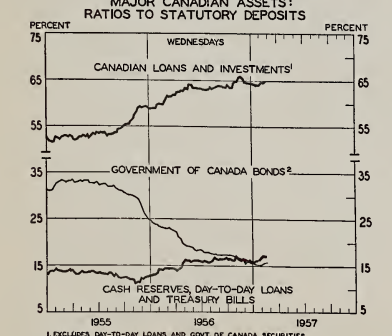

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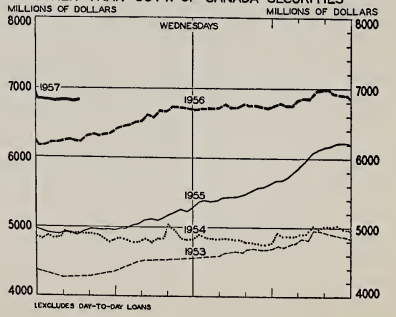

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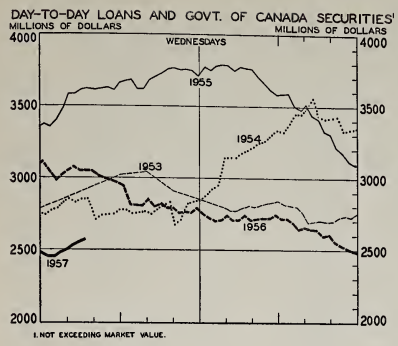
CHARTERED BANKS

SELECTED ASSETS



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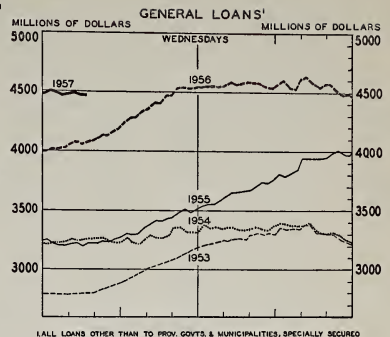

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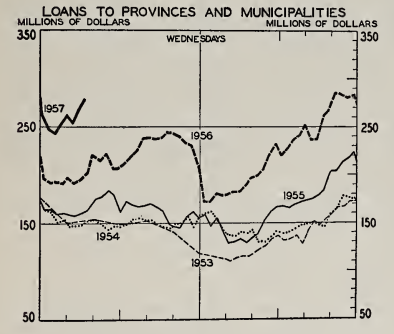

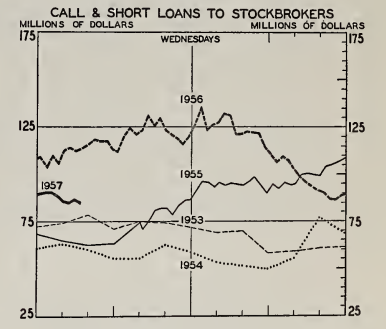

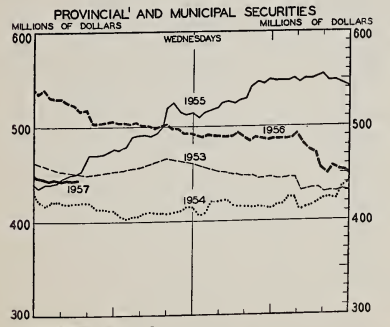

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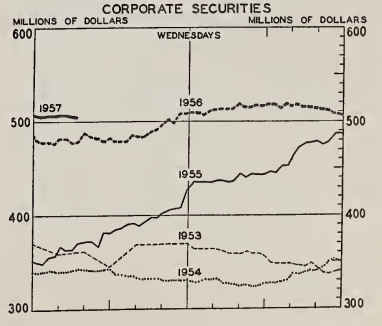

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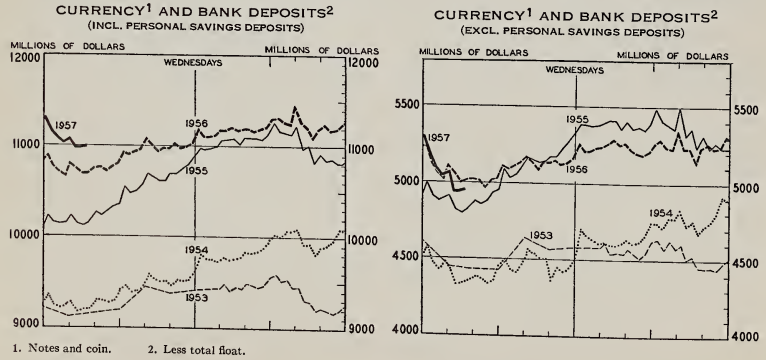
CANADIAN DOLLAR CURRENCY AND BANK DEPOSITS HELD BY THE GENERAL PUBLIC

Millions of Dollars — *Bank of Canada*

	Currency Outside Banks			Chartered Bank Deposits			Total Currency and Chartered Bank Deposits[1]	
	Notes	Coin	Total	Personal Savings Deposits	Other Deposits[1]	Total[1]	Excluding Personal Savings Deposits	Including Personal Savings Deposits
As at Dec. 31								
1952	1,289	88	1,377	4,600	3,281	7,881	4,658	9,258
1953	1,335	94	1,429	4,756	3,129	7,885	4,558	9,314
1954	1,362	96	1,458	5,218	3,462	8,680	4,920	10,137
1955	1,449	101	1,550	5,633	3,697	9,330	5,248	10,881
1956	1,498	108	1,605	6,007	3,580	9,587	5,185	11,192
End of								
1955—July	1,413	98	1,511	5,630	3,886	9,516	5,397	11,027
Aug.	1,374	97	1,471	5,696	3,931	9,627	5,402	11,098
Sept.	1,436	99	1,535	5,757	3,853	9,610	5,388	11,145
Oct.	1,397	100	1,497	5,839	3,929	9,768	5,426	11,265
Nov.	1,395	100	1,495	5,615	3,815	9,430	5,310	10,925
Dec.	1,449	101	1,550	5,633	3,697	9,330	5,248	10,881
1956—Jan.	1,358	98	1,457	5,676	3,593	9,269	5,049	10,726
Feb.	1,375	99	1,474	5,721	3,557	9,278	5,031	10,753
Mar.	1,458	102	1,561	5,791	3,501	9,292	5,062	10,853
Apr.	1,415	102	1,517	5,919	3,596	9,514	5,113	11,031
May	1,425	102	1,527	5,844	3,600	9,444	5,127	10,972
June	1,500	104	1,604	5,881	3,646	9,527	5,250	11,131
July	1,458	103	1,561	5,923	3,668	9,591	5,229	11,152
Aug.	1,515	106	1,621	5,941	3,745	9,686	5,366	11,306
Sept.	1,514	106	1,620	6,020	3,656	9,676	5,276	11,295
Oct.	1,472	106	1,578	6,098	3,764	9,862	5,342	11,440
Nov.	1,543	108	1,651	5,974	3,607	9,582	5,258	11,233
Dec.	1,498	108	1,605	6,007	3,580	9,587	5,185	11,192
1957—Jan.	1,445	104	1,549	6,039	3,470	9,509	5,019	11,058

1. Less total float, i.e. cheques and other items in transit (net). Excludes Government of Canada deposits.

CURRENCY AND CHARTERED BANK DEPOSITS HELD BY THE GENERAL PUBLIC



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CLASSIFICATION OF GOVERNMENT OF CANADA DIRECT AND GUARANTEED SECURITIES

Millions of Dollars, Par Value — *Bank of Canada*

	Direct Funded Debt Outstanding							Guaranteed Funded Debt	Total Outstanding[2]
	Treasury Bills	Treasury Notes	Deposit Certificates	Other Unmatured Market Issues	Matured and Outstanding Market Issues	Non-market Issues[1]	Total		
As at Dec. 31									
1952	450	750	200	11,995	19	1,250	14,664	522	**15,186**
1953	650	750	–	12,066	19	1,632	15,117	520	**15,637**
1954	780	750	–	10,854	74	2,090	14,548	918	**15,466**
1955	1,225	500	–	10,952	30	2,433	15,140	860	**16,000**
1956	1,575	–	–	10,298	27	2,541	14,441	793	**15,234**
End of									
1956—Jan.	1,300	500	–	10,903	34	2,420	15,157	860	**16,017**
Feb.	1,430	500	–	10,903	32	2,405	15,270	793	**16,063**
Mar.	1,600	500	–	10,903	30	2,387	15,420	793	**16,213**
Apr.	1,650	500	–	10,903	30	2,363	15,446	793	**16,239**
May	1,690	–	–	10,903	28	2,327	14,948	793	**15,741**
June	1,690	–	–	10,848	35	2,293	14,866	793	**15,659**
July	1,700	–	–	10,448	34	2,264	14,446	793	**15,238**
Aug.	1,710	–	–	10,448	30	2,237	14,425	793	**15,218**
Sept.	1,730	–	–	10,448	29	2,210	14,417	793	**15,210**
Oct.	1,720	–	–	10,448	28	2,199	14,395	793	**15,188**
Nov.	1,625	–	–	10,448	26	2,593	14,692	793	**15,485**
Dec.	1,575	–	–	10,298	27	2,541	14,441	793	**15,234**
1957—Jan.	1,565	–	–	10,298	23	2,508	14,394	793	**15,187**

For footnotes see table below.

DISTRIBUTION OF GOVERNMENT OF CANADA DIRECT AND GUARANTEED SECURITIES

Millions of Dollars, Par Value — *Bank of Canada*

	Bank of Canada	Chartered Banks[3]	Government of Canada Accounts			General Public			Total Outstanding[2]
			Securities Investment Account[4]	Unemployment Insurance Fund	Other	Market Issues[3]	Non-market Issues[1]	Total[3]	
As at Dec. 31									
1952	2,271	2,905	47	859	195	7,659	1,250	8,909	**15,186**
1953	2,322	2,862	119	919	267	7,516	1,632	9,148	**15,637**
1954	2,267	3,375	–	892	312	6,530	2,090	8,620	**15,466**
1955	2,416	3,132	200	884	407	6,528	2,433	8,961	**16,000**
1956	2,426	2,534	160	924	434	6,215	2,541	8,756	**15,234**
End of									
1956—Jan.	2,276	3,067	345	884	400	6,625	2,420	9,045	**16,017**
Feb.	2,246	3,027	475	867	410	6,633	2,405	9,038	**16,063**
Mar.	2,290	2,978	695	853	401	6,609	2,387	8,996	**16,213**
Apr.	2,346	2,872	810	838	413	6,597	2,363	8,960	**16,239**
May	2,299	2,815	350	841	415	6,694	2,327	9,021	**15,741**
June	2,374	2,797	341	850	415	6,589	2,293	8,882	**15,659**
July	2,387	2,717	80	862	414	6,514	2,264	8,778	**15,238**
Aug.	2,428	2,750	105	880	418	6,400	2,237	8,637	**15,218**
Sept.	2,453	2,732	105	895	422	6,393	2,210	8,603	**15,210**
Oct.	2,454	2,675	165	909	421	6,365	2,199	8,564	**15,188**
Nov.	2,478	2,624	190	919	430	6,251	2,593	8,844	**15,485**
Dec.	2,426	2,534	160	924	434	6,215	2,541	8,756	**15,234**
1957—Jan.	2,302	2,538	182	917	437	6,303	2,508	8,811	**15,187**

1. Refundable Tax, War Savings Certificates and Canada Savings Bonds, and since May 1, 1954, Canada Savings Bonds only.
2. Foreign pay issues are converted at the rate of £1 = $2.80 U.S. = $2.80 Cdn. Excludes sinking fund and government account "N" holdings of Newfoundland sterling securities guaranteed by the Government of Canada. For details by issue at December 31, 1956, see table on page 362 of the December, 1956 Statistical Summary.
3. Chartered bank holdings are shown at estimated par value; the figures for general public holdings are residuals obtained by deducting all other holdings from the total outstanding.
4. Market issues only, i.e., excludes holdings of Canada Savings Bonds being purchased on the payroll plan by Government employees, which are included under general public holdings of non-market issues.

MONEY MARKET STATISTICS

WEEKLY SERIES

Bank of Canada

	Bank of Canada[1]			Chartered Banks					Treasury Bills[2]				Distribution of Govt. of Canada Direct and Gtd. Securities[2] (Including Treasury Bills)								
	Outstanding Advances to Chartered and Savings Banks	Can. Govt. Securities Held Under Purchase & Resale Agreements		Cash Ratio Statutory Basis		Day-to-Day Loans			Weekly Tender on Thurs. following Wed. date shown				Distribution								
		At Date	Maximum During Week	At Date	Average: Month to Date	Closing Rate	Wkly Av. of Daily Closing Rates	Amount Outstanding	Average Yield 3 Month Bills	Average Yield 9 Month Bills	Amount Sold 3 Month Bills	Amount Sold 9 Month Bills	Total	Bank of Canada	Chartered Banks[3]	Government Accounts	General Public: Canada Savings Bonds	General Public: Matured & Outstanding Market Issues	General Public: Other Unmatured	General Public: Total	
	Millions of Dollars			*Percent*				*mm. of $*	*Percent*		*Millions of Dollars*		*Par Value in Millions of Dollars*								
Wednesdays																					**Wednesdays**
1955—Jan. 26	–	–	–	8.8	9.0	5/8	.68	36	.88	1.17	35	15	800	138	437	225	15,458	2,186	3,508	1,241	2,072	65	6,386	8,523	26 Jan. — 1955
Feb. 23	–	–	–	8.4	8.6	7/8	.83	87	1.13	1.21	35	15	840	126	423	291	15,473	2,129	3,593	1,289	2,054	59	6,349	8,462	23 Feb.
Mar. 30	–	–	–	8.6	8.6	3/4	.85	70	1.09	1.29	35	15	890	166	437	287	15,437	2,185	3,641	1,235	2,032	54	6,290	8,376	30 Mar.
Apr. 27	–	–	–	8.7	8.4	3/4	.98	69	1.25	1.52	40	15	930	236	368	326	15,453	2,256	3,605	1,218	2,012	50	6,312	8,374	27 Apr.
May 25	–	–	–	8.1	8.4	1	.94	117	1.30	1.61	40	15	970	196	424	350	15,440	2,204	3,690	1,199	1,988	46	6,313	8,347	25 May
June 29	–	–	4	8.4	8.3	1 1/8	1.20	104	1.44	1.71	40	15	1,020	275	375	370	15,410	2,298	3,667	1,207	1,961	41	6,236	8,238	29 June
July 27	–	–	–	8.1	8.4	1 1/8	1.08	109	1.43	1.72	40	15	1,050	282	407	361	15,519	2,301	3,741	1,247	1,942	40	6,248	8,230	27 July
Aug. 31	–	–	8	8.1	8.3	1 1/2	1.53	90	1.70	1.95	40	15	1,075	242	419	414	15,519	2,314	3,735	1,279	1,921	37	6,233	8,191	31 Aug.
Sept. 28	–	–	–	8.4	8.2	1 5/8	1.80	41	1.83	2.10	40	15	1,095	251	364	480	15,520	2,357	3,611	1,360	1,902	35	6,255	8,192	28 Sept.
Oct. 26	16	4	12	8.4	8.3	2 1/8	2.13	53	2.20	–	60	–	1,145	303	317	525	15,582	2,347	3,498	1,434	1,917	33	6,353	8,303	26 Oct.
Nov. 30	4	–	2	8.4	8.3	2 1/4	2.25	54	2.58	–	60	–	1,170	303	328	539	15,974	2,422	3,323	1,334	2,461	31	6,403	8,895	30 Nov.
Dec. 28	–	–	–	8.2	8.2	2 3/8	2.38	56	2.56	–	75	–	1,205	264	416	525	15,982	2,423	3,108	1,492	2,435	30	6,494	8,959	28 Dec.
1956—Jan. 25	–	–	–	8.3	8.4	2 1/4	2.33	54	2.53	–	100	–	1,275	234	480	561	15,989	2,303	3,038	1,604	2,415	35	6,594	9,044	25 Jan. — 1956
Feb. 29	–	6	6	8.1	8.2	2 1/2	2.50	82	2.56	–	115	–	1,430	341	564	525	16,063	2,246	3,037	1,752	2,405	32	6,591	9,028	29 Feb.
Mar. 28	–	–	3	7.9	8.2	2 5/8	2.58	62	2.64	–	115	–	1,575	444	573	558	16,188	2,296	2,957	1,935	2,387	30	6,583	9,000	28 Mar.
Apr. 25	10	–	–	8.3	8.2	2 5/8	2.68	13	2.89	–	125	–	1,640	336	727	577	16,229	2,329	2,856	2,067	2,363	30	6,584	8,977	25 Apr.
May 30	26	–	–	8.2	8.2	2 3/4	2.73	63	2.72	–	130	–	1,690	394	759	537	15,737	2,302	2,802	1,604	2,323	28	6,678	9,029	30 May
June 27	5	–	–	8.3	8.3	2 3/8	2.48	62	2.52	–	130	–	1,690	465	795	430	15,658	2,392	2,795	1,606	2,293	35	6,537	8,865	27 June
July 25	12	–	–	8.1	8.3	2 5/8	2.63	81	2.65	–	130	–	1,695	467	735	493	15,236	2,398	2,701	1,352	2,266	35	6,484	8,785	25 July
Aug. 29	–	–	–	8.2	8.4	2 1/4	2.40	32	2.90	–	135	–	1,705	494	835	376	15,214	2,422	2,763	1,403	2,237	31	6,358	8,626	29 Aug.
Sept. 26	–	–	–	8.2	8.3	2 3/8	2.88	95	3.16	–	135	–	1,725	521	806	398	15,205	2,441	2,739	1,424	2,210	29	6,362	8,601	26 Sept.
Oct. 31	–	–	26	8.6	8.3	2 3/4	2.90	85	3.34	–	115	–	1,720	560	794	366	15,188	2,454	2,675	1,496	2,199	28	6,336	8,563	31 Oct.
Nov. 28	50	–	–	8.5	8.2	2 7/8	3.03	97	3.52	–	115	–	1,645	532	741	372	15,494	2,451	2,610	1,540	2,582	26	6,285	8,893	28 Nov.
Dec. 26	10	–	–	8.2	8.3	3 1/4	3.25	75	3.67	–	125	–	1,585	519	752	314	15,234	2,506	2,530	1,447	2,530	28	6,193	8,751	26 Dec.
1957—Jan. 30	–	–	–	8.2	8.2	3	3.00	86	3.70	–	125	–	1,565	418	807	340	15,178	2,312	2,530	1,536	2,500	24	6,276	8,800	30 Jan. — 1957
Feb. 27	–	–	12	8.4	8.2	3 1/2	3.55	112	3.76	–	125	–	1,605	437	811	357	15,187	2,254	2,571	1,520	2,470	21	6,351	8,842	27 Feb.
Weekly																									**Weekly**
1956—Sept. 5	–	–	–	8.2	8.2	2 1/4	2.25	59	2.92	–	135	–	1,710	499	813	398	15,213	2,430	2,741	1,403	2,232	30	6,377	8,639	5 Sept.—1956
12	–	6	26	8.2	8.3	3	2.80	90	3.05	–	135	–	1,715	497	787	431	15,210	2,430	2,717	1,410	2,224	30	6,399	8,653	12
19	–	–	2	8.4	8.3	2 3/4	2.75	67	3.09	–	135	–	1,720	518	799	403	15,207	2,459	2,733	1,418	2,216	30	6,351	8,597	19
26	–	–	–	8.2	8.3	2 3/4	2.88	95	3.16	–	135	–	1,725	521	806	398	15,205	2,441	2,739	1,424	2,210	29	6,362	8,601	26
Oct. 3	–	–	–	8.2	8.2	2 3/4	2.80	68	3.21	–	135	–	1,730	539	801	390	15,204	2,467	2,741	1,422	2,204	29	6,341	8,574	3 Oct.
10	32	–	–	8.3	8.3	2 3/4	2.75	76	3.26	–	125	–	1,735	498	795	442	15,198	2,411	2,735	1,478	2,193	29	6,352	8,574	10
17	–	7	7	8.0	8.2	3	2.90	79	3.34	–	125	–	1,730	501	781	448	15,189	2,438	2,698	1,489	2,189	28	6,347	8,564	17
24	–	–	–	8.2	8.3	2 3/4	2.80	71	3.37	–	125	–	1,725	546	766	413	15,187	2,465	2,664	1,493	2,193	28	6,344	8,565	24
31	–	–	26	8.6	8.3	2 3/4	2.90	85	3.34	–	115	–	1,720	560	794	366	15,188	2,454	2,675	1,496	2,199	28	6,336	8,563	31
Nov. 7	–	–	–	8.2	8.4	2 3/4	2.75	70	3.33	–	115	–	1,705	552	793	360	15,299	2,426	2,672	1,526	2,326	27	6,322	8,675	7 Nov.
14	25	–	2	8.0	8.2	2 3/4	2.73	69	3.32	–	115	–	1,685	532	798	355	15,344	2,412	2,669	1,529	2,391	27	6,316	8,734	14
21	10	15	20	8.2	8.2	3 1/4	3.05	80	3.44	–	115	–	1,665	544	764	357	15,532	2,444	2,623	1,536	2,599	27	6,303	8,929	21
28	50	–	–	8.5	8.2	2 7/8	3.03	97	3.52	–	115	–	1,645	532	741	372	15,494	2,451	2,610	1,540	2,582	26	6,285	8,893	28
Dec. 5	–	–	–	8.1	8.3	2 3/4	2.80	51	3.53	–	115	–	1,625	539	756	330	15,474	2,466	2,609	1,539	2,583	26	6,251	8,860	5 Dec.
12	–	1	1	8.2	8.2	3 1/2	3.15	63	3.59	–	125	–	1,605	546	753	306	15,427	2,492	2,571	1,540	2,556	26	6,242	8,824	12
19	45	–	–	8.6	8.3	3 1/2	3.50	92	3.64	–	125	–	1,595	511	740	344	15,263	2,489	2,519	1,446	2,541	36	6,232	8,809	19
26	10	–	–	8.2	8.3	3 1/4	3.25	75	3.67	–	125	–	1,585	519	752	314	15,234	2,506	2,530	1,447	2,530	28	6,193	8,751	26
1957—Jan. 2	–	–	–	8.1	8.1	3	3.25	69	3.65	–	125	–	1,575	495	756	324	15,233	2,410	2,529	1,518	2,540	27	6,209	8,776	2 Jan. — 1957
9	30	6	10	8.3	8.1	3 1/2	3.35	68	3.71	–	125	–	1,565	486	756	323	15,210	2,374	2,508	1,542	2,528	26	6,232	8,786	9
16	–	–	1	8.2	8.2	3 1/4	3.40	76	3.72	–	125	–	1,565	486	765	314	15,196	2,379	2,502	1,543	2,516	25	6,231	8,772	16
23	–	–	–	8.3	8.2	3	3.35	101	3.72	–	125	–	1,565	456	765	344	15,186	2,350	2,493	1,541	2,506	24	6,272	8,802	23
30	–	–	–	8.2	8.2	3	3.00	86	3.70	–	125	–	1,565	418	807	340	15,178	2,312	2,530	1,536	2,500	23	6,277	8,800	30
Feb. 6	–	–	4	8.3	8.4	3 1/4	3.25	110	3.72	–	125	–	1,575	385	821	369	15,188	2,272	2,544	1,531	2,500	22	6,319	8,841	6 Feb.
13	–	8	8	8.2	8.2	3 1/2	3.40	115	3.75	–	125	–	1,585	393	817	375	15,184	2,261	2,559	1,531	2,487	22	6,324	8,833	13
20	–	20	22	8.1	8.2	3 3/4	3.70	117	3.81	–	125	–	1,595	403	815	377	15,186	2,233	2,572	1,530	2,479	21	6,351	8,851	20
27	–	–	12	8.4	8.2	3 1/2	3.55	112	3.76	–	125	–	1,605	437	811	357	15,187	2,254	2,571	1,520	2,470	21	6,351	8,842	27

1. Bank Rate, the minimum rate at which the Bank of Canada will make temporary loans or advances, stood at 2% from October 1950 to February 14, 1955 when it was reduced to 1½%. The rate was raised to 2% on August 5, 1955, to 2¼% on October 12, 1955, to 2¾% on November 18, 1955, to 3% on April 4, 1956, to 3½% on August 9, 1956, and to 3½% on October 17, 1956. Since November 1, 1956, Bank Rate has been ¼ of 1% above the latest weekly average tender rate for 91-day Treasury Bills. 2. This table has been revised to show all holdings of Government of Canada direct and guaranteed securities at par value, and for this reason the figures for Bank of Canada and chartered bank holdings differ from those appearing on pages 35, 37 and 39. Foreign-pay issues are valued at uniform exchange rates of £1 = $2.80 U.S. = $2.80 Cdn. 3. Estimated par value.

TREASURY BILL RATES, GOVERNMENT BOND PRICES[1] AND MARKET YIELDS[2]

SELECTED ISSUES[3]

CANADA, UNITED STATES, UNITED KINGDOM

Bank of Canada

	Weighted Average of Tender Rates on 3 Month Treasury Bills[4]			Canada								United States						United Kingdom				
				3% Sept. 1/61–66		2¾% June 15/67–68		3¾% Jan. 15/75–78		3¼% Oct. 1/79		2½% Dec. 15/63–68		2¾% Dec. 15/67–72		3¼% June 15/78–83		3% Apr. 15/59–69		3% Aug. 15/65–75		
	Canada	U.S.	U.K.	Price	Yield	Price	Yield	Price	Yield	Price	Yield	Price	Yield	Price	Yield	Price	Yield	Price	Yield	Price	Yield	
Wednesdays				*Cdn. $*		*Cdn. $*		*Cdn. $*		*Cdn. $*		*U.S. $*		*U.S. $*		*U.S. $*		£		£		**Wednesdays**
1955—Jan. 26	.88	1.35	2.33	100 3/4	2.87	97 5/8	2.97	106 1/2	3.30	99 7/8	3.26	98 9/32	2.65	97 5/8	2.67	108 1/8	2.78	94 9/32	3.51	91 13/32	3.59	26 Jan.—1955
Feb. 23	1.13	1.36	3.77	101 5/8	2.73	98 3/4	2.86	107 3/4	3.22	101 5/8	3.15	97 1/2	2.74	96 9/32	2.77	106 3/16	2.89	91 25/32	3.75	88 9/16	3.81	23 Feb.
Mar. 30	1.09	1.37	3.79	102 1/4	2.62	99 3/8	2.81	108	3.20	101 7/8	3.14	97 17/32	2.72	96 25/32	2.73	106 3/4	2.85	91 7/8	3.75	88 13/32	3.82	30 Mar.
Apr. 27	1.25	1.70	3.90	101 3/4	2.70	98 3/4	2.86	107 3/4	3.22	101 3/8	3.17	96 27/32	2.78	96 3/16	2.77	106 9/16	2.86	89 25/32	3.96	85 25/32	4.03	27 Apr.
May 25	1.30	1.47	3.92	101 5/8	2.72	98 1/2	2.89	108	3.20	101 3/8	3.17	97 9/32	2.74	96 5/8	2.74	106 3/4	2.85	86 11/16	4.28	83 13/16	4.19	25 May
June 29	1.44	1.40	3.97	102	2.65	98 1/2	2.89	108	3.20	101 1/2	3.16	96 7/32	2.84	95 3/4	2.81	106	2.89	85 5/8	4.40	82 17/32	4.30	29 June
July 27	1.43	1.72	3.97	101 1/2	2.73	97 7/8	2.95	107 1/2	3.23	100 7/8	3.20	95 7/32	2.93	94 3/32	2.94	104 7/8	2.96	83 13/32	4.65	80 5/32	4.51	27 July
Aug. 31	1.70	2.09	4.07	99 3/4	3.03	96 3/4	3.06	105 3/4	3.34	99 3/4	3.27	95 7/16	2.92	94 13/32	2.90	104 1/4	2.99	79 1/4	5.14	76 1/2	4.85	31 Aug.
Sept. 28	1.83	2.12	4.07	99 1/4	3.08	96 3/8	3.10	105 1/2	3.36	99 5/8	3.27	96	2.86	95 9/32	2.85	104 3/4	2.96	81 3/4	4.85	78	4.71	28 Sept.
Oct. 26	2.20	2.23	4.07	99 1/4	3.08	95 3/4	3.16	105 1/2	3.36	99 5/8	3.27	96 7/8	2.78	95 27/32	2.81	105 3/4	2.90	84 1/32	4.60	80 21/32	4.48	26 Oct.
Nov. 30	2.58	2.45	4.07	97 1/2	3.28	94 3/8	3.30	105	3.39	97 3/4	3.39	96 3/8	2.83	94 27/32	2.89	105 1/4	2.93	82 15/16	4.74	79	4.64	30 Nov.
Dec. 28	2.56	2.69	4.07	97 1/4	3.31	93 1/2	3.39	103 3/4	3.48	97 3/8	3.41	95 3/4	2.89	94 13/16	2.89	105 1/32	2.94	82 1/32	4.85	78 3/8	4.69	28 Dec.
1956—Jan. 25	2.53	2.25	4.07	98	3.22	94 1/2	3.29	104 1/2	3.43	98 3/8	3.35	96 1/2	2.83	95 3/4	2.82	105 3/4	2.90	80 13/32	5.04	77	4.83	25 Jan.—1956
Feb. 29	2.56	2.41	5.20	98	3.23	95	3.25	105 1/4	3.37	99 1/8	3.30	96 25/32	2.83	95 21/32	2.83	105 11/16	2.90	80 1/2	5.06	76 7/8	4.85	29 Feb.
Mar. 28	2.64	2.17	5.17	97 1/8	3.33	93 1/2	3.40	103 1/2	3.49	97 3/8	3.41	94 23/32	3.00	93 15/16	2.96	104 3/32	3.00	79 3/32	5.23	75 9/32	5.03	28 Mar.
Apr. 25	2.89	2.79	5.01	94 3/4	3.61	92 1/2	3.51	100 3/4	3.69	94 1/2	3.60	93 23/32	3.10	92 25/32	3.06	102 1/8	3.12	80 13/32	5.08	75 13/16	4.96	25 Apr.
May 30	2.72	2.57	5.01	95 5/8	3.51	92 5/8	3.51	102	3.60	95 7/8	3.51	95 13/16	2.90	95 1/4	2.86	104 5/16	2.98	79	5.27	74 3/4	5.07	30 May
June 27	2.52	2.54	5.14	96 3/8	3.42	93 5/8	3.40	103 3/4	3.47	98	3.37	95 3/16	2.96	94 9/16	2.92	104 1/4	2.99	77 19/32	5.45	73 5/32	5.24	27 June
July 25	2.65	2.30	4.98	95 3/8	3.55	92 1/2	3.53	101 1/2	3.64	95 1/4	3.55	93 31/32	3.09	93 7/32	3.03	102 1/16	3.12	77 27/32	5.43	72 1/16	5.36	25 July
Aug. 29	2.90	2.83	5.02	93 7/8	3.74	90	3.81	99 1/2	3.78	93 1/8	3.69	91 15/32	3.35	90 15/16	3.22	100 1/32	3.25	79 1/4	5.28	74 1/4	5.14	29 Aug.
Sept. 26	3.16	2.99	5.09	92 7/8	3.87	89 1/2	3.88	98	3.89	91 1/2	3.81	92 3/16	3.27	91 13/16	3.15	100 1/8	3.24	77 17/32	5.51	72 5/32	5.37	26 Sept.
Oct. 31	3.34	2.89	5.00	92 1/4	3.96	89	3.94	98	3.89	91 1/8	3.84	91 11/16	3.34	90 23/32	3.24	99 3/16	3.30	78 3/4	5.37	72 3/8	5.35	31 Oct.
Nov. 28	3.52	3.17	5.02	91 1/8	4.11	88 3/4	3.97	97	3.96	90 3/4	3.86	90 31/32	3.42	89 19/32	3.34	98 1/4	3.35	77 3/4	5.49	71 1/4	5.47	28 Nov.
Dec. 26	3.67	3.22	4.86	90 7/8	4.16	88 3/4	3.98	96 3/4	3.98	90 1/4	3.90	90 15/32	3.48	88 9/16	3.44	97 1/2	3.39	78 13/32	5.43	72 13/32	5.36	26 Dec.
1957—Jan. 30	3.70	3.28	4.54	89 1/2	4.35	86 3/4	4.23	95	4.11	87	4.14	92 9/16	3.26	91 9/16	3.18	99 1/4	3.29	83	4.86	77 5/8	4.84	30 Jan.—1957
Feb. 27	3.76	3.29	4.00	91 5/8	4.07	88 1/2	4.02	96 1/4	4.02	89 1/2	3.96	91 31/32	3.34	90 9/16	3.27	99 5/16	3.29	82 5/8	4.91	76 31/32	4.91	27 Feb.
Weekly																						**Weekly**
1956—Sept. 19	3.09	2.91	5.17	93 1/8	3.84	90	3.81	99 1/4	3.80	92 1/8	3.76	92 1/4	3.27	91 23/32	3.16	99 3/4	3.26	77 15/32	5.51	72 3/32	5.37	19 Sept.—1956
26	3.16	2.99	5.09	92 7/8	3.87	89 1/2	3.88	98	3.89	91 1/2	3.81	92 5/16	3.27	91 13/16	3.15	100 1/8	3.24	77 17/32	5.51	72 3/32	5.37	26
Oct. 3	3.21	2.90	5.06	93 3/8	3.84	89 1/2	3.88	97 3/4	3.91	91 1/2	3.81	92 5/8	3.24	91 29/32	3.14	100 15/32	3.22	77 31/32	5.45	72 27/32	5.30	3 Oct.
10	3.26	3.01	5.11	93 3/8	3.84	89 1/2	3.88	98 1/4	3.87	91 1/2	3.81	92 19/32	3.24	91 25/32	3.15	100 7/16	3.22	78 3/32	5.44	73 3/32	5.27	10
17	3.34	3.02	5.01	92 7/8	3.88	89 1/2	3.88	98 1/4	3.87	91 1/2	3.81	92 3/8	3.22	91 7/8	3.14	100 1/4	3.23	78 19/32	5.37	73 5/32	5.26	17
24	3.37	2.91	4.99	92 3/8	3.94	88 3/4	3.96	98 1/2	3.85	91 1/4	3.83	91 29/32	3.31	91	3.22	99 1/4	3.29	79	5.32	73 1/16	5.27	24
31	3.34	2.89	5.00	92 1/4	3.96	89	3.94	98	3.89	91 1/8	3.84	91 11/16	3.34	90 23/32	3.24	99 3/16	3.30	78 3/4	5.37	72 3/8	5.35	31
Nov. 7	3.33	2.91	5.00	92 1/8	3.97	89 1/8	3.92	98 3/8	3.86	91 1/2	3.81	91 11/32	3.38	90 3/8	3.27	98 7/8	3.31	78 15/16	5.34	72 9/16	5.33	7 Nov.
14	3.32	2.98	5.00	91 5/8	4.05	89	3.94	97 1/2	3.92	91	3.85	91 11/16	3.34	90 23/32	3.25	99 1/8	3.30	78	5.46	72	5.39	14
21	3.44	3.04	5.01	91	4.13	88 3/4	3.97	97 1/4	3.94	91	3.85	91 7/16	3.37	90 5/16	3.28	99	3.31	77 15/16	5.47	71 9/16	5.44	21
28	3.52	3.17	5.02	91 1/8	4.11	88 3/4	3.97	97	3.96	90 3/4	3.86	90 31/32	3.42	89 19/32	3.34	98 1/4	3.35	77 3/4	5.49	71 1/4	5.47	28
Dec. 5	3.53	3.10	5.04	90 1/2	4.20	88 1/2	4.01	96 1/2	4.00	90 1/2	3.88	91 7/32	3.40	89 21/32	3.34	98 5/16	3.35	77 19/32	5.53	71 11/32	5.47	5 Dec.
12	3.59	3.27	4.96	91	4.13	88 1/2	4.01	96 1/2	4.00	90 1/2	3.88	91 3/32	3.39	89 17/32	3.35	98 7/16	3.34	77 29/32	5.49	71 25/32	5.42	12
19	3.64	3.33	4.91	90 7/8	4.16	88 3/4	3.98	96 3/4	3.98	90 1/2	3.88	90 3/8	3.49	88 11/32	3.45	97 5/8	3.39	77 29/32	5.49	71 29/32	5.41	19
26	3.67	3.22	4.86	90 7/8	4.16	88 3/4	3.98	96 3/4	3.98	90 1/4	3.90	90 15/32	3.48	88 9/16	3.44	97 1/2	3.39	78 13/32	5.43	72 13/32	5.36	26
1957—Jan. 2	3.65	3.26	4.79	90 7/8	4.16	88 1/4	4.05	95 1/2	4.07	88 1/4	4.04	89 19/32	3.58	87 3/4	3.51	96 11/32	3.46	79 11/32	5.31	73 15/32	5.25	2 Jan.—1957
9	3.71	3.20	4.77	90	4.27	87 3/4	4.11	95	4.11	87 3/4	4.08	89 7/8	3.55	88 3/8	3.46	96 9/16	3.45	79 25/32	5.25	74 11/16	5.13	9
16	3.72	3.22	4.66	90	4.27	87 3/4	4.11	95 1/4	4.09	87 1/2	4.10	91 1/16	3.38	90 1/4	3.29	97 13/16	3.38	80 3/4	5.14	75 5/8	5.03	16
23	3.72	3.09	4.55	89 5/8	4.33	87 1/4	4.16	94 3/4	4.13	86 3/4	4.16	92 3/8	3.28	91 5/8	3.17	99 1/8	3.30	82 3/16	4.96	76 9/16	4.90	23
30	3.70	3.28	4.54	89 1/2	4.35	86 3/4	4.23	95	4.11	87	4.14	92 9/16	3.26	91 9/16	3.18	99 1/4	3.29	83	4.86	77 5/8	4.84	30
Feb. 6	3.72	3.13	4.23	89 1/4	4.39	86 3/4	4.23	94 3/4	4.13	86 3/4	4.16	93 1/8	3.20	92 1/16	3.15	100 7/16	3.22	83 5/16	4.83	77 5/16	4.87	6 Feb.
13	3.75	3.06	4.28	91 3/8	4.06	88	4.08	95 1/4	4.09	88 1/4	4.05	93 5/8	3.15	92 7/16	3.11	99 7/8	3.26	83 1/2	4.81	77 5/32	4.89	13
20	3.81	3.18	4.15	90 3/4	4.19	88 1/4	4.05	95 3/8	4.08	88 3/4	4.01	92 7/16	3.28	91 3/16	3.21	99 7/16	3.28	82 13/16	4.89	76 27/32	4.94	20
27	3.76	3.29	4.00	91 5/8	4.07	88 1/2	4.02	96 1/4	4.02	89 1/2	3.96	91 13/32	3.34	90 9/16	3.27	99 5/16	3.29	82 5/8	4.91	76 31/32	4.91	27

1. Government bond prices are closing bids at the Wednesday date for Canadian and United States issues. Prices of the United Kingdom Apr. 15/59–69 issue are closing transactions at the Wednesday date and of the United Kingdom Aug. 15/65–75 issue are approximate mid-market transactions at the Wednesday date. All prices exclude accrued interest.
2. Market yields are based on the prices shown and are expressed as per cent per annum to maturity date if at a discount and to earliest call date if at a premium.
3. On Jan. 1st, 1957 the amounts outstanding for the four Canadian bond issues were $1,692 million, $350 million, $100 million, and $400 million respectively; for the three United States bond issues, $7,824 million, $3,785 million, and $1,606 million respectively; and for the two United Kingdom bond issues £296 million and £1,073 million respectively.
4. Treasury Bill tender rates are at the date nearest the Wednesday shown. In Canada tenders are received on Thursday, in the United States on Monday, and in the United Kingdom on Friday.

NOTE: For data back to 1950 see pages 52–55 in the "Financial Supplement 1954" and pages 46–49 in the "Financial Supplement 1955".

GOVERNMENT OF CANADA THEORETICAL BOND YIELDS[1]

Bank of Canada

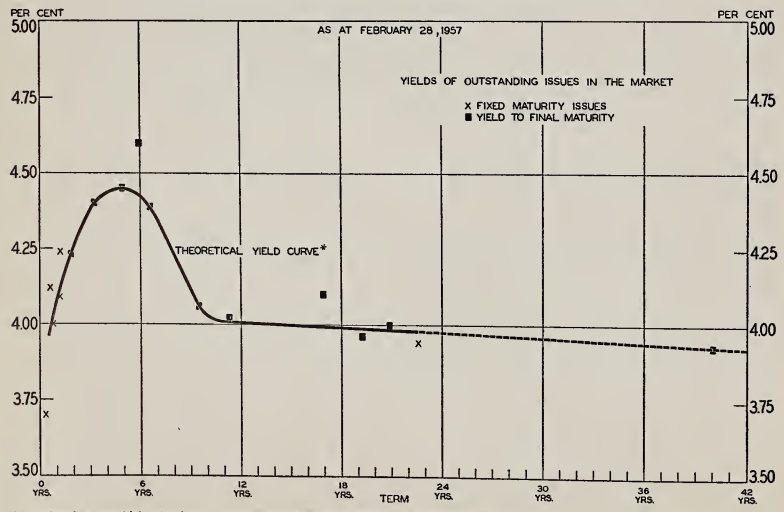
Percent per Annum

	1 Year	2 Years	3 Years	5 Years	10 Years	15 Years	20 Years	25 Years
1955—Nov. 15	2.59	2.71	2.82	3.00	3.13	3.19	3.26	3.31
30	3.02	3.18	3.23	3.27	3.31	3.35	3.39	3.42
Dec. 13	3.22	3.34	3.40	3.45	3.42	3.41	3.44	3.46
30	3.03	3.28	3.37	3.42	3.36	3.38	3.41	3.44
1956—Jan. 13	3.02	3.25	3.35	3.41	3.32	3.35	3.39	3.42
31	2.73	2.97	3.09	3.19	3.24	3.27	3.31	3.35
Feb. 15	2.70	2.90	3.05	3.20	3.26	3.28	3.29	3.31
29	2.72	2.94	3.07	3.21	3.25	3.27	3.29	3.31
Mar. 15	2.82	3.05	3.16	3.29	3.28	3.31	3.34	3.38
Apr. 3	2.82	3.07	3.22	3.39	3.35	3.38	3.40	3.43
13	3.17	3.38	3.49	3.58	3.49	3.50	3.51	3.52
30	3.40	3.56	3.64	3.67	3.58	3.59	3.61	3.62
May 15	3.34	3.51	3.61	3.65	3.54	3.56	3.58	3.60
31	2.98	3.35	3.56	3.66	3.51	3.52	3.52	3.53
June 15	2.98	3.32	3.49	3.54	3.43	3.42	3.41	3.41
29	2.70	3.12	3.33	3.46	3.39	3.38	3.39	3.40
July 13	2.97	3.30	3.43	3.56	3.48	3.46	3.45	3.44
31	3.20	3.44	3.56	3.68	3.58	3.59	3.60	3.61
Aug. 15	3.69	3.93	3.97	3.95	3.78	3.76	3.75	3.74
31	3.57	3.86	3.89	3.88	3.78	3.77	3.76	3.76
Sept. 15	3.87	3.94	3.96	3.91	3.79	3.78	3.78	3.78
29	3.80	3.95	4.01	4.05	3.87	3.88	3.88	3.88
Oct. 15	3.82	3.97	4.03	4.05	3.86	3.85	3.84	3.84
31	4.03	4.12	4.17	4.19	3.94	3.90	3.87	3.85
Nov. 15	4.11	4.24	4.35	4.41	4.02	3.93	3.90	3.89
30	4.32	4.46	4.50	4.51	4.13	3.98	3.93	3.92
Dec. 14	4.32	4.48	4.51	4.51	4.08	3.97	3.95	3.94
31	4.41	4.56	4.60	4.60	4.10	4.01	4.00	3.99
1957—Jan. 15	4.62	4.84	4.84	4.67	4.23	4.13	4.10	4.08
31	4.74	4.80	4.81	4.79	4.28	4.18	4.16	4.13
Feb. 15	4.43	4.49	4.52	4.54	4.05	4.03	4.02	4.01
28	4.08	4.26	4.38	4.45	4.03	4.00	3.98	3.97

1. Obtained as indicated by chart below.

NOTE: FOR DATA BACK TO 1952 SEE PAGES 38–39 IN THE "FINANCIAL SUPPLEMENT 1955".

GOVERNMENT OF CANADA THEORETICAL BOND YIELDS



* Free-hand curve which takes into account certain qualitative differences in outstanding issues.

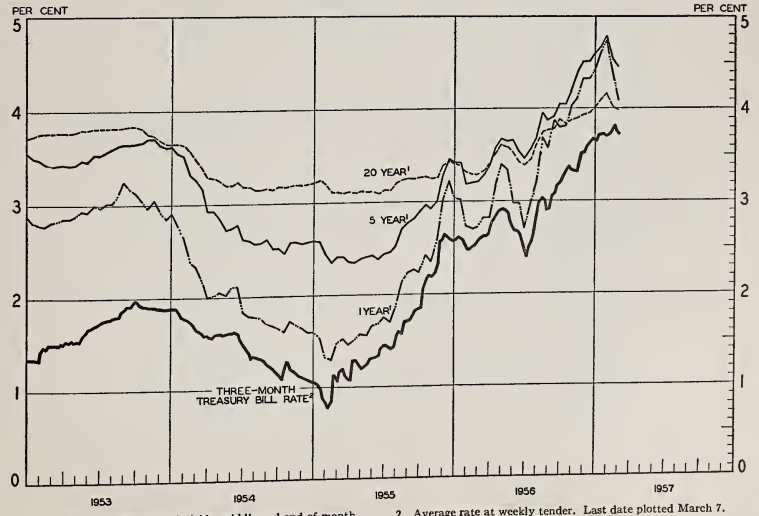
STOCK MARKET STATISTICS

Toronto, Montreal and Canadian Stock Exchanges; Dominion Bureau of Statistics

	Brokers' Loans 1 (Millions of Dollars)	Market Transactions 1 Volume (Millions of Shares)	Market Transactions 1 Value (Millions of Dollars)	Index Numbers of Common Stock Prices 2 (1935–39 = 100) Investors' Total	Industrials Total	Industrials Pulp & Paper	Industrials Oils	Total Utilities	Golds	Base Metals
1954—Dec.	74.9	119.1	242.7	206.8	210.5	830.4	163.5	181.8	67.6	177.2
1955—Jan.	71.0	162.5	271.8	207.3	211.0	840.5	163.0	181.0	68.3	181.3
Feb.	69.4	119.3	279.6	214.7	219.2	873.6	162.0	184.0	69.3	191.3
Mar.	70.0	219.2	374.8	213.7	218.0	864.5	158.5	185.2	69.0	189.6
Apr.	79.8	219.8	336.6	216.5	222.0	911.0	157.5	185.6	71.1	199.8
May	90.0	124.4	324.1	222.1	227.8	991.4	154.0	191.7	72.8	209.0
June	97.0	195.8	436.0	237.1	244.4	1,044.7	163.6	202.9	75.9	226.0
July	108.3	148.0	355.0	246.5	252.8	1,069.8	169.2	208.9	75.0	241.8
Aug.	102.9	138.8	340.4	245.3	252.3	1,066.9	164.7	207.0	76.3	250.0
Sept.	98.8	144.3	333.6	255.9	265.9	1,098.2	174.1	211.2	75.3	252.0
Oct.	102.2	104.8	287.4	239.9	248.9	1,044.9	164.1	200.6	71.0	224.2
Nov.	107.6	94.0	264.5	245.6	255.3	1,062.5	168.8	201.4	71.2	230.2
Dec.	120.3	101.0	256.9	247.6	257.0	1,073.3	170.8	204.2	72.6	233.0
1956—Jan.	121.5	139.3	247.1	248.5	257.0	1,070.0	175.5	206.5	75.8	238.1
Feb.	123.2	219.1	304.4	249.2	258.1	1,077.3	182.6	204.1	76.7	235.8
Mar.	117.1	212.9	439.3	267.9	280.3	1,153.0	205.2	210.2	79.4	260.2
Apr.	131.3	258.1	479.6	273.0	286.2	1,123.9	210.0	209.3	78.8	269.7
May	129.6	148.1	399.6	268.5	282.9	1,192.5	211.7	204.2	78.8	268.5
June	133.4	103.3	259.4	267.0	283.0	1,146.0	219.4	199.8	76.7	273.1
July	139.3	104.6	309.0	282.4	299.0	1,185.8	234.9	207.9	79.5	291.5
Aug.	136.1	106.0	324.3	291.8	308.9	1,175.3	250.1	215.7	79.5	301.9
Sept.	123.7	81.6	213.3	278.9	294.4	1,077.2	243.7	209.2	74.1	282.2
Oct.	118.3	94.0	239.7	270.3	284.8	1,024.9	236.2	205.1	72.5	273.3
Nov.	103.6	80.4	255.4	262.3	276.0	994.2	239.2	200.3	68.6	262.2
Dec.	102.2	78.4	199.0	267.8	281.7	998.9	244.8	203.6	68.9	267.8
1957—Jan.	97.3	136.8	275.0	273.7†	287.3†	1,005.3	252.6†	207.5	70.6	265.7†
Feb.	100.7	108.3	200.3	263.7*	276.4*	946.4*	244.8*	203.5*	69.4*	243.5*

1. Toronto, Montreal and Canadian Stock Exchanges. Brokers' loan data are for the last business day of the month and include borrowings from chartered banks, trust companies and other sources. Customers' free credit balances are not included. 2. Calculated by the Dominion Bureau of Statistics from Montreal and Toronto exchange quotations. Monthly series is an average of Thursday closing prices during the month. † Revised. * Preliminary.

INTEREST RATES



1. Theoretical government bond yields, middle and end of month. 2. Average rate at weekly tender. Last date plotted March 7.

CANADIAN INVESTMENT TRANSACTIONS OF TWELVE LIFE INSURANCE COMPANIES[1]

Millions of Dollars

Net Investment in:—		Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	Apr.	May	June	July	Aug.	Sept.	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.	Annual Total*
Govt. of Canada Bonds [2]	1954	-6.2	8.0	-14.6	-10.6	-30.0	-1.1	-11.4	-0.6	-10.4	7.6	-12.3	-15.2	-96.7
	1955	7.4	-2.6	-11.4	15.8	-10.4	-15.1	-8.4	1.3	3.8	5.0	-2.7	-22.2	-39.4
	1956	-10.7	-11.4	-17.9	-26.7	-9.1	-24.7	-21.5	-7.6	5.3	-6.3	-6.3	-11.1	-147.8
	1957	-10.1												
Provincial Bonds [2]	1954	2.7	3.7	4.1	1.1	18.3	-2.5	2.9	-6.4	-3.8	1.2	-4.0	-2.2	15.1
	1955	-4.6	-2.0	16.2	-1.1	-0.6	-1.0	2.4	-7.9	-1.2	-0.9	-1.6	-0.3	-2.7
	1956	13.6	0.1	-8.5	0.4	12.0	-5.4	5.9	-3.6	-1.6	3.9	-1.2	2.1	17.7
	1957	1.7												
Municipal Bonds [2]	1954	0.3	0.9	3.0	2.9	1.1	0.9	3.1	1.2	1.3	1.1	0.6	0.4	16.8
	1955	2.6	2.1	0.9	-1.4	1.0	2.4	-0.7	3.2	0.7	1.4	2.1	8.1	22.6
	1956	1.7	3.7	0.7	2.8	1.9	9.7	3.1	0.7	-0.3	1.4	1.3	1.5	28.2
	1957	2.8												
Corporate & Other Bonds	1954	9.4	5.8	18.7	17.3	3.6	7.9	6.1	0.2	10.8	-4.7	15.9	1.6	92.5
	1955	1.3	-2.3	8.0	-6.3	23.0	8.6	-1.1	-4.2	-8.8	-2.2	7.6	11.0	34.7
	1956	31.2	17.2	30.9	21.2	2.3	6.9	-1.7	8.1	-5.9	3.4	2.6	12.4	128.4
	1957	15.0												
Pref. & Com. Stocks	1954	-0.5	-0.5	-0.5	-0.4	-0.3	-0.1	-0.6	-0.7	-1.1	0.4	0.2	0.9	-3.2
	1955	0.3	0.3	0.4	0.5	-0.2	-1.5	-1.5	-0.6	-0.5	-0.5	0.2	4.3	1.1
	1956	0.1	0.5	–	0.1	0.2	1.3	0.7	-1.0	–	-0.3	-0.2	0.2	1.3
	1957	-0.2												
Mortgage Loans (Gross) [3]	1954	22.2	19.0	22.0	21.3	24.8	29.4	32.6	34.4	38.7	33.0	42.2	37.5	357.1
	1955	33.8	26.8	28.0	23.8	33.7	38.3	45.5	44.0	46.8	41.0	40.4	39.3	441.3
	1956	35.9	27.6	27.5	27.4	34.5	46.6	45.7	50.7	45.1	52.5	45.0	40.2	478.6
	1957	37.5												
Real Estate [4]	1954	1.0	1.2	0.8	1.8	2.0	3.4	3.0	1.7	2.6	2.5	2.5	4.7	27.1
	1955	0.7	4.6	5.0	1.2	1.9	1.9	2.6	3.7	0.9	0.1	2.0	0.4	24.8
	1956	2.5	0.4	1.9	0.5	6.5	0.9	1.1	1.2	1.5	1.5	1.0	5.1	24.0
	1957	1.2												
Policy Loans	1954	1.0	0.8	1.2	1.3	1.2	1.3	1.0	0.9	1.1	1.0	0.7	0.6	12.1
	1955	0.8	0.6	1.0	0.9	0.8	0.9	0.7	0.5	0.7	0.6	0.3	0.3	8.1
	1956	0.8	0.9	1.0	1.2	2.0	2.2	1.5	1.6	1.7	1.8	1.3	0.5	16.5
	1957	1.7												
Total [5]	1954	29.9	38.9	34.7	34.7	20.7	39.2	36.7	30.7	39.2	42.1	45.8	28.3	420.8
	1955	42.3	27.5	48.1	33.4	49.2	34.5	39.5	40.0	42.4	44.5	48.3	40.9	490.5
	1956	75.1	39.0	35.6	26.9	50.3	37.5	34.8	50.1	45.8	57.9	43.5	50.9	546.9
	1957	49.6												
Net Source of Funds:—														
Mortgage Repayments (Gross) [3]	1954	11.3	10.3	11.8	10.4	11.7	10.8	12.1	11.5	12.1	12.1	12.7	10.1	136.7
	1955	14.2	11.0	13.1	11.7	14.1	13.6	13.0	13.5	13.2	14.3	14.4	12.4	158.5
	1956	15.6	12.5	13.2	14.4	17.2	15.3	17.2	15.0	14.1	22.6	14.9	13.5	185.6
	1957	16.0												
Funds Transferred From Abroad	1954	-2.5	–	2.6	-0.7	2.1	2.4	3.2	2.3	2.6	3.9	2.6	4.4	22.8
	1955	1.6	0.1	3.4	-0.1	4.0	1.6	4.8	1.4	0.4	6.6	-1.1	12.7	35.5
	1956	17.0	7.2	3.3	-8.5	5.8	2.0	3.0	9.2	8.1	19.4	7.3	8.9	82.5
	1957	2.3												
Funds From Canadian Insurance Operations★	1954	21.1	28.6	20.3	25.0	6.9	26.0	21.4	16.9	24.5	26.1	30.5	13.8	261.3
	1955	26.5	16.4	31.6	21.8	31.1	19.3	21.7	25.1	28.8	23.6	35.0	15.8	296.5
	1956	42.5	19.3	19.1	21.0	27.3	20.2	14.6	25.9	23.6	15.9	21.3	28.5	278.8
	1957	31.3												

1. Data are based on cash transactions affecting ledger assets and taking place in Canadian dollars, by 12 companies whose net premium income in Canada in Canada in 1955 was 78.2% of the total for all companies registered under the federal Insurance Acts. Total Canadian assets of these 12 companies at December 31, 1949 to 1955 are shown on page 74 of March 1956 Statistical Summary. 2. Includes guaranteed bonds. 3. Includes sale agreements. 4. Includes real estate for the production of income. 5. Includes gross mortgage loans. * Figures rounded to the nearest $100,000. Due to rounding, totals may not equal the sum of the monthly components. ★ Balancing item in the table, representing mainly Canadian dollars available from insurance operations *plus* any reduction or *minus* any increase in Canadian dollar cash balances.

NOTE: For 1952 and 1953 data see page 56 in the "Financial Supplement 1955".

FOREIGN EXCHANGE RATES[1]

Canadian cents per unit — *Bank of Canada*

Business Days	U.S. Dollar					£ Sterling				
	Spot Rates			Average Noon Rates [2]		Spot Rates			Average Noon Rates [2]	
	High	Low	Close	Spot	90-Day Forward Rate [2]	High	Low	Close	Spot	90-Day Forward Rate [2]
1951	107 6/16	101 3/16	101 3/16	105.28	104.92	300 1/2	281 3/8	281 3/8	294.68	294.71
1952	101 1/8	95 7/8	97 3/32	97.89	98.09	281 1/2	266 3/4	272 9/16	273.40	272.26
1953	99 29/32	96 3/4	97 3/8	98.34	98.66	280 15/16	272 3/8	273 5/8	276.66	277.02
1954	98 3/4	96 11/32	96 19/32	97.32	97.65	278 5/16	269	269	273.39	274.19
1955	100 1/16	96 15/32	99 29/32	98.63	98.62	280 7/16	268 3/4	280 9/32	275.35	274.23
1956	99 31/32	95 21/32	95 31/32	98.41	98.64	280 11/16	266 3/16	267 7/16	275.16	274.13
1955—Dec.	100 1/32	99 7/8	99 29/32	99.95	99.99	280 7/16	279 7/8	280 3/32	280.15	279.07
1956—Jan.	99 15/16	99 13/16	99 29/32	99.87	99.91	280 17/32	280 1/8	280 13/32	280.35	279.38
Feb.	99 31/32	99 27/32	99 29/32	99.91	99.94	280 11/16	280 3/16	280 11/16	280.43	279.00
Mar.	99 15/16	99 13/16	99 7/8	99.87	99.91	280 5/8	279 11/16	280 1/32	280.17	278.39
Apr.	99 7/8	99 7/32	99 15/32	99.68	99.75	280 3/8	278 1/2	279 9/32	279.93	278.31
May	99 15/32	98 7/8	98 15/16	99.18	99.30	279 15/32	277 3/16	277 13/32	278.49	277.27
June	99 1/16	98	98 3/32	98.53	98.75	277 5/8	274	274 15/32	276.16	275.25
July	98 13/32	97 27/32	98 3/32	98.18	98.45	275 3/32	273 3/16	273 1/4	274.30	273.51
Aug.	98 7/16	97 27/32	98 3/32	98.12	98.38	273 15/16	272 1/2	272 29/32	273.11	272.39
Sept.	98 1/16	97 7/16	97 15/32	97.77	98.10	272 7/8	271 3/16	271 1/4	272.14	271.43
Oct.	97 5/8	96 21/32	97 1/4	97.32	97.69	271 7/8	268 31/32	270 5/8	271.06	270.54
Nov.	97 3/16	95 21/32	96 1/8	96.44	96.81	270 7/16	266 3/16	267 7/16	268.36	267.56
Dec.	96 15/32	95 26/32	95 31/32	96.05	96.66	268 5/8	266 13/16	267 7/16	267.54	266.62
1957—Jan.	96 11/32	95 27/32	95 7/8	96.07	96.57	269 1/4	267 11/16	268 1/4	268.63	268.65
Feb.	95 15/16	95 3/4	95 3/4	95.83	96.24	268 1/2	267 13/16	267 13/16	268.21	268.39

1. Rates are as reported on transactions between banks in the exchange market. Noon rates prior to May 6, 1954 are not available and closing rates have been used. 2. The 90-day forward rates are the averages of approximate rates at noon.

NOTE: For data back to 1939 see page 59 in the "Financial Supplement 1954" and page 51 in the "Financial Supplement 1955".

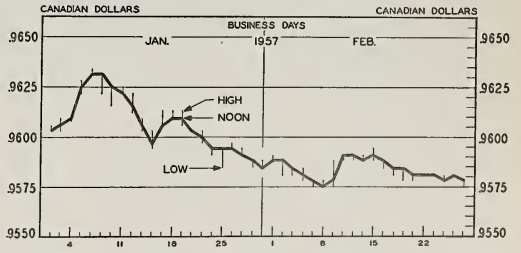
OFFICIAL HOLDINGS OF GOLD AND U.S. DOLLARS[1]

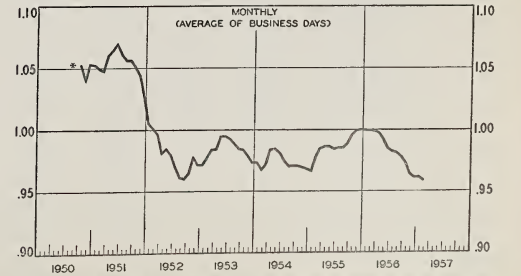
$ mm. U.S. — *Dept. of Finance*

End of Period	Gold	U.S. Dollars	Total
1951	841.7	936.9	**1,778.6**
1952	885.0	975.2	**1,860.2**
1953	986.1	832.4	**1,818.5**
1954	1,072.7	869.9	**1,942.6**
1955	1,133.9	766.9	**1,900.8**
1956	1,103.3	832.9	**1,936.2**
1955—Aug.	1,127.3	807.4	**1,934.7**
Sept.	1,131.8	804.9	**1,936.7**
Oct.	1,140.8	755.4	**1,896.2**
Nov.	1,143.4	746.5	**1,889.9**
Dec.	1,133.9	766.9	**1,900.8**
1956—Jan.	1,129.5	749.4	**1,878.9**
Feb.	1,122.2	755.5	**1,877.7**
Mar.	1,120.1	751.3	**1,871.4**
Apr.	1,106.1	759.0	**1,865.1**
May	1,100.4	785.0	**1,885.4**
June	1,100.6	798.9	**1,899.5**
July	1,104.8	788.5	**1,893.3**
Aug.	1,105.9	777.8	**1,883.7**
Sept.	1,105.5	798.0	**1,903.5**
Oct.	1,109.8	803.2	**1,913.0**
Nov.	1,114.2	818.4	**1,932.6**
Dec.	1,103.3	832.9	**1,936.2**
1957—Jan.	1,105.9	824.7	**1,930.6**
Feb.	1,101.5	818.2	**1,919.7**

1. Gold, U.S. dollars and short-term securities of the U.S. Gov't. held by the Exchange Fund Account, other Gov't. accounts, and the net holdings of the Bank of Canada.

UNITED STATES DOLLAR IN CANADIAN FUNDS





* Official rates were withdrawn on September 30 and the exchange market re-opened on October 2.

NOTE: For data back to 1945 see pages 60–61 in the "Financial Supplement 1954".

PRICE INDEXES

"Prices and Price Indexes", Dominion Bureau of Statistics

	WHOLESALE PRICES						CONSUMER PRICES [2]					
	GENERAL			CONSTRUCTION	FARM [1]		Total Index (1st of Month)	Food	Shelter	Clothing	Household Operation	Other Commodities & Services
	Total Index (Mid-Month)	Raw and Partly Manufactured	Fully & Chiefly Manufactured	Non-Residential Building Materials	Grains	Livestock	100	32	15	11	17	25
	1935–39 = 100			1949 = 100	1935–39 = 100		1949 = 100					
Average of Mths.												
1951	**240.2**	237.9	242.4	118.6	217.3	407.8	**113.7**	117.0	114.4	109.8	113.1	111.5
1952	**226.0**	218.7	230.7	123.2	206.2	316.4	**116.5**	116.8	120.2	111.8	116.2	116.0
1953	**220.7**	207.0	228.8	124.4	201.0	288.1	**115.5**	112.6	123.6	110.1	117.0	115.8
1954	**217.0**	204.8	224.2	121.8	187.2	283.3	**116.2**	112.2	126.5	109.4	117.4	117.4
1955	**218.9**	209.7	224.5	123.4	188.0	263.2	**116.4**	112.1	129.4†	108.0	116.4	118.1
1956	**225.6**	215.9	231.3	128.1	188.3	265.6	**118.1**	113.4	132.5	108.6	117.1	120.9
Monthly												
1955—Oct.	**220.0**	210.8	225.8	125.9	183.2	254.5	**116.9**	113.5	130.2	107.8	116.1	118.1
Nov.	**220.7**	211.3	226.6	125.9	183.7	251.8	**116.9**	113.0	130.6	107.9	116.5	118.3
Dec.	**221.5**	212.6	226.7	126.0	183.8	252.0	**116.9**	112.4	131.0	108.5	116.6	118.3
1956—Jan.	**222.0**	212.9	227.3	126.7	184.9	248.6	**116.8**	111.5	131.3	108.6	116.5	119.0
Feb.	**222.2**	213.4	227.4	126.9	186.6	245.1	**116.4**	109.9	131.5	108.6	116.7	119.3
Mar.	**223.3**	214.7	228.3	127.2	190.4	240.4	**116.4**	109.1	131.6	108.7	116.8	119.9
Apr.	**224.5**	216.2	229.4	127.2	191.2	241.5	**116.6**	109.7	131.9	108.7	116.6	120.1
May	**225.3**	217.3	230.3	127.4	191.7	252.3	**116.6**	109.3	132.1	108.8	116.5	120.5
June	**226.5**	219.2	231.3	127.5	190.6	272.8	**117.8**	112.5	132.6	108.6	116.7	120.6
July	**226.6**	219.0	231.6	127.1	188.4	278.4	**118.5**	114.4	132.7	108.6	116.7	121.1
Aug.	**227.0**	217.0	233.3	129.3	188.9	280.8	**119.1**	115.9	133.0	108.4	116.8	121.3
Sept.	**227.4**	216.2	234.3	129.3	188.8	284.2	**119.0**	115.5	133.1	108.4	117.1	121.4
Oct.	**227.1**	214.4	232.2	129.5	187.6	277.3	**119.8**	117.4	133.3	108.5	117.7	121.6
Nov.	**226.6**	213.5	234.6	129.3	185.9	281.0	**120.3**	117.9	133.4	108.4	118.1	122.8
Dec.	**228.1**	216.4	235.3	129.6	184.9	284.3	**120.4**	117.5	133.5	108.6	118.6	122.9
1957—Jan.	**229.4**	217.8	236.5	130.0	184.6	287.7	**120.3**	117.1	133.6	107.6	119.0	123.1
Feb.							**120.5**	117.2	133.8	107.4	119.1	123.8

1. Two sub-groups of the General Wholesale Price Index.
2. Components were selected and weighted on the basis of 1948 urban family incomes ranging from $1,650 to $4,050 with incomes between $2,000 and $3,000 most common. † Corrected.

NOTE: For the years 1952–1955 see page 86 in the "Financial Supplement 1955".

CANADIAN GOLD STATISTICS

Thousands of Fine Ounces — *Bank of Canada*

	New Gold Production Available for Export [1] ‡	Physical Movement		Net Change in Gold Held in Safekeeping		Net Sales to Foreigners	Net Change in Official Holdings [4]
		Exports [2]	Imports [3]	Foreign-owned Gold in Canada	Canadian-owned Gold Abroad		
Calendar Yrs.	1	2	3	4	5	6 (2−3+4−5)	
1951	**4,080**	347	12,104	+8,472	+143	**−3,427**	**+7,507**
1952	**4,310**	19,246	24	−18,723	−2,565	**3,064**	**+1,246**
1953	**4,167**	1,181	163	+105	−143	**1,266**	**+2,901**
1954	**4,556**	751	138	+1,317	−143	**2,072**	**+2,484**
1955	**4,506**	2,451	-	+890	+578	**2,763**	**+1,743**
1956*	**4,380**	3,100	58	+1,182	−578	**4,802**	**−576**
Quarters							
1954—I	**1,022**	66	13	+119	-	**173**	**+849**
II	**1,256**	313	37	+318	−143	**737**	**+519**
III	**1,146**	171	-	+428	-	**599**	**+547**
IV	**1,133**	200	88	+451	-	**563**	**+570**
1955—I	**1,131**	190	-	+402	-	**592**	**+538**
II	**1,140**	175	-	+571	-	**746**	**+394**
III	**1,085**	247	-	+86	-	**333**	**+752**
IV	**1,150**	1,838	-	−169	+578	**1,091**	**+59**
1956—I	**1,078**	1,017	9	+427	−40	**1,474**	**−396**
II	**1,155**	1,445	8	+4	+93	**1,348**	**−258**
III	**1,107**	210	3	+428	−285	**921**	**+139**
IV*	**1,039**	428	39	+323	−347	**1,059**	**−62**

1. Newly mined gold sold by the Mint (excl. sales for industrial purposes) plus exports of raw gold or concentrates direct from the mines for refining abroad plus commercial sales of gold abroad by mines beginning November 1, 1951. Beginning November 1, 1951, the series excludes increases in commercial gold stocks held in safekeeping by the Mint for the account of the mines.
2. Excluding the gold content of exports of jewellers' sweepings and precious metals scrap which are shown in the export returns.
3. Excluding small amounts of unmanufactured gold, scrap and manufactured forms which are shown under various headings in the import returns.
4. Holdings of the Exchange Fund and the Bank of Canada.

‡ Since March 21, 1956, mines not receiving aid under the Emergency Gold Mining Assistance Act have been allowed to sell their gold to private residents and non-residents, either for export or for safekeeping in Canada. Such sales, commencing in the second quarter of 1956, are included in the figures for "New Gold Production Available for Export."

** Not available.

* Preliminary.

NOTE: For data back to 1948 see page 66 in the Financial Supplement 1954" and page 58 in the "Financial Supplement 1955".

LABOUR FORCE STATUS OF THE POPULATION[1]

Thousands of Persons — *"The Labour Force", Dominion Bureau of Statistics; Department of National Defence*

Survey Week Ending	Persons With Jobs				Without Jobs and Seeking Work [3]		Total Civilian Labour Force	Civilian Non-Institutional Population (14 years of age and over)	Armed Forces	Civilian Labour Force Participation Ratio [4]		
	Agriculture	Non-Agricultural Industries	Total	Of Which On Temporary Lay-off and Short-time [2]	Thousands	Percentage of Labour Force				Total	Male	Female
1955—May 21	873	4,451	5,324	*52*	213	3.8	5,537	10,506	118	52.7	82.0	23.6
June 18	881	4,577	5,458	*43*	157	2.8	5,615	10,522	117	53.4	82.8	24.2
July 23	989	4,599	5,588	*35*	150	2.6	5,738	10,543	117	54.4	84.8	24.2
Aug. 20	960	4,681	5,641	*46*	131	2.3	5,772	10,557	116	54.7	85.1	24.4
Sept. 17	844	4,651	5,495	*44*	138	2.4	5,633	10,574	117	53.3	82.4	24.3
Oct. 22	774	4,703	5,477	*40*	142	2.5	5,619	10,590	117	53.1	82.3	24.1
Nov. 19	728	4,691	5,419	*54*	162	2.9	5,581	10,602	117	52.6	81.2	24.3
Dec. 10	713	4,675	5,388	*67*	200	3.6	5,588	10,610	117	52.7	81.0	24.6
1956—Jan. 21	688	4,543	5,231	*74*	286	5.2	5,517	10,626	116	51.9	80.2	23.9
Feb. 18	678	4,538	5,216	*73*	308	5.6	5,524	10,635	117	51.9	80.3	23.9
Mar. 24	679	4,562	5,241	*66*	295	5.3	5,536	10,646	117	52.0	80.1	24.1
Apr. 21	764	4,562	5,326	*51*	257	4.6	5,583	10,663	117	52.4	80.7	24.3
May 19	817	4,682	5,499	*37*	165	2.9	5,664	10,680	116	53.0	81.9	24.4
June 23	804	4,843	5,647	*35*	117	2.0	5,764	10,699	116	53.9	83.1	24.9
July 21	897	4,892	5,789	*33*	102	1.7	5,891	10,714	116	55.0	85.3	25.0
Aug. 18	946	4,877	5,823	*36*	103	1.7	5,926	10,733	116	55.2	85.5	25.2
Sept. 22	841	4,835	5,676	*45*	97	1.7	5,773	10,752	117	53.7	82.7	25.0
Oct. 20	794	4,880	5,674	*39*	98	1.7	5,772	10,771	117	53.6	82.3	25.2
Nov. 17	693	4,937	5,630	*47*	135	2.3	5,765	10,791	117	53.4	81.7	25.5
Dec. 15	680	4,875	5,555	*59*	186	3.2	5,741	10,815	117	53.1	81.0	25.5
1957—Jan. 19	671	4,722	5,393	*74*	303	5.3	5,696	10,842	117	52.5	80.4	25.0

1. The estimates are based on a sample of about 30,000 households and are therefore subject to sampling error which is relatively larger the smaller the estimate. Data not seasonally adjusted.
2. Includes those laid off for part of the week or on lay-off during the entire week, with definite instructions to return to their jobs within 30 days of the date on which lay-off began, provided they did not look for work during the survey week.
3. Includes persons who, though having jobs, did not work during the entire week and looked for work or would have looked for work only they were temporarily ill, on indefinite or prolonged lay-off or believed no work was available.
4. Civilian labour force as a percentage of civilian non-institutional population 14 years of age and over.

NOTE: For the years 1946–1955 see pages 84–85 in the "Financial Supplement 1955".

EMPLOYMENT AND LABOUR INCOME

"Employment and Payrolls", "Man-Hours and Hourly Earnings" and "Estimates of Labour Income", Dominion Bureau of Statistics

	Employment Indexes [1, 2]		Average Hours Worked [1, 3]		Average Hourly Earnings [1, 3, 4]		Monthly Labour Income [4]			
	Manufacturing	Mining	Manufacturing	Mining	Manufacturing	Mining	Total [5]	Manufacturing	Construction	All Other [6]
	Index 1949 = 100		Hours per week		Cents		Millions of Dollars			
Monthly Average										
1951	108.0	110.6	41.8	43.1	116.8	133.4	810	272	52	486
1952	109.3	116.8	41.5	42.7	129.2	147.1	906	303	63	540
1953	113.3	111.7	41.3	42.7	135.8	153.8	976	329	70	577
1954	107.7	109.8	40.6	42.6	140.8	157.3	1,000	323	69	608
1955	109.3	113.4	41.0	43.2	144.5	161.1	1,068	342	78	648
1956	115.4*	122.0*	41.1	42.9	151.5	171.4	1,190	379	93	718
1955—Sept.	114.0	117.4	41.2	43.2	143.8	160.5	1,123	354	94	675
Oct.	113.4	116.5	41.5	43.6	144.8	161.9	1,131	354	100	677
Nov.	112.8	116.6	41.7	44.5	145.4	163.4	1,128	354	89	685
Dec.	112.3	116.5	41.6	44.2	146.1	165.2	1,117	357	78	682
1956—Jan.	109.8	114.4	39.0	42.0	147.5	165.1	1,077	349	71	657
Feb.	110.2	114.4	41.2	43.8	147.3	166.2	1,090	358	69	663
Mar.	112.3	115.9	41.3	44.0	148.5	166.8	1,094	365	70	659
Apr.	113.4	117.3	41.1	42.6	150.5	168.5	1,126	371	79	676
May	114.1	116.9	41.4	42.7	151.1	169.0	1,169	377	92	700
June	115.4	123.0	40.9	42.8	151.9	170.5	1,215	381	105	729
July	118.0	126.1	41.2	42.4	152.7	172.0	1,223	382	105	736
Aug.	117.9	128.2	40.8	42.6	152.4	172.7	1,236	382	108	746
Sept.	118.0	128.6	41.1	42.7	152.1	173.8	1,268	392	110	766
Oct.	118.6	126.5	41.5	43.6	153.3	176.2	1,273	394	114	765
Nov.	118.6†	126.9†	41.6	42.5	154.7	177.3	1,265	397	101	767
Dec.	118.0*	125.3*	41.5†	43.1†	155.5	179.0	1,248	397	90	761
1957—Jan.			38.0*	40.8*	157.9*	181.4*				

1. As reported by employers usually having 15 or more employees. Dated first of month and covering the last pay period in the previous month.
2. Coverage, including salaried and part time workers at Dec. 1, 1956, was Manufacturing, 1,230,083; Mining, 111,554.
3. Include hourly rated wage earners only.
4. Gross earnings before deductions for taxes, unemployment insurance, etc.
5. Wages and salaries and includes bonuses and commissions, food, clothing, shelter and contributions to insurance, pensions, etc. provided by employer.
6. Includes all supplementary labour income. * Preliminary. † Revised.

NOTE: For the years 1952–1955 see page 83 in the "Financial Supplement 1955".

CAPITAL EXPENDITURES ON NEW CONSTRUCTION, MACHINERY AND EQUIPMENT[1]

Millions of Dollars — *Department of Trade and Commerce*

	Current Dollars					1949 Constant Dollars				
	New Construction		Machinery and Equipment	Total	Total as a % of G.N.P.	New Construction		Machinery and Equipment	Total	Total as a % of G.N.P.
	Housing	Other				Housing	Other			
Calendar year										
1953	1,084	2,581	2,176	**5,841**	23.9	850	1,973	1,817	**4,640**	22.8
1954	1,178	2,502	1,940	**5,620**	23.3	919	1,917	1,600	**4,436**	22.6
1955‡	1,499	2,815	2,036	**6,350**	23.7	1,141	2,098	1,655	**4,894**	22.7
1956†	1,575	3,708	2,617	**7,900**	26.6	1,156	2,590	1,988	**5,734**	*
1957**	1,283	4,303	2,947	**8,533**	*	*	*	*	*	*

Millions of Current Dollars

	Agriculture, Fishing, Forestry and the Construction Industry	Mining, Quarrying and Oil Wells	Heavy Manufacturing 2	Other Manufacturing	Utilities 3	Housing	Trade	Finance and Commercial Services	Institutions	Government Departments 4	Total
Calendar year											
1953	671	257	726	243	1,209	1,084	330	196	301	824	**5,841**
1954	531	278	561	262	1,124	1,178	368	214	337	767	**5,620**
1955‡	663	336	728	219	1,099	1,499	359	232	408	837	**6,350**
1956†	760	536	1,119	230	1,630	1,575	319	288	402	1,041	**7,900**
1957**	769	530	1,230	241	2,185	1,283	393	335	469	1,098	**8,533**

1. Total capital expenditure shown is greater than the National Accounts' estimate of Gross Domestic Investment (ex inventories) in that the latter excludes direct investment outlays of government departments and government investment outlays on government built non-rental housing, provincial hospital and provincial and municipal schools. These expenditures are treated as government expenditures on goods and services in the National Accounts. A reconciliation statement is provided in "Private and Public Investment in Canada, Outlook 1957", Dept. of Trade and Commerce.
2. Includes investment of the following industries: Wood and Paper Products; Iron and Steel; Transportation Equipment; Non-ferrous Metal Products; Electrical Apparatus and Supplies; Non-metallic Mineral Products; Products of Petroleum and Coal; Chemical Products; plus an estimate of capital items charged to operating expenses by these industries.
3. Includes oil and gas pipe lines.
4. Includes Federal Government defence projects and capital assistance to industries filling defence contracts.

* Not available.
‡ Actual expenditures.
† Preliminary actual.
** Intentions.

POPULATION BY PROVINCES

Thousands of Persons — *Dominion Bureau of Statistics*

As of June 1	Canada 1	Atlantic Provinces[1] Thous.	%	Quebec Thous.	%	Ontario Thous.	%	Manitoba Thous.	%	Saskatchewan Thous.	%	Alberta Thous.	%	British Columbia Thous.	%	Yukon and N.W.T.
1921	**8,788**	1,001	*11.4*	2,361	*26.9*	2,934	*33.4*	610	*6.9*	757†	*8.6*	588	*6.7*	525	*6.0*	12
1931	**10,376**	1,009	*9.7*	2,874	*27.7*	3,432	*33.1*	700	*6.7*	922	*8.9*	732	*7.1*	694	*6.7*	13
1939	**11,267**	1,102	*9.8*	3,230	*28.7*	3,708	*32.9*	726	*6.4*	906	*8.0*	786	*7.0*	792	*7.0*	17
1940	**11,381**	1,116	*9.8*	3,278	*28.8*	3,747	*32.9*	728	*6.4*	900	*7.9*	790	*6.9*	805	*7.1*	17
1941	**11,507**	1,130	*9.8*	3,332	*29.0*	3,788	*32.9*	730	*6.3*	896	*7.8*	796	*6.9*	818	*7.1*	17
1942	**11,654**	1,145	*9.8*	3,390	*29.1*	3,884	*33.3*	724	*6.2*	848	*7.3*	776	*6.7*	870	*7.5*	17
1943	**11,795**	1,160	*9.8*	3,457	*29.3*	3,915	*33.2*	723	*6.1*	838	*7.1*	785	*6.7*	900	*7.6*	17
1944	**11,946**	1,163	*9.7*	3,500	*29.3*	3,963	*33.2*	727	*6.1*	836	*7.0*	808	*6.8*	932	*7.8*	17
1945	**12,072**	1,178	*9.8*	3,560	*29.5*	4,000	*33.1*	727	*6.0*	833	*6.9*	808	*6.7*	949	*7.9*	17
1946	**12,292**	1,180	*9.6*	3,629	*29.5*	4,093	*33.3*	727	*5.9*	833	*6.8*	803	*6.5*	1,003	*8.2*	24
1947	**12,551**	1,197	*9.5*	3,710	*29.5*	4,176	*33.3*	739	*5.9*	836	*6.7*	825	*6.6*	1,044	*8.3*	24
1948	**12,823**	1,216	*9.5*	3,788	*28.9*	4,275	*33.4*	746	*5.8*	838	*6.5*	854	*6.7*	1,082	*8.4*	24
1949	**13,447**	1,576	*11.7*	3,882	*28.9*	4,378	*32.5*	757	*5.6*	832	*6.2*	885	*6.6*	1,113	*8.3*	24
1950	**13,712**	1,597	*11.6*	3,969	*28.9*	4,471	*32.6*	768	*5.6*	833	*6.1*	913	*6.6*	1,137	*8.3*	24
1951	**14,009**	1,618	*11.6*	4,056	*29.0*	4,598	*32.8*	776	*5.5*	832	*5.9*	939	*6.7*	1,165	*8.3*	25
1952†	**14,459**	1,653	*11.4*	4,174	*28.9*	4,788	*33.1*	798	*5.5*	843	*5.8*	973	*6.7*	1,205	*8.4*	25
1953†	**14,845**	1,680	*11.3*	4,269	*28.8*	4,941	*33.3*	809	*5.4*	861	*5.8*	1,012	*6.8*	1,248	*8.4*	25
1954†	**15,287**	1,709	*11.2*	4,388	*28.7*	5,115	*33.4*	823	*5.4*	873	*5.7*	1,057	*6.9*	1,295	*8.5*	27
1955†	**15,698**	1,736	*11.1*	4,517	*28.8*	5,266	*33.5*	839	*5.3*	878	*5.6*	1,091	*7.0*	1,342	*8.5*	29
1956	**16,081**	1,764	*10.9*	4,628	*28.8*	5,405	*33.6*	850	*5.3*	881	*5.5*	1,123	*7.0*	1,399†	*8.7*	31†

PERCENTAGE ANNUAL RATE OF CHANGE

1921–31	**1.7** [2]	−[2]	2.0	1.5	1.5	2.0	2.2	2.8	
1931–41	**1.0** [2]	1.1 [2]	1.5	1.0	0.4	−0.3	0.9	1.7	
1941–51	**1.7** [2]	1.1 [2]	2.0	2.0	0.6	−0.7	1.7	3.6	
1951–56	**2.8**	1.7	2.7	3.3	1.8	1.1	3.7	3.7	

1. Including Newfoundland beginning in 1949. 2. Excluding Newfoundland. † Revised.

MANUFACTURING: SHIPMENTS, ORDERS AND INVENTORIES†

ESTIMATES FOR ALL ITEMS IN ALL INDUSTRIES

Millions of Dollars — *"Inventories, Shipments and Orders in Manufacturing Industries", DBS*

	Shipments During Month 1	Orders: New Orders Received During Month 2	Orders: Unfilled Orders at end of Month 3	Inventories at End of Month: Owned 4	All Inventories Held: Total 5	All Inventories Held: Raw Materials	All Inventories Held: Goods in Process	All Inventories Held: Finished Products
1952—Jan.	1,302	–	3,963	3,532	3,749	1,829	830	1,090
Feb.	1,327	1,310	3,947	3,531	3,774	1,830	854	1,090
Mar.	1,379	1,314	3,882	3,513	2,784	1,816	879	1,089
Apr.	1,404	1,307	3,785	3,446	3,734	1,786	886	1,062
May	1,499	1,515	3,801	3,441	3,746	1,797	889	1,060
June	1,451	1,365	3,715	3,458	3,781	1,793	912	1,077
July	1,387	1,359	3,687	3,444	3,781	1,808	911	1,062
Aug.	1,352	1,109	3,445	3,450	3,817	1,816	939	1,062
Sept.	1,480	1,377	3,342	3,463	3,846	1,825	944	1,076
Oct.	1,541	1,271	3,072	3,452	3,866	1,813	967	1,086
Nov.	1,410	1,413	3,076	3,459	3,887	1,816	983	1,088
Dec.	1,409	1,559	3,226	3,511	3,921	1,841	966	1,113
1953—Jan.	1,347	1,329	3,227	3,481	3,900	1,838	997	1,065
Feb.	1,390	1,394	3,231	3,503	3,933	1,831	1,021	1,081
Mar.	1,555	1,510	3,186	3,501	3,942	1,804	1,044	1,094
Apr.	1,545	1,408	3,048	3,500	3,955	1,794	1,070	1,091
May	1,556	1,372	2,864	3,528	3,988	1,808	1,072	1,108
June	1,587	1,531	2,809	3,576	4,036	1,820	1,084	1,132
July	1,489	1,357	2,677	3,598	4,063	1,843	1,087	1,134
Aug.	1,423	1,363	2,617	3,650	4,133	1,874	1,117	1,143
Sept.	1,538	1,456	2,534	3,621	4,111	1,849	1,113	1,150
Oct.	1,528	1,459	2,465	3,633	4,118	1,849	1,099	1,171
Nov.	1,408	1,569	2,626	3,628	4,129	1,841	1,114	1,173
Dec.	1,395	1,429	2,660	3,661	4,127	1,867	1,075	1,185
1954—Jan.	1,311	1,466	2,813	3,680	4,149	1,835	1,106	1,208
Feb.	1,394	1,527	2,945	3,678	4,133	1,813	1,104	1,215
Mar.	1,561	1,463	2,846	3,639	4,090	1,792	1,092	1,205
Apr.	1,489	1,389	2,746	3,561	4,025	1,741	1,093	1,191
May	1,499	1,463	2,709	3,559	4,021	1,737	1,081	1,203
June	1,546	1,543	2,706	3,568	4,037	1,739	1,080	1,218
July	1,417	1,405	2,695	3,525	3,990	1,727	1,058	1,205
Aug.	1,426	1,370	2,638	3,506	3,976	1,711	1,058	1,207
Sept.	1,514	1,548	2,673	3,484	3,974	1,692	1,081	1,202
Oct.	1,449	1,330	2,556	3,474	3,957	1,682	1,079	1,196
Nov.	1,477	1,441	2,521	3,486	3,968	1,685	1,082	1,201
Dec.	1,456	1,449	2,515	3,484	3,947	1,683	1,068	1,196
1955—Jan.	1,392	1,496	2,618	3,512	3,975	1,703	1,088	1,184
Feb.	1,447	1,492	2,663	3,540	4,015	1,703	1,113	1,199
Mar.	1,603	1,566	2,626	3,585	4,055	1,701	1,109	1,245
Apr.	1,587	1,572	2,611	3,518	3,985	1,683	1,101	1,200
May	1,688	1,757	2,680	3,516	3,981	1,679	1,100	1,202
June	1,733	1,711	2,658	3,514	3,984	1,666	1,110	1,208
July	1,576	1,608	2,690	3,497	3,953	1,693	1,086	1,174
Aug.	1,669	1,723	2,744	3,482	3,947	1,671	1,105	1,170
Sept.	1,747	1,733	2,730	3,499	3,971	1,675	1,109	1,187
Oct.	1,702	1,674	2,702	3,527	4,013	1,712	1,135	1,166
Nov.	1,695	1,737	2,744	3,552	4,028	1,737	1,110	1,181
Dec.	1,644	1,684	2,784	3,636	4,070	1,766	1,105	1,199
1956—Jan.	1,539	1,752	2,997	3,699	4,132	1,788	1,106	1,237
Feb.	1,621	1,672	3,048	3,776	4,220	1,816	1,142	1,262
Mar.	1,761	1,759	3,046	3,829	4,257	1,823	1,150	1,284
Apr.	1,752	1,779	3,074	3,842	4,278	1,817	1,159	1,302
May	1,888	1,852	3,037	3,881	4,340	1,838	1,185	1,317
June	1,867	1,760	2,930	3,932	4,395	1,854	1,193	1,348
July	1,764	1,734	2,900	3,934	4,388	1,882	1,166	1,340
Aug.	1,810	1,829	2,920	3,931	4,392	1,897	1,172	1,323
Sept.	1,798	1,817	2,938	3,962	4,434	1,903	1,191	1,340
Oct. *	1,919	1,868	2,887	3,981	4,457	1,925	1,206	1,326
Nov. *	1,859	1,864	2,892	4,031	4,518	1,954	1,217	1,347
Dec. *	1,763	1,978	3,107	4,083	4,577	1,980	1,236	1,361

† 1953 to 1956 have been revised.

1. Represent an estimated projection, on a monthly basis, of the latest available Census of Industry values. The value level used being the factory selling value.
2. Indicates the rate at which new business is being received. These are new orders received during the period at estimated selling value.
3. Estimated selling value of orders received but not yet shipped, irrespective of work done on them.
4. Estimated book value of inventory owned by manufacturers in connection with manufacturing operations. Excludes value of goods purchased for re-sale.
5. Estimated total value of manufacturers' inventory holdings in connection with manufacturing operations, regardless of ownership. Includes progress payments inventory.

* Preliminary.

SELECTED SEASONALLY ADJUSTED STATISTICS★

Dominion Bureau of Statistics

	Gross National Production		Personal Income and Expenditure				Change in Business Inventories	Corporation Profits before Taxes 1	Expenditure on Construction 2	External Trade Value Indexes		Labour Force Survey			Industrial Production Index	Manufacturing						
			Labour Income	Disposable Income	Expenditure on Goods											Total		Durable Goods		Non-Durable Goods		
	Total	Ex. Farm			Durable	Non-Dur.				Exports of Goods	Imports of Goods	Without Jobs	Non-Agric. Employment	Employment in Construction		Production Index	Employment Index	Employment Index	Hrs. Worked per Week	Employment Index	Hrs. Worked per Week	
	Millions of Dollars									*1949 = 100*		*Thousands of Persons*			*1935–39 = 100*	*1949 = 100*			*Average*	*1949 = 100*	*Average*	
1955—Jan.			12,204							141	158	253			255	260	106	111	41.8	100	41.1	Jan. — 1955
Feb.	25,488	24,160	12,252	17,416	1,744	9,168	480	2,472	3,016	144	159	250	4,383	364	255	259	107	112	41.0	101	40.8	Feb.
Mar.			12,264							141	158	263			255	258	108	115	41.0	101	40.6	Mar.
Apr.			12,480							152	167	238			259	264	108	115	41.0	101	40.5	Apr.
May	26,628	25,152	12,732	18,316	1,888	9,532	−24	2,760	3,164	134	165	236	4,460	359	263	268	109	116	41.2	102	40.6	May
June			12,972							138	159	224			266	271	110	117	41.4	103	40.7	June
July			12,984							142	160	220			269	275	111	119	40.9	103	40.9	July
Aug.	27,320	25,924	13,104	18,416	1,992	9,576	300	3,044	3,344	147	181	208	4,621	374	270	276	111	118	41.4	103	40.9	Aug.
Sept.			13,104							157	180	230			272	278	112	119	41.3	105	41.0	Sept.
Oct.			13,152							159	201	209			274	278	111	119	41.4	104	40.8	Oct.
Nov.	27,640	26,224	13,200	18,652	1,980	9,600	512	3,160	3,480	143	183	195	4,631	382	278	279	112	120	41.5	105	40.9	Nov.
Dec.			13,272							143	182	198			275	277	113	120	41.2	106	40.8	Dec.
1956—Jan			13,320							159	199	200			276	278	113	121	41.2	104	41.1	Jan. — 1956
Feb.	28,632	27,060	13,488	19,060	1,932	9,916	1,272	3,104	3,620	162	199	202	4,645	391	274	275	113	121	41.2	106	41.1	Feb.
Mar.			13,536†							151	216	193			278	280	115	124	41.1	105	40.9	Mar.
Apr.			13,920†							166	225	188			279	281	115	125	41.0	106	40.3	Apr.
May	29,476	27,868	14,184†	19,900	2,112	10,040	764	3,260	3,972	149	199	183	4,691	419	278	282	116	126	41.4	106	40.7	May
June			14,496†							161	202	167			286	290	116	127	41.1	106	40.9	June
July			14,628†							164	198	150			293	299	118	128	41.3	107	41.0	July
Aug.	29,984	28,396	14,640†	20,192	2,128	10,284	292	3,348	4,076	162	200	164	4,814	416	288	288	117	127	41.5	108	40.8	Aug.
Sept.			14,784†							182	210	162			289	290	116	125	41.3†	107	40.7	Sept.
Oct.			14,784†							173	220	144			290	289	117	126	41.3†	107	40.9	Oct.
Nov.			14,784†							155	219†	163	4,874	416	292	291	118	129	41.5†	107	40.7	Nov.
Dec.			14,844							166	199	175			292	292	119	129	41.3	109	40.8	Dec.
1957—Jan.												212										Jan. — 1957

★ Note: All dollar series are expressed at annual rates. 1. As per survey of corporate earnings: profits before payment of dividends abroad and including earnings of Canadian corporations abroad. 2. As per National Accounts: expenditure on private residential and non-residential construction. † Revised.

NOTE: For data back to 1952 for most of this series, see page 87 in the "Financial Supplement 1955".

VOLUME OF INDUSTRIAL PRODUCTION

INDEXES NOT SEASONALLY ADJUSTED

"Canadian Statistical Review", Dominion Bureau of Statistics

1935–39 = 100

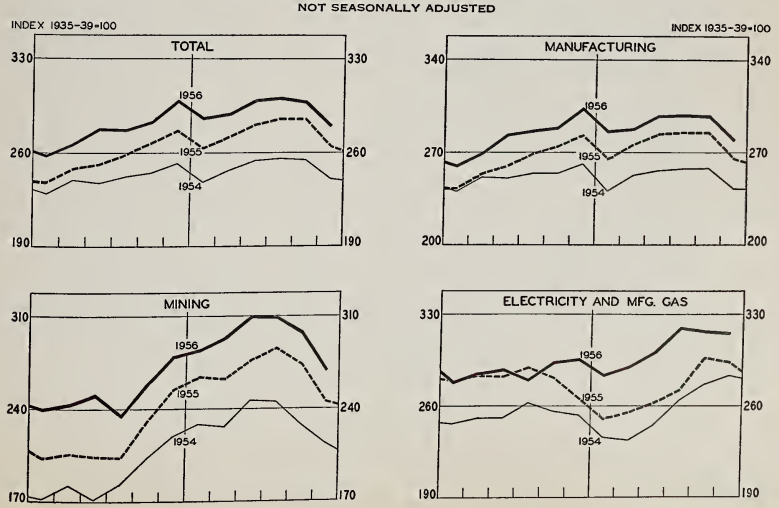
	Total	Mining	Manufacturing			Electricity and Manufactured Gas
			Total	Non-Durables	Durables	
Weighting	100.0	16.8	75.6	46.1	29.5	7.6
Annual Average						
1951	**226.5**	161.8	242.1	214.0	285.9	214.2
1952	**233.0**	174.7	246.3	215.2	294.8	228.8
1953	**248.4**	185.8	263.0	224.1	323.9	241.9
1954	**244.6**	209.7	251.4	221.7	297.7	254.6
1955	**265.8**	242.0	270.1	235.2	324.8	275.7
1956*	**284.5**	272.4	286.1	245.7	349.2	295.2
Monthly						
1955—Apr.	**259.2**	202.6	268.8	231.8	326.8	288.8
May	**267.4**	230.2	274.2	238.4	330.3	281.1
June	**276.8**	254.1	282.9	248.7	336.5	266.7
July	**263.7**	264.0	265.1	230.1	320.0	249.6
Aug.	**271.7**	261.8	275.5	245.8	322.0	255.2
Sept.	**281.2**	275.7	284.3	250.2	337.6	262.3
Oct.	**284.0**	285.3	284.9	247.5	343.2	272.3
Nov.	**283.7**	273.9	284.6	248.6	341.0	296.5
Dec.	**264.3**	245.5	265.5	229.5	321.9	293.2
1956—Jan.	**257.7**	239.8	259.5	223.5	315.8	278.8
Feb.	**266.4†**	243.6†	269.7	232.8	327.5	283.2
Mar.	**277.5†**	250.5†	282.5	240.9	347.5	286.9
Apr.	**277.4†**	234.5†	286.6	244.1	353.0	279.8
May	**283.3†**	257.5†	288.0	244.3	356.3	293.2
June	**298.7†**	279.5†	303.3	260.1	370.8	295.3
July	**285.5**	284.3†	286.1	240.2	358.0	282.7
Aug.	**288.7†**	294.3†	287.4	252.5	342.1	289.1
Sept.	**298.8†**	308.6†	296.5	260.2	353.2	300.6
Oct.	**300.8**	308.8	297.2	256.4	360.9	319.5
Nov.	**298.3***	298.4*	296.4*	254.4*	362.0*	317.1
Dec.	**280.6***	269.2*	279.6*	239.1*	342.8*	316.3

† Revised. * Preliminary.

NOTE: For the years 1952–1955 see page 82 in the "Financial Supplement 1955".

INDEXES OF INDUSTRIAL PRODUCTION

NOT SEASONALLY ADJUSTED



SELECTED HOUSING STATISTICS

Central Mortgage and Housing Corporation and Dominion Bureau of Statistics

	Dwellings in New Structures 1				Composite Indexes of Residential Building Costs			Residential Construction Expenditures 3, 6		
	Areas of 5,000 Population and over 2		All Areas 3		Residential Building Materials 4	Wage Rates of All Construction Workers 5	Residential Building Materials and Wage Rates 4	New Dwellings and Major Improvements	Repair and Maintenance	Total
	Starts	Completions	Starts	Completions						
	thousands of units				*1949 = 100*			*millions of dollars*		
Calendar Years										
1951	47.4	61.2	68.6	81.3	125.5	119.2	123.8	821.6	221.0	1,042.6
1952	63.4	54.3	83.2	73.1	124.9	129.5	126.6	825.6	203.2	1,028.8
1953	80.3	73.4	102.4	96.8	123.9	137.2	128.9	1,083.7	213.6	1,297.3
1954	89.8	80.6	113.5	102.0	121.7	141.2	129.0	1,178.0	221.8	1,399.8
1955	97.3	93.5	138.3	127.9	124.3	146.6†	131.6†	1,499.3	238.0	1,737.3
1956	87.3	95.2	127.3	135.7	128.4	152.4	136.3			
Monthly										
1955—Sept.	10.0	8.4	15.4	11.4	125.8	144.7	133.0†			
Oct.	9.5	10.5	14.9	17.4	125.8	146.6†	133.7†			
Nov.	8.6	10.7	10.9	14.2	125.7	146.9†	133.7	430.3	61.6	491.9
Dec.	4.8	9.3	6.2	12.2	126.1	146.9†	133.9†			
1956—Jan.	3.5	6.9	4.2	9.5	127.0	147.5	134.6†			
Feb.	4.1	5.8	4.7	7.5	127.0	147.4†	134.7	284.9	62.4	347.3
Mar.	4.5	7.3	5.6	8.7	128.0	147.5†	135.3†			
Apr.	7.6	7.4	10.4	9.1	128.7	147.8†	135.9†			
May	11.1	7.9	15.9	9.7	129.0	148.5†	136.3†	427.3	63.3	490.6
June	11.0	7.8	19.4	13.6	129.0	148.5†	136.3†			
July	11.1	7.4	15.9	9.7	128.9	148.9†	136.4†			
Aug.	9.0	7.4	14.0	10.7	128.9	150.5†	137.0	425.7	64.4	490.1
Sept.	8.9	7.7	13.3	12.2	128.7	151.1†	137.1†			
Oct.	7.8	10.7	11.8	18.5	128.7	152.4†	137.6†			
Nov.	5.7	10.1	8.0	14.1	128.6	151.9	137.3			
Dec.	3.2	8.7	4.1	12.5	128.4	153.0	137.6			
1957—Jan. *	1.5	7.3	1.7	10.2	128.6	153.3	137.9			

1. Excludes conversions. From 1951 to 1955 these are estimated to have totalled approximately 3.5, 3.2, 3.8, 4.4, and 4.3 thousand respectively. 2. Based on a complete enumeration. 3. In areas outside the centres of 5,000 population and over, information relating to starts and completions is based on a sample survey. In the latter part of 1954 the sample was redesigned and enlarged and some discontinuity with previous years resulted. There is probably an understatement of total starts and completions and of expenditures in 1954 and earlier years. Total number of starts in 1956 is subject to upward revision when the results of the October survey are available. 4. Calendar year figures are the averages of 12 months. 5. Index of average hourly wage rates including holiday pay allowances. Annual data refer to the month of October each year. 6. Expenditures on work put in place. All figures to be revised. † Revised. * Preliminary.

NOTE: For data back to 1952 see page 78 in the "Financial Supplement 1955"

U.S.A. ECONOMIC STATISTICS

	U.S. Department of Commerce								*U.S. Dept. of Labor*			*Federal Reserve*
	Gross National Product	Change in Business Inventories	Govt. Expenditure on National Security 1	Personal Savings as a Percentage of Disposable Income	Total Personal Income	Construction 3	Unemployment	Retail Sales 4	Consumer Price Index	Wholesale Prices: All Commodities	Average Hourly Earnings in Manufacturing 5	Total Industrial Production 4
	Billions of Dollars 2				Billions of $2	Billions of $	Millions	Billions of $	1947–49 = 100		Dollars	1947–49 = 100
Annual Averages 6												
1951	328.2	10.4	37.3	7.8	255.3	31.2	1.9	158.2	111.0	114.8	1.59	120
1952	345.4	3.0	48.8	8.0	271.8	33.0	1.7	164.1	113.5	111.6	1.67	124
1953	363.2	0.3	51.5	7.9	286.0	35.3	1.6	170.7	114.4	110.1	1.77	134
1954	360.7	−2.3	43.0	7.0	287.3	37.6	3.2	170.7†	114.8	110.3	1.81	125
1955	390.9	4.2	41.2	6.1	306.1	43.0	2.7	185.5†	114.5	110.7	1.88	139
1956	412.4	3.5	41.6	7.3	325.2	44.3	2.6	191.5†	116.2	114.3	1.98	143
Monthly												
1955—Sept.					311.0	4.1	2.1	15.8	114.9	111.7	1.90	142
Oct.					311.6	4.0	2.1	15.8	114.9	111.6	1.91	143
Nov.	401.9	6.1	40.6	6.8	314.5	3.7	2.4	15.8	115.0	111.2	1.93	143
Dec.					317.5	3.3	2.4	15.8	114.7	111.3	1.93	144
1956—Jan.					316.7	2.9	2.9	15.7	114.6	111.9	1.93	143
Feb.	403.4	4.1	40.5	6.6	317.1	2.8	2.9	15.3	114.6	112.4	1.93	143
Mar.					318.6	3.1	2.8	15.7	114.7	112.8	1.95	141
Apr.					321.7	3.4	2.6	15.5	114.9	113.6	1.96	143
May	408.3	3.5	40.7	7.4	322.8	3.8	2.6	15.9	115.4	114.4	1.97	141
June					324.9	4.1	2.9	16.0	116.2	114.2	1.97	141
July					324.3	4.2	2.8	16.0	117.0	114.0	1.97	136
Aug.	413.8	2.0	41.9	7.4	328.1	4.3	2.2	16.3	116.8	114.7	1.98	142
Sept.					329.5	4.3	2.0	16.0	117.1	115.5	2.00	145
Oct.					332.5	4.1	1.9	16.1	117.7	115.6	2.02	146
Nov.	423.8	4.1	43.2	7.5	333.5	3.8	2.5	16.4	117.8	115.9	2.03	146
Dec.					334.0†	3.4	2.5	16.5†	118.0	116.3†	2.05	147
1957—Jan.					335.2	3.0	2.9	16.4	118.2	116.9	2.05	146

1. Includes stockpiling, atomic energy, and Mutual Defence Assistance in addition to strictly military programmes.
2. Seasonally adjusted annual rates.
3. Value of new work put in place
4. Seasonally adjusted.
5. Production workers.
6. Quarterly averages for first four columns. Calendar year totals in the case of "Construction" and "Retail Sales".

† Revised.

EXTERNAL TRADE AND TRADE INDEXES

Millions of Dollars *Compiled from "Trade of Canada", Dominion Bureau of Statistics*

	Total Exports (Excluding Gold) to 1							New Gold Production Available for Export ‡	Export Indexes 4 1948 = 100		
	U.S.A.	U.K.	Other Sterling Area 2	Western Europe & Colonies 3	Central and South America	All Other	Total All Countries		Total Value	Price	Physical Volume
Calendar Yrs.											
1951	2,334	636	267	364	217	145	**3,963**	150	127.3	123.0	103.5
1952	2,349	751	291	468	281	216	**4,356**	150	139.9	121.8	114.9
1953	2,463	669	252	367	207	215	**4,173**	144	133.9	118.3	113.2
1954	2,367	658	208	349	196	169	**3,947**	155	126.2	115.1	109.6
1955	2,612	774	254	379	172	160	**4,351**	155	139.2	117.5	118.5
1956	2,880	818	257	473	188	248	**4,864**	150	155.7*	121.0*	128.7*
Monthly											
1955–May	222.0	67.2	24.3	30.6	15.0	13.9	**373.0**	15.0	143.2	117.2	122.2
June	232.6	65.5	19.5	36.8	14.1	14.8	**383.3**	13.3	147.4	118.3	124.6
July	202.1	63.8	19.4	39.2	16.4	16.0	**356.9**	11.9	135.8	117.4	115.7
Aug.	243.3	63.3	25.6	27.7	14.2	13.4	**387.5**	13.1	148.9	118.0	126.2
Sept.	230.2	72.2	30.3	32.5	15.2	8.9	**389.3**	12.2	149.8	118.4	126.5
Oct.	237.5	61.6	21.1	33.1	14.0	13.9	**381.2**	11.7	145.9	119.0	122.6
Nov.	240.1	64.2	18.1	43.3	13.2	13.3	**392.2**	15.0	150.7	118.9	126.7
Dec.	230.1	62.3	19.3	35.6	15.5	18.1	**380.9**	13.4	146.6	119.4	122.8
1956–Jan.	217.3	72.9	19.9	26.5	14.1	14.7	**365.4**	12.4	140.4	119.2	117.8
Feb.	216.0	58.8	19.5	31.4	12.4	14.8	**352.9**	12.7	135.7	119.4	113.7
Mar.	208.4	49.2	21.0	28.6	12.0	14.0	**333.2**	12.0	127.8	120.3	106.2
Apr.	236.6	65.6	19.9	30.7	15.0	20.4	**388.2**	12.5	149.3	120.8	123.6
May	261.8	59.3	25.4	42.4	16.3	30.1	**435.3**	14.4	167.2	121.7	137.4
June	233.6	65.7	28.5	50.6	17.1	33.9	**429.3**	12.9	165.3	121.9	135.6
July	237.5	75.9	22.1	46.6	16.4	31.8	**430.3**	11.1	165.6	121.0	136.9
Aug.	267.5	69.1	19.2	37.2	13.6	20.2	**426.7**	14.5	163.8	121.4	134.9
Sept.	235.8	75.7	19.9	42.1	15.3	20.6	**409.4**	12.2	157.5	121.5	129.6
Oct.	286.1	67.3	17.9	47.0	21.2	17.1	**456.6**	12.3	175.4	121.7	144.1
Nov.	243.7	83.9	22.7	44.9	16.4	14.6	**426.2**	12.3	163.4	121.7	134.3
Dec.	235.9	75.0	20.8	45.1	18.4	15.4	**410.6**	10.4	157.5*	121.6*	129.5*
1957–Jan. *	219.0	63.8					**404.1**				

	Total Imports (Excluding Gold) from							Excess of Merchandise Exports over Merchandise Imports	Import Indexes 4 1948 = 100		
	U.S.A.	U.K.	Other Sterling Area 2	Western Europe & Colonies 3	Central and South America	All Other	Total All Countries		Total Value	Price	Physical Volume
Calendar Yrs.											
1951	2,813	421	309	181	275	86	**4,085**	−122	154.8	126.2	122.7
1952	2,977	360	186	157	285	65	**4,030**	326	152.3	110.4	138.0
1953	3,221	453	172	179	291	67	**4,383**	−210	165.2	109.4	151.0
1954	2,961	392	183	199	286	72	**4,093**	−146	154.4	109.5	141.0
1955	3,452	401	211	234	320	94	**4,712**	−360	177.1	110.5	160.3
1956*	4,166	484					**5,710**	−846			
12 Mths. ending Nov. 1956	4,155	484	223	326	361	144	**5,693**	−859			
Monthly											
1955–July	274.4	33.5	16.3	17.8	23.6	7.0	**372.6**	−15.7	167.6	109.1	153.6
Aug.	301.7	45.4	18.4	21.6	32.7	10.0	**429.8**	−42.3	191.2	109.6	174.5
Sept.	302.4	31.7	23.1	22.0	27.3	7.7	**414.2**	−24.9	187.6	111.3	168.6
Oct.	331.1	38.6	21.4	23.5	31.3	10.8	**456.7**	−75.5	207.1	112.1	184.7
Nov.	303.5	40.3	24.7	32.8	31.7	10.7	**443.7**	−51.5	201.0	112.8	178.2
Dec.	289.9	28.1	11.6	21.3	26.0	8.9	**385.8**	−4.9	175.1	113.6	154.1
1956–Jan.	294.5	33.1	13.0	18.2	33.2	11.7	**403.7**	−38.3	183.2	113.3	161.7
Feb.	305.3	30.9	13.1	16.5	30.4	8.8	**405.0**	−52.1	183.5	113.7	161.4
Mar.	361.7	33.8	13.2	17.4	27.9	9.5	**463.5**	−130.4	210.0	114.3	183.7
Apr.	400.3	50.0	14.0	27.6	30.8	9.7	**532.4**	−144.2	240.0	113.8	210.9
May	397.7	49.5	26.5	32.9	32.4	11.0	**550.0**	−114.7	248.0	113.1	219.3
June	357.8	41.4	18.4	29.4	28.2	15.4	**490.6**	−61.3	221.6	113.5	195.2
July	341.7	45.9	22.5	28.8	29.8	13.9	**482.6**	−52.3	218.1	112.4	194.0
Aug.	329.7	42.8	21.6	30.9	35.1	13.6	**473.7**	−47.0	212.9	112.4	189.4
Sept.	309.9	35.8	21.2	29.0	28.4	13.4	**437.7**	−28.3	196.2	111.9	175.3
Oct.	394.6	43.7	21.6	38.5	28.0	16.5	**542.8**	−86.2	245.3	112.8	217.5
Nov.	372.3	48.5	26.4	35.8	30.7	11.4	**525.1**	−98.9	237.8*	113.1*	210.3*
Dec. *	300.8	28.9					**402.6**	+8.0			
1957–Jan. *	348.4	35.6					**459.9**	−55.8			

1. Includes exports of foreign produce. Excludes defence equipment transferred by Canada to North Atlantic Treaty countries which in 1950, 1951, 1952, 1953, 1954 and 1955 amounted to $6.8, 109.1, 100.9, 182.0, 202.4 and 165.9 respectively.
2. Consists of U.K. Dependencies, Union of South Africa, Ireland, India, Pakistan, Burma, Australia, New Zealand, Iceland, Jordan, Libya, Ceylon and Iraq.
3. Excludes Spain, but includes Greece and Turkey.
4. Excludes exports of foreign produce. Price indexes are based largely on unit values derived from the Customs' entries.

‡ See footnote 1 to "Canadian Gold Statistics" table on page 53.
† Revised. * Preliminary.

NOTE: For the years 1952–1955 see pages 76–77 in the "Financial Supplement 1955".

MERCHANDISE EXPORTS : COMMODITY CLASSIFICATION BY DESTINATION★

Compiled from "Trade of Canada", Dominion Bureau of Statistics

Millions of Dollars

Destination, Calendar Years and Quarters	Farm and Fish Products: Wheat and Wheat Flour	Barley, Oats and Rye	Other Farm and Fish [1]	Total Farm and Fish	Forest Products: Softwood Lumber	Wood Pulp	Newsprint	Other Forest Products [2]	Total Forest Products	Metals and Minerals: Iron Ore	Primary Iron and Steel	Aluminum and Products	Copper, Nickel and Products	Lead, Zinc and Products	Crude Petroleum	Other Metal and Mineral Materials [3]	Total Metal and Mineral Materials	Chemicals and Fertilizers	Total Manufactured and Miscellaneous Goods [4]	Exports of Foreign Produce	Total Exports
To U.S.A. 1953	24	115	239	378	189	202	564	128	1,083	14	56	91	178	68	6	152	565	85	308	44	**2,463**
1954	13	70	242	325	212	206	559	122	1,099	26	26	77	183	63	6	141	522	86	285	50	**2,367**
1955	12	32	228	272	256	234	578	142	1,210	80	49	84	228	64	36	169	710	112	255	53	**2,612**
1956	20	49	234	303	236	245	616	140	1,237	114	51	97	246	67	103	187	865	131	282	60	**2,879**
1954–II	7	25	59	91	43	53	142	25	263	3	7	21	47	17	1	36	132	20	88	14	**608**
III	1	13	62	76	71	51	139	33	294	12	9	19	46	17	1	34	138	15	59	13	**595**
IV	3	25	62	90	61	54	144	36	295	11	7	16	49	15	2	38	139	26	65	13	**628**
1955–I	2	2	55	59	55	52	134	33	274	–	6	18	52	16	5	35	132	36	66	13	**580**
II	5	8	54	67	67	60	145	31	303	17	11	26	54	16	7	44	174	23	69	13	**649**
III	2	4	58	64	76	59	145	39	319	38	14	23	58	15	10	43	201	22	56	14	**676**
IV	3	18	61	82	59	62	154	39	314	24	18	18	65	18	14	46	203	30	67	13	**708**
1956–I	4	3	59†	66†	56	60	147	35	298	–	10	17	60	16	20	43	166	34	65†	13	**642**
II	10	12	57†	79†	60	66	153	30†	308	26	13	24	66	14	27	49†	218	35	77†	15	**732**
III	2	16	59†	77†	68	58	155	35†	317	54	13	28	60	16	26	45†	243	27	63	15	**742†**
IV	4	18	59	82	53	61	161	40	314	34	16	28	60	21	31	49	239	34	78	17	**764**
To U.K. 1953	240	35	42	317	49	28	18	15	110	7	18	66	68	20	–	29	208	9	21	4	**669**
1954	162	34	46	242	68	34	29	14	145	6	7	75	82	27	–	37	234	16	16	5	**658**
1955	167	47	58	272	69	35	33	19	156	9	19	99	93	33	–	39	292	20	29	5	**774**
1956	198	38	72	307	39	30	42	23	133	19	15	108	99	29	–	45	315	21	37	6	**818**
1954–II	28	3	10	41	18	9	7	3	37	1	1	23	24	6	–	10	65	4	3	1	**151**
III	49	12	5	66	18	9	9	6	42	2	3	17	20	8	–	10	60	3	4	1	**176**
IV	50	17	17	84	17	9	8	4	38	2	2	22	18	8	–	9	61	6	6	1	**196**
1955–I	40	14	21	75	17	8	7	3	35	1	2	23	20	10	–	7	63	4	6	1	**184**
II	43	13	14	70	20	10	8	4	42	1	5	23	26	9	–	12	76	7	7	1	**203**
III	50	12	7	69	17	9	10	6	42	3	5	26	23	7	–	12	76	4	7	1	**199**
IV	34	8	16	58	15	9	8	5	37	4	6	27	24	7	–	9	77	5	9	1	**188**
1956–I	45	2	22	69	11	6	9	4	30	1	3	22	25	4	–	12†	68	4	9	1	**181**
II	52	6	10	68	10	7	13	4	34	3	3	25	22	8	–	12	73	6	9†	1	**190**
III	53	13	15†	81†	9	10	11	9†	40	10	5	23	25	10	–	12†	84	7	7†	2	**221**
IV	48	17	24	89	8	7	8	6	29	5	4	38	27	7	–	9	90	4	12	2	**226**
To All Other 1953	406	67	82	555	27	19	37	16	99	10	14	21	41	8	–	39	133	44	203	7	**1,041**
1954	288	27	93	408	31	31	48	20	130	8	11	33	52	9	–	42	155	59	159	11	**922**
1955	234	20	108	362	42	28	55	26	151	11	29	30	69	11	–	42	192	78	170	12	**965**
1956	366	32	112	509	34	30	51	12	127	12	41	31	84	13	1	65	246	77	199	7	**1,165**
1954–II	82	8	20	110	8	9	12	3	32	1	1	9	14	2	–	11	38	15	50	1	**246**
III	67	3	18	88	8	9	16	5	38	3	1	8	14	3	–	14	43	15	37	2	**223**
IV	80	7	25	112	9	6	15	7	37	2	7	9	15	4	–	12	49	18	38	4	**259**
1955–I	56	2	26	84	10	6	11	3	30	1	6	6	15	2	–	5	36	16	36	1	**203**
II	59	9	24	92	12	9	17	7	45	2	6	10	17	1	–	12	49	20	37	2	**245**
III	58	6	20	84	9	7	14	8	38	5	10	7	20	4	–	11	57	20	55	5	**259**
IV	60	2	39	101	10	6	13	9	38	3	8	6	16	3	–	14	50	23	42	4	**258**
1956–I	60†	5†	33†	97	7	7†	9†	2†	25†	1†	6	5	22	–	–	8†	42	16†	46†	2	**228**
II	124	12†	21†	157†	10	8†	14†	2†	24†	2†	11†	6†	20	1†	–	19†	60	20	58†	1†	**330†**
III	104†	7	20†	131†	8	9	13†	4†	34†	6†	10	7	21	7	–	17†	68	20	50†	2	**304**
IV	79	7	38	124	9	7	15	3	34	4	14	13	21	4	1	20	76	20	45	2	**301**
Total All Countries 1953	670	217	363	1,250	265	249	619	159	1,292	31	88	178	287	96	6	220	906	138	532	55	**4,173**
1954	463	131	381	975	311	271	636	156	1,374	40	44	185	317	99	6	220	911	161	460	66	**3,947**
1955	413	99	394	906	367	297	666	187	1,517	100	97	213	390	108	36	250	1,194	210	455	70	**4,351**
1956	584	119	417	1,120	309	305	708	174	1,496	144	107	236	428	109	104	297	1,426	229	518	73	**4,863**
1954–II	117	36	89	242	69	71	161	31	332	5	9	53	85	25	1	57	235	39	141	16	**1,005**
III	117	28	84	229	98	69	164	44	375	17	13	44	80	28	1	58	241	33	99	16	**993**
IV	133	49	104	286	87	69	166	48	370	15	16	47	82	27	2	59	248	51	109	18	**1,082**
1955–I	98	18	102	218	82	66	152	39	339	2	15	47	87	28	5	47	231	56	108	15	**967**
II	107	30	92	229	99	79	170	42	390	20	22	59	97	26	7	68	299	50	112	16	**1,097**
III	110	22	85	217	102	75	169	53	399	46	29	56	101	26	10	66	334	46	118	20	**1,134**
IV	97	28	116	241	84	77	175	53	389	31	32	51	105	28	14	69	330	58	118	18	**1,154**
1956–I	108	9	114†	232†	74	72	166	41†	353†	2†	19	44	107	21	20	64†	276	55	120†	16	**1,052†**
II	186	31	88†	304†	80	80	179	36†	375†	30	26	56	108	24	27	81†	351	61	143	18	**1,252†**
III	158	36	94†	289†	85	77	180	48†	390†	69	28	58	106	33	26	75	395	54	120†	19	**1,267†**
IV	131	42	121	295	71	75	183	49	378	43	34	79	107	31	31	78	404	58	135	21	**1,291**

★ A complete list of items included in this classification is available from the Research Department on request.
1. Mainly fishery products, cattle and beef, pork and products, flaxseed, furs and dairy products.
2. Mainly pulpwood, plywoods, veneers, hardwood lumber, logs, pit props, poles and paper products. Also includes a small amount of non-commercial items, e.g., settlers' effects, postal packages and donations.
3. Largely asbestos, silver and products, platinum and abrasives.
4. Mainly machinery (both farm and non-farm) and parts, whiskey, beer, automobiles, trucks and parts, electrical apparatus, textiles, aircraft and parts.
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As at Dec. 31													
1951	186.4	955.3	1,049.3			2,004.7	**2,191.1**	–	–	–	–	204.2	1951
1952	282.9	1,176.9	767.2			1,944.1	**2,227.0**	–	–	–	–	84.5	1952
1953	374.5	1,002.1	893.7			1,895.7	**2,270.2**	*21.8*	–	–	–	67.2	1953
1954	168.5	1,193.0	410.8	297.3	152.5	2,053.6	**2,222.0**	–	–	–	–	66.4	1954
1955	262.6	1,021.2	354.5	516.6	212.5	2,104.9	**2,367.5**	–	–	–	2.0	114.7	1955
1956	505.2	519.7 [5]	629.7 [5]	507.2 [5]	232.0 [5]	1,888.7 [5]	**2,393.9** [5]	–	–	–	–	77.7	1956
End of													**End of**
1956—Mar.	455.6	510.3	449.1	624.2	199.9	1,783.5	**2,239.1**	–	–	–	5.0	101.0	Mar.—1956
Apr.	323.5	440.6	569.6	725.1	231.6	1,966.8	**2,290.3**	–	–	–	–	94.4	Apr.
May	392.4	673.3	643.1	328.7	206.4	1,851.5	**2,243.9**	–	–	–	15.7	104.1	May
June	456.1	585.3	798.9	328.8	148.8	1,861.8	**2,317.8**	–	–	–	–	96.7	June
July	453.0	576.5	828.0	335.7	138.1	1,878.4	**2,331.4**	–	–	–	–	91.7	July
Aug.	495.1	524.2	849.8	354.4	131.3	1,859.7	**2,354.8**	–	–	–	–	74.4	Aug.
Sept.	535.3	506.0	672.7	447.5	215.6	1,841.7	**2,377.1**	–	–	–	–	74.8	Sept.
Oct.	557.5	473.8	669.7	451.5	221.4	1,816.4	**2,374.0**	–	–	–	–	68.5	Oct.
Nov.	553.5	467.7	672.7	466.4	222.5	1,829.2	**2,382.8**	–	–	–	–	77.9	Nov.
Dec.	505.2	519.7 [5]	629.7 [5]	507.2 [5]	232.0 [5]	1,888.7 [5]	**2,393.9** [5]	–	–	–	–	77.7	Dec.
1957—Jan.	413.5	678.2	438.8	510.3	229.2	1,856.5	**2,270.0**	*2.1*	–	–	–	75.1	Jan.—1957
Feb.	436.6	616.1	620.4	318.9	224.9	1,780.4	**2,217.0**	*1.2*	–	–	–	84.8	Feb.
Mar.	477.2	627.9	612.4	314.4	223.5	1,778.4	**2,255.6**	*0.7*	–	–	–	75.2	Mar.
Average of Wednesdays													**Average of Wednesdays**
1956—Mar.	421.6	612.7	1,214.9			1,827.6	**2,249.2**	*3.8*	–	–	–	96.7	Mar.—1956
Apr.	410.2	472.9	1,395.3			1,868.2	**2,278.4**	–	–	–	11.5	97.0	Apr.
May	353.7	723.6	1,195.5			1,919.2	**2,272.9**	*0.2*	–	–	5.1	101.1	May
June	447.9	641.4	1,230.1			1,871.6	**2,319.5**	–	–	–	5.7	95.7	June
July	456.3	588.3	1,286.7			1,875.0	**2,331.3**	*0.8*	–	–	20.3	90.8	July
Aug.	482.7	541.4	1,325.3			1,866.7	**2,349.3**	*1.0*	–	–	6.4	79.4	Aug.
Sept.	505.1	514.9	1,335.0			1,859.9	**2,365.0**	*1.4*	–	–	–	70.7	Sept.
Oct.	526.3	500.7	1,342.1			1,842.8	**2,369.1**	*1.4*	–	–	6.4	70.5	Oct.
Nov.	536.9	455.7	1,352.3			1,808.0	**2,344.9**	*3.8*	–	–	21.3	77.0	Nov.
Dec.	525.9	493.4	1,369.4			1,862.8	**2,388.7**	*0.4*	–	–	13.6	75.9	Dec.
1957—Jan.	466.4	687.6 [5]	1,178.3 [5]			1,866.0 [5]	**2,332.4** [5]	*1.2*	–	–	6.0	72.6	Jan.—1957
Feb.	402.6	646.2	1,174.1			1,820.3	**2,222.9**	*7.0*	–	–	–	73.8	Feb.
Mar.	484.3	610.9	1,149.4			1,760.3	**2,244.5**	*0.1*	–	–	5.4	75.4	Mar.
As at													**As at**
1956—Oct. 3	536.9	506.1	1,347.8			1,853.9	**2,390.8**	–	–	–	–	71.4	3 Oct.—1956
10	496.0	496.1	1,343.5			1,839.6	**2,335.6**	–	–	–	32.0	68.1	10
17	498.3	524.8	1,338.8			1,863.6	**2,361.9**	*7.2*	–	–	–	71.1	17
24	542.6	502.8	1,337.7			1,840.6	**2,383.1**	–	–	–	–	73.3	24
31	557.5	473.8	1,342.6			1,816.4	**2,374.0**	–	–	–	–	68.5	31
Nov. 7	549.0	451.4	1,345.6			1,797.0	**2,346.0**	–	–	–	–	72.5	7 Nov.
14	529.0	452.1	1,344.7			1,796.8	**2,325.8**	–	–	–	25.0	81.3	14
21	540.6	452.9	1,357.5			1,810.5	**2,351.1**	*15.1*	–	–	10.0	70.2	21
28	528.8	466.3	1,361.5			1,827.7	**2,356.5**	–	–	–	50.0	83.8	28
Dec. 5	536.7	468.4	1,363.9			1,832.3	**2,369.0**	–	–	–	–	66.3	5 Dec.
12	543.3	481.1	1,370.1			1,851.2	**2,394.6**	*1.4*	–	–	–	77.9	12
19	508.3	511.9	1,368.5			1,880.3	**2,388.7**	–	–	–	44.5	79.9	19
26	515.3	512.0	1,375.2			1,887.3	**2,402.5**	–	–	–	10.0	79.7	26
1957—Jan. 2	493.3	707.1 [5]	1,177.0 [5]			1,884.2 [5]	**2,377.4** [5]	–	–	–	–	67.5	2 Jan.—1957
9	484.1	678.8	1,178.7			1,857.5	**2,341.6**	*6.0*	–	–	30.0	75.2	9
16	484.2	682.1	1,179.7			1,861.9	**2,346.1**	–	–	–	–	75.8	16
23	454.0	685.8	1,177.6			1,863.4	**2,317.4**	–	–	–	–	73.2	23
30	416.5	684.3	1,178.5			1,862.8	**2,279.3**	–	–	–	–	71.3	30
Feb. 6	383.3	672.4	1,183.8			1,856.2	**2,239.5**	–	–	–	–	82.6	6 Feb.
13	391.5	654.9	1,182.6			1,837.5	**2,229.0**	*7.8*	–	–	–	69.9	13
20	401.1	638.6	1,161.9			1,800.5	**2,201.6**	*20.4*	–	–	–	69.2	20
27	434.4	619.0	1,168.1			1,787.1	**2,221.4**	–	–	–	–	73.4	27
Mar. 6	471.4	604.4	1,147.8			1,752.1	**2,223.5**	*0.5*	–	–	0.4	77.0	6 Mar.
13	487.1	609.9	1,149.7			1,759.6	**2,246.6**	–	–	–	11.0	78.9	13
20	498.8	611.5	1,149.6			1,761.1	**2,259.9**	–	–	–	–	73.7	20
27	479.8	617.9	1,150.4			1,768.3	**2,248.0**	–	–	–	10.0	72.0	27

1. Foreign exchange and foreign securities exceeding market values" to amortized values, and for this reason figures for Dec. 31 and later dates are not comparable with those for earlier dates.
2. Industrial Development Bank capital stock, bonds and debentures.
3. Bank premises and all other assets.
* Not available.
† Revised.

NOTE: For data back to 1946 by month-end and to January 1953 by weeks for the majority of these series see pages 4–13 in the "Financial Supplement 1954" and the "Financial Supplement 1955".

Millions of Dollars

	Investment in IDB 2	All Other Accounts 3	Total Assets or Liabilities	LIABILITIES: Notes in Circulation: Held by Chartered Banks	Notes in Circulation: Held by Others	Notes in Circulation: Total	Canadian Dollar Deposits: Govt. of Canada	Canadian Dollar Deposits: Chartered Banks	Canadian Dollar Deposits: Other	Foreign Currency Liabilities	All Other Accounts 4	
As at Dec. 31												
1951	27.8	21.0	**2,444.1**	273.1	1,191.1	**1,464.2**	94.9	619.0	66.1	155.6	44.4	1951
1952	30.8	39.2	**2,381.4**	272.5	1,288.7	**1,561.2**	16.2	626.6	44.5	82.9	50.0	1952
1953	36.3	63.5	**2,437.2**	263.8	1,335.3	**1,599.1**	51.5	623.9	29.5	63.8	69.3	1953
1954	35.6	76.9	**2,400.8**	261.6	1,361.9	**1,623.5**	56.3	529.6	30.5	63.1	97.9	1954
1955	35.1	100.9	**2,620.2**	289.4	1,449.0	**1,738.5**	89.2	551.0	34.0	98.0	109.5	1955
1956	48.0	28.1	**2,547.7**	370.9	1,497.8	**1,868.7**	38.8	511.5	31.2	62.2	35.4	1956
End of												**End of**
1956—Mar.	36.9	22.7	**2,404.7**	219.1	1,458.1	**1,677.2**	48.1	506.1	31.4	91.2	50.7	Mar.—1956
Apr.	36.9	54.3	**2,475.9**	271.0	1,415.4	**1,686.3**	54.1	564.9	30.6	83.5	56.6	Apr.
May	37.0	53.6	**2,454.3**	280.9	1,425.2	**1,706.1**	30.2	542.8	29.9	82.7	62.6	May
June	38.3	131.0	**2,583.9**	235.3	1,499.6	**1,734.9**	51.1	574.7	32.2	87.2	103.8	June
July	39.9	48.2	**2,511.2**	304.6	1,457.7	**1,762.3**	49.8	500.0	39.6	82.0	77.4	July
Aug.	40.8	143.3	**2,613.4**	249.6	1,515.0	**1,764.6**	65.4	580.6	35.6	64.4	102.8	Aug.
Sept.	42.2	108.2	**2,602.1**	255.8	1,513.7	**1,769.5**	46.0	564.0	45.2	64.9	112.4	Sept.
Oct.	42.8	85.9	**2,571.1**	309.1	1,471.8	**1,780.9**	55.0	575.3	30.7	56.4	72.9	Oct.
Nov.	43.7	116.9	**2,621.3**	250.5	1,542.9	**1,793.5**	7.4	624.9	31.7	68.2	95.7	Nov.
Dec.	48.0	28.1	**2,547.7**	370.9	1,497.8	**1,868.7**	38.8	511.5	31.2	62.2	35.4	Dec.
1957—Jan.	48.9	66.9	**2,460.9**	294.1	1,444.8	**1,738.9**	57.8	524.0	34.3	65.4	40.5	Jan.—1957
Feb.	50.1	69.6	**2,421.5**	260.6	1,457.3	**1,717.9**	52.7	497.5	27.2	75.0	51.4	Feb.
Mar.	50.9	167.0	**2,548.7**	*	*	**1,724.6**	78.3	519.5	25.1	65.4	135.8	Mar.
Average of Wednesdays												**Average of Wednesdays**
1956—Mar.	36.6	38.8	**2,421.2**	302.3	1,360.3	**1,662.6**	48.6	538.7	34.0	87.9	49.4	Mar.—1956
Apr.	36.9	48.3	**2,472.0**	318.4	1,366.8	**1,685.2**	48.3	556.0	31.0	87.5	64.0	Apr.
May	36.9	51.3	**2,467.4**	320.4	1,384.4	**1,704.8**	52.4	537.2	28.9	88.7	55.4	May
June	37.2	53.1	**2,511.1**	335.9	1,386.0	**1,721.9**	55.7	550.2	32.1	85.7	65.4	June
July	38.3	47.5	**2,528.3**	339.6	1,417.6	**1,787.2**	47.9	531.5	32.9	81.0	77.7	July
Aug.	39.9	56.0	**2,531.0**	332.2	1,434.5	**1,766.7**	51.9	545.6	30.2	69.7	66.8	Aug.
Sept.	41.0	42.5	**2,519.3**	342.2	1,430.8	**1,772.9**	47.7	542.8	31.4	60.7	63.7	Sept.
Oct.	42.2	55.0	**2,543.2**	335.0	1,447.5	**1,782.5**	59.3	538.3	31.4	60.4	71.3	Oct.
Nov.	42.8	63.6	**2,549.5**	349.9	1,444.1	**1,794.1**	45.0	531.4	30.2	67.3	81.6	Nov.
Dec.	43.7	49.3	**2,571.3**	356.7	1,481.5	**1,838.2**	32.6	548.5	30.7	61.6	59.7	Dec.
1957—Jan.	48.1	55.3	**2,514.3**	378.7	1,423.4	**1,802.2**	57.5	524.5	27.9	63.0	39.3	Jan.—1957
Feb.	49.0	60.6	**2,481.3**	325.7	1,400.4	**1,726.0**	64.3	478.3	28.0	64.1	45.5	Feb.
Mar.	50.1	54.0	**2,429.4**	316.9	1,407.8	**1,724.7**	51.0	513.8	28.6	65.3	45.9	Mar.
As at												**As at**
1956—Oct. 3	42.1	50.4	**2,544.8**	318.6	1,458.3	**1,776.9**	70.9	534.3	35.7	61.5	75.5	3 Oct.—1956
10	42.1	57.3	**2,535.1**	346.4	1,441.2	**1,787.6**	51.2	539.6	28.6	58.3	69.7	10
17	42.1	40.2	**2,515.3**	340.5	1,447.5	**1,788.0**	52.5	509.1	31.8	62.2	71.7	17
24	42.1	41.3	**2,539.8**	360.4	1,418.7	**1,779.1**	67.1	533.1	30.0	63.5	67.0	24
31	42.8	85.9	**2,571.1**	309.1	1,471.8	**1,780.9**	55.0	575.3	30.7	56.4	72.9	31
Nov. 7	42.7	86.3	**2,547.6**	335.6	1,455.9	**1,791.4**	43.9	528.0	29.3	62.7	92.2	7 Nov.
14	42.7	59.4	**2,534.2**	348.6	1,448.0	**1,796.6**	44.8	508.6	28.1	71.7	84.4	14
21	42.7	72.2	**2,546.2**	355.3	1,441.7	**1,796.9**	41.7	525.5	31.9	60.5	89.7	21
28	43.1	36.8	**2,570.1**	360.3	1,431.0	**1,791.3**	49.5	563.6	31.4	74.1	60.1	28
Dec. 5	43.7	52.4	**2,531.3**	329.2	1,479.0	**1,808.2**	50.2	529.2	29.4	56.9	57.4	5 Dec.
12	43.7	51.1	**2,567.3**	369.3	1,457.6	**1,826.9**	39.9	542.1	27.9	65.8	64.8	12
19	43.6	47.5	**2,604.1**	361.0	1,491.6	**1,852.7**	18.6	581.0	27.9	62.1	61.8	19
26	43.8	46.2	**2,582.3**	367.2	1,497.8	**1,865.0**	21.5	541.7	37.8	61.4	54.9	26
1957—Jan. 2	48.0	86.3	**2,579.2**	386.2†	1,480.6†	**1,866.8**	72.9	511.1	31.0	58.0	39.4	2 Jan.—1957
9	48.0	71.8	**2,566.6**	423.9†	1,414.5†	**1,838.4**	60.5	528.6	29.1	65.5	44.5	9
16	48.1	39.4	**2,509.4**	373.2†	1,427.5†	**1,800.7**	50.2	524.9	26.9	66.1	40.5	16
23	48.3	39.1	**2,477.9**	377.5†	1,386.4†	**1,763.9**	51.7	534.8	26.9	63.4	37.2	23
30	48.3	39.7	**2,438.6**	339.8	1,401.1	**1,741.0**	52.1	523.1	25.5	62.0	35.0	30
Feb. 6	48.9	56.4	**2,427.5**	327.7	1,409.5	**1,737.2**	60.1	481.0	31.4	72.9	45.0	6 Feb.
13	48.9	41.1	**2,388.9**	338.0	1,391.9	**1,729.9**	50.2	469.9	29.4	60.3	49.2	13
20	48.9	47.4	**2,367.1**	329.0	1,392.3	**1,721.3**	48.6	466.8	25.6	59.4	45.5	20
27	49.3	97.5	**2,441.7**	308.1	1,407.7	**1,715.8**	98.4	495.6	25.6	63.8	42.4	27
Mar. 6	50.1	84.0	**2,435.0**	304.5	1,421.2	**1,725.7**	58.9	508.8	26.1	67.0	48.5	6 Mar.
13	50.1	42.7	**2,429.3**	323.3	1,403.0	**1,726.3**	40.2	512.0	36.8	68.5	45.5	13
20	50.1	48.3	**2,432.1**	317.8	1,406.7	**1,724.4**	57.9	513.9	27.4	63.5	45.0	20
27	50.1	41.0	**2,421.2**	322.0	1,400.2	**1,722.2**	47.2	520.7	24.2	62.3	44.6	27

4. Capital, rest fund and all other liabilities.
5. On Dec. 31, 1956, the basis for the valuation of securities held by the Bank of Canada was changed from "not

CHARTERED BANKS

MONTHLY SERIES

Bank of Canada

Millions of Dollars

I. CANADIAN CASH RESERVES★

	Cash Reserves: Bank of Canada Deposits	Cash Reserves: Bank of Canada Notes	Cash Reserves: Total	Canadian Dollar Deposit Liabilities	Average Cash Reserve Ratio 1
Averages					
1951	567	225	**792**	7,759	10.2
1952	606	239	**844**	8,110	10.4
1953	627	256	**883**	8,624	10.2
1954 1st Half	634	260	**894**	8,820	10.1
1954 2nd Half★	525	286	**811**	9,097	8.9
1955	541	293	**834**	9,915	8.4
1956	548	325	**873**	10,527	8.3
1955–Sept.	542	303	**845**	10,264	8.2
Oct.	556	301	**857**	10,314	8.3
Nov.	549	313	**861**	10,383	8.3
Dec.	552	312	**863**	10,487	8.2
1956–Jan.	568	310	**877**	10,515	8.4
Feb.	504	354	**858**	10,448	8.2
Mar.	542	299	**841**	10,285	8.2
Apr.	561	294	**855**	10,357	8.3
May	545	310	**856**	10,409	8.2
June	560	318	**878**	10,597	8.3
July	544	332	**876**	10,608	8.3
Aug.	563	338	**900**	10,649	8.5
Sept.	549	328	**877**	10,563	8.3
Oct.	544	340	**885**	10,607	8.3
Nov.	539	341	**881**	10,591	8.3
Dec.	553	338	**890**	10,704	8.3
1957–Jan.	523	355	**878**	10,660	8.2
Feb.	475	390	**865**	10,525	8.2
Mar.*	514	334	**847**	10,370	8.2

II. LIABILITIES

	Advances from Bank of Canada	Govt. of Canada	Provincial Governments	Canadian Dollar Deposits: Personal Savings	Other Notice	Other Banks 2	Public Demand	Total	Foreign Currency Deposits	Acceptances, Guarantees, & Letters of Credit	All Other Liabilities	Shareholders Equity 3	Total Liabilities
As at Dec. 31													
1951	–	88	185	4,296	316	95	2,993	**7,973**	878	225	7	375	**9,458**
1952	–	49	214	4,600	325	75	3,373	**8,636**	905	199	7	381	**10,128**
1953	–	473	166	4,756	278	69	3,368	**9,111**	963	155	8	419	**10,656**
1954	–	176	190	5,218	397	104	3,597	**9,683**	1,030	155	43	521	**11,433**
1955	2	517	181	5,633	464	139	3,915	**10,848**	1,056	203	26	567	**12,702**
1956	–	246	169	6,007	444	116	4,180	**11,162**	1,369	210	34	653	**13,428**
End of													
1955—Sept.	–	134	213	5,757	576	142	3,725	**10,547**	1,044	189	21	552	**12,353**
Oct.	15	165	158	5,839	526	156	3,924	**10,768**	1,048	200	39	560	**12,629**
Nov.	2	543	143	5,615	477	136	3,735	**10,650**	1,098	211	30	567	**12,557**
Dec.	2	517	181	5,633	464	139	3,915	**10,848**	1,056	203	26	567	**12,702**
1956—Jan.	–	501	148	5,676	469	117	3,596	**10,507**	1,070	216	28	567	**12,387**
Feb.	–	493	152	5,721	476	123	3,483	**10,449**	1,118	226	21	567	**12,380**
Mar.	5	488	223	5,791	466	125	3,316	**10,408**	1,148	229	21	568	**12,380**
Apr.	–	355	162	5,919	480	124	3,766	**10,805**	1,185	220	27	569	**12,806**
May	16	494	168	5,844	485	110	3,554	**10,655**	1,203	216	24	587	**12,700**
June	–	413	172	5,881	459	118	3,817	**10,860**	1,236	217	23	609	**12,944**
July	–	279	143	5,923	472	115	3,773	**10,706**	1,315	210	27	619	**12,878**
Aug.	–	275	123	5,941	477	110	3,731	**10,658**	1,354	226	24	628	**12,889**
Sept.	–	281	117	6,020	476	110	3,812	**10,816**	1,315	223	23	631	**13,008**
Oct.	–	153	154	6,098	453	155	3,846	**10,859**	1,334	216	48	647	**13,104**
Nov.	–	417	103	5,974	439	123	3,821	**10,877**	1,376	221	38	652	**13,164**
Dec.	–	246	169	6,007	444	116	4,180	**11,162**	1,369	210	34	653	**13,428**
1957—Jan.	–	254	138	6,039	438	110	3,499	**10,479**	1,409	209	41	653	**12,791**
Feb.	–	391	142	6,090	454	103	3,445	**10,625**	1,506	236	36	656	**13,058**

III. ASSETS

	Bank of Canada Deposits and Notes	Cdn. Day-to-Day Loans	Treasury Bills	Government of Canada Direct and Guaranteed Bonds 6: 2 yrs. and under	Over 2 years	Total	Other Canadian Securities 6: Provincial 7, 8	Municipal 8	Corporate	Total	Ins. Res. Mtges.	Call and Short 9: To Stock-Brokers 11	To Others	Provincial 8	Municipal 8
As at Dec. 31															
1951	892	–	236	499	2,019	2,518	321	167	393	881	–	78	30	68	94
1952	899	–	138	869	1,777	2,647	304	159	370	834	–	73	82	79	97
1953	888	–	244	482	2,034	2,516	280	152	341	773	–	61	92	65	96
1954	791	68	360	636	2,318	2,953	264	177	353	794	74	68	75	61	103
1955	840	81	427	475	2,157	2,632	322	218	482	1,022	294	112	67	83	124
1956	882	74	740	406	1,269	1,675	269	185	510	964	493	90	62	95	177
End of															
1955–Sept.	796	44	369	401	2,775	3,175	337	214	449	999	209	88	45	33	130
Oct.	858	86	337	646	2,484	3,130	338	219	469	1,027	236	94	52	51	125
Nov.	852	54	327	564	2,364	2,928	336	218	479	1,034	264	99	48	83	121
Dec.	840	81	427	475	2,157	2,632	322	218	482	1,022	294	112	67	83	124
1956–Jan.	819	59	512	436	2,047	2,482	317	213	480	1,009	317	113	52	60	143
Feb.	759	82	564	406	1,993	2,400	308	210	489	1,007	331	116	56	54	166
Mar.	725	75	593	398	1,922	2,319	298	210	485	993	345	109	53	6	200
Apr.	836	43	756	350	1,695	2,045	295	211	489	995	361	120	56	16	223
May	824	64	767	558	1,424	1,982	297	208	504	1,010	377	118	73	33	215
June	810	97	772	557	1,398	1,955	291	206	510	1,007	393	121	57	27	157
July	805	109	742	511	1,383	1,893	292	202	511	1,005	412	127	58	36	150
Aug.	830	68	814	522	1,325	1,847	291	200	520	1,010	432	123	37	57	145
Sept.	820	114	786	526	1,322	1,848	286	197	519	1,003	448	110	38	81	167
Oct.	884	85	791	464	1,320	1,784	295	197	516	1,008	471	104	39	83	168
Nov.	875	64	743	485	1,280	1,765	265	192	518	975	489	89	36	124	152
Dec.	882	74	740	406	1,269	1,675	269	185	510	964	493	90	62	95	177
1957–Jan. 5	818	86	800	503 4	1,232 4	1,735 4	284 4	178	501 5	963	500	86	40	60	201
Feb.	758	101	809	545	1,223	1,768	288	178	499	964	507	90	63	74	218

	Loans 9 In Canada: Grain Dealers 10, 11	C.S.B. 11, 12	Sub-Total 11	General Loans 11	Total Loans	Total of Foregoing Assets	Canadian Dollar Items in Transit (Net)	Foreign Cash Items Securities & Loans: Cash Items 13	Foreign Sec.	Loans Outside Canada	Customers' Liability Under Acceptances, Guarantees, & Letters of Credit	All Other Assets 14	Total Assets
As at Dec. 31													
1951	177	137	583	2,587	3,171	**7,698**	512	254	206	409	225	154	**9,458**
1952	257	146	734	2,786	3,519	**8,037**	752	283	262	435	199	160	**10,128**
1953	391	165	871	3,235	4,105	**8,526**	751	280	244	540	155	160	**10,656**
1954	404	147	859	3,236	4,095	**9,135**	827	332	322	488	155	174	**11,433**
1955	361	163	910	3,979	4,889	**10,185**	1,002	327	282	518	203	185	**12,702**
1956	373	169	966	4,431	5,397	**10,225**	1,330	356	375	720	210	213	**13,428**
End of													
1955–Sept.	360	20	676	3,750	4,426	**10,019**	803	297	314	540	189	191	**12,353**
Oct.	369	7	699	3,889	4,588	**10,262**	835	301	300	546	200	186	**12,629**
Nov.	368	185	904	3,955	4,859	**10,318**	677	309	297	561	211	183	**12,557**
Dec.	361	163	910	3,979	4,889	**10,185**	1,002	327	282	518	203	185	**12,702**
1956–Jan.	360	144	872	4,029	4,901	**10,099**	736	297	291	554	216	193	**12,387**
Feb.	356	129	877	4,086	4,962	**10,105**	677	301	293	585	226	192	**12,380**
Mar.	354	114	836	4,234	5,069	**10,120**	629	310	295	607	229	190	**12,380**
Apr.	319	97	831	4,352	5,183	**10,218**	936	314	314	611	220	193	**12,806**
May	312	76	828	4,460	5,288	**10,311**	717	296	326	632	216	202	**12,700**
June	340	60	763	4,535	5,297	**10,332**	920	294	339	641	217	201	**12,944**
July	350	45	765	4,541	5,307	**10,273**	836	314	380	657	210	207	**12,878**
Aug.	358	34	753	4,569	5,321	**10,323**	697	334	355	750	226	205	**12,889**
Sept.	341	22	759	4,521	5,280	**10,298**	859	313	396	711	223	207	**13,008**
Oct.	359	4	756	4,609	5,365	**10,388**	843	381	371	701	216	203	**13,104**
Nov.	361	193	955	4,575	5,531	**10,442**	878	314	395	712	221	202	**13,164**
Dec.	373	169	966	4,431	5,397	**10,225**	1,330	356	375	720	210	213	**13,428**
1957–Jan. 5	359	150	896	4,408 5	5,304 5	**10,207 5**	715	311	370	763 5	209	216	**12,791**
Feb.	355	134	934	4,423	5,357	**10,265**	814	352	395	780	236	217	**13,058**

★ For periods prior to July 1954 all figures in this section are daily averages. From July 1954, in accordance with section 71 of the Bank Act of 1954, Bank of Canada deposits are averages of the juridical days in the month shown while Bank of Canada notes and Canadian dollar deposit liabilities are averages of the 4 consecutive Wednesdays ending with the second last Wednesday in the previous month.

1. Prior to July 1st, 1954, the statutory minimum requirement was 5 per cent for each day; since that date it has been a monthly average of 8 per cent, calculated as described in footnote ★.
2. Mainly deposits of foreign banks.
3. Capital, rest fund, and undivided profits as at the latest fiscal year-end.
4. Beginning January 31, 1957, month-end figures for chartered bank holdings of Government of Canada and provincial government securities are based on "amortized value" and are therefore not directly comparable with figures for preceding month-ends, which are based on "not exceeding market value".
5. Beginning January 31, 1957, figures for certain chartered bank asset items are not strictly comparable with those for earlier dates, owing to the reallocation of inner reserves consequent upon the securities valuation change referred to in footnote 4. Investment reserves which became redundant were reallocated to apply against other asset items, mainly general loans, loans outside Canada and corporate securities.
6. Including issues payable in foreign currency.
7. Includes securities guaranteed by provincial governments.
8. Securities purchased direct from issuer with a term of less than one year at time of issue are classified as loans.
9. Excluding Canadian day-to-day loans.
10. Loans to grain dealers and exporters.
11. "Call & Short loans to Stockbrokers", "Grain Dealers", "Canada Savings Bonds" and "General Loans" are Research Department estimates.
12. Loans to finance the purchase of Canada Savings Bonds at time of issue.
13. Includes deposits with other banks in foreign currencies, foreign bank notes, gold and coin outside Canada and foreign currency items in transit (net).
14. Includes bank premises, shares of and loans to controlled corporations, gold and coin in Canada, Canadian dollar deposits with other banks, non-current loans and other assets. * Preliminary.

NOTE: For data back to 1946 see pages 14–21 in the "Financial Supplement 1954" and pages 14–17 in the "Financial Supplement 1955".

CHARTERED BANKS

ESTIMATED WEEKLY SERIES

Bank of Canada

Millions of Dollars

	Bank of Canada Deposits & Notes ★	Cdn. Day-to-Day Loans	Treasury Bills	Govt. of Canada Bonds 1	Other Canadian Securities: Provincial 1, 3, 4	Municipal 4	Corporate	Total	Insured Residential Mortgages	Call & Short 2: To Stock-Brokers	To Others	Provincial 4	Municipal 4
Average of Wednesdays													
1955—Mar.	780	80	423	3,122	290	182	374	846	105	137		41	134
Apr.	817	87	388	3,172	294	189	388	872	114	115		8	160
May	817	93	419	3,210	296	198	394	888	124	78	54	10	151
June	803	111	409	3,229	313	204	409	926	138	83	63	23	130
July	854	114	391	3,268	312	203	435	950	152	94	88	17	132
Aug.	848	80	416	3,270	315	211	437	964	173	95	52	16	115
Sept.	852	54	379	3,210	334	211	443	988	196	95	40	32	123
Oct.	859	50	363	3,127	336	213	449	997	221	94	52	38	130
Nov.	854	53	298	3,051	336	215	473	1,024	250	99	55	66	117
Dec.	879	57	375	2,721	329	217	482	1,029	281	106	56	94	121
1956—Jan.	921	55	442	2,541	320	214	478	1,012	303	107	53	67	126
Feb.	796	80	542	2,432	312	211	482	1,005	324	114	53	54	147
Mar.	841	61	570	2,352	297	208	482	987	339	117	48	33	179
Apr.	874	17	640	2,184	295	208	480	984	352	119	57	11	213
May	858	59	759	1,994	294	207	489	990	368	126	65	24	216
June	886	78	760	1,932	289	206	504	1,000	385	119	62	39	188
July	871	77	739	1,906	288	202	509	999	400	128	58	25	151
Aug.	878	62	790	1,871	290	200	514	1,004	420	127	41	41	145
Sept.	885	78	798	1,850	289	197	516	1,002	438	120	35	61	153
Oct.	873	76	785	1,826	293	195	517	1,005	459	107	40	69	167
Nov.	880	79	771	1,773	280	191	515	987	480	95	36	108	142
Dec.	904	70	747	1,706	267	186	510	964	493	88	53	124	159
1957—Jan.	905†	80	766	1,629	265	179	506	950	496	89	47	66	186
Feb.	804	113	813	1,658	270	179	504	952	502	87	48	72	199
As at													
1956—Aug. 1	800	95	749	1,897	289	201	512	1,001	411	128	55	34	145
8	885	94	728	1,887	289	200	513	1,002	415	132	44	37	145
15	939	44	806	1,860	290	200	513	1,003	421	131	33	41	141
22	881	45	834	1,862	293	200	513	1,006	423	122	37	43	146
29	884	32	832	1,848	288	200	518	1,006	429	122	36	49	148
Sept. 5	857	59	810	1,848	287	198	515	1,000	432	122	33	54	145
12	887	90	784	1,850	290	198	515	1,003	436	122	34	58	146
19	906	67	796	1,854	290	197	517	1,005	441	122	37	63	157
26	890	95	803	1,848	289	197	516	1,002	445	114	37	67	165
Oct. 3	853	68	797	1,854	292	195	518	1,005	449	111	42	57	163
10	886	76	792	1,852	292	195	518	1,005	452	106	38	64	164
17	850	79	778	1,829	292	195	514	1,001	458	109	44	69	167
24	893	71	763	1,811	293	195	519	1,007	463	107	38	70	171
31	884	85	791	1,784	295	197	516	1,008	471	104	39	83	168
Nov. 7	864	70	790	1,784	291	191	518	1,000	473	98	40	92	144
14	857	69	795	1,775	284	191	515	990	478	96	33	99	138
21	881	80	761	1,762	281	192	515	987	482	93	35	121	140
28	922	97	738	1,772	265	191	514	971	486	91	35	122	145
Dec. 5	858	51	753	1,756	264	186	513	963	490	90	48	134	151
12	908	63	750	1,722	270	187	512	969	493	87	50	128	156
19	940	92	737	1,682	268	185	509	962	497	87	57	118	161
26	909	75	749	1,665	268	185	507	961	494	89	57	113	169
1957—Jan. 2	897†	69	753	1,660	265	182	506	953	493	89	59	86	175
9	953†	68	753	1,639	265	180	505	950	494	90	45	67	180
16	898	76	762	1,624	265	178	506	948	498	90	48	59	184
23	912†	101	762	1,615	266	178	506	950	496	88	42	60	191
30	863	86	804	1,608	265	178	507	950	499	86	39	60	201
Feb. 6	809	110	818	1,607	264	180	507	951	499	85	40	67	187
13	808	115	814	1,626	264	179	506	950	501	86	37	72	195
20	796	117	812	1,642	266	178	505	950	503	85	55	74	204
27 7	804	112	808	1,758 7	285 7	176	497 7	958	506	91	62	74	211
Mar. 6	813	86	829	1,766	258	176	496	930	506	91	64	71	221
13	835	117	822	1,767	259	175	499	934	506	87	53	64	228
20	832	109	813	1,765	259	176	498	932	506	89	57	61	236

★ For data on cash reserves, see section 1 of table on page 65. 1. Valued at "not exceeding market value". 2. Excluding Canadian day-to-day loans. 3. Includes securities guaranteed by provincial governments. 4. Securities purchased direct from issuer with a term of less than 1 year at time of issue are classified as loans. 5. Loans to grain dealers and exporters. 6. Loans to finance the purchase of Canada Savings Bonds at time of issue. 7. Beginning with the weekly statistics for Feb. 27 the chartered banks' holdings of Government of Canada and provincial government securities are valued at "amortized value" rather than at "not exceeding market value" as previously. Because of this change in valuation procedure and the consequent reallocation of inner reserves most of the asset figures for Feb. 27 and subsequent dates, particularly holdings of the securities in question and general loans, are not directly comparable with those of previous weeks. † Revised.

NOTE: For data back to August 1953 see pages 22–25 in the "Financial Supplement 1954" and pages 18–23 in the "Financial Supplement 1955".

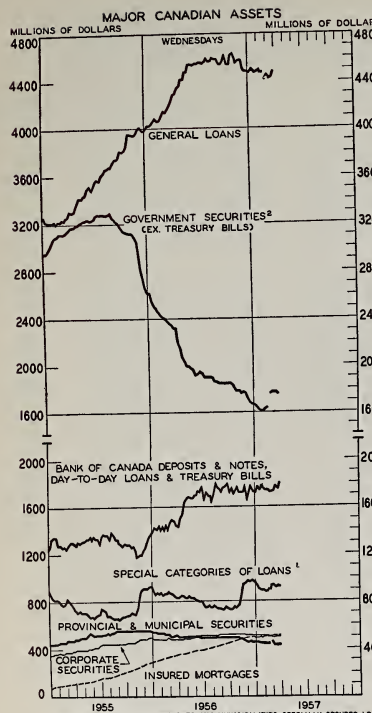
Canada

Millions of Dollars

	Loans 2 in Canada: Grain Dealers 5	C.S.B. 6	Sub-Total	General Loans	Total Loans	Total of Foregoing Assets	Estimated Items in Transit (net)	Canadian Dollar Deposits: Personal Savings	Govt. of Canada Deposits	All Other	Total
Average of Wednesdays											
Mar.—1955	363	104	780	3,243	4,023	9,380	499	5,391	174	4,022	9,588
Apr.	343	89	716	3,308	4,024	9,475	467	5,453	69	4,148	9,669
May	321	74	688	3,408	4,096	9,647	506	5,500	122	4,254	9,876
June	317	60	676	3,486	4,162	9,778	561	5,529	158	4,374	10,061
July	337	48	716	3,570	4,286	10,016	516	5,599	200	4,456	10,255
Aug.	351	36	665	3,653	4,318	10,068	491	5,670	182	4,433	10,285
Sept.	353	24	665	3,737	4,402	10,083	506	5,727	165	4,421	10,313
Oct.	361	12	687	3,817	4,504	10,120	546	5,775	124	4,492	10,392
Nov.	369	112	817	3,948	4,766	10,295	558	5,655	443	4,421	10,520
Dec.	359	174	909	3,988	4,897	10,237	605	5,603	541	4,351	10,495
Jan.—1956	361	153	868	4,015	4,884	10,157	562	5,651	510	4,228	10,390
Feb.	358	136	863	4,069	4,932	10,110	539	5,693	495	4,136	10,324
Mar.	355	119	852	4,156	5,008	10,158	511	5,754	530	4,057	10,342
Apr.	331	103	834	4,287	5,121	10,172	591	5,822	367	4,234	10,423
May	313	85	830	4,427	5,256	10,285	654	5,859	437	4,298	10,595
June	321	66	794	4,537	5,331	10,371	622	5,867	488	4,275	10,630
July	340	53	753	4,552	5,305	10,297	721	5,898	296	4,428	10,623
Aug.	355	39	747	4,571	5,319	10,343	613	5,918	307	4,338	10,563
Sept.	341	26	737	4,563	5,300	10,351	669	5,982	312	4,342	10,635
Oct.	347	11	740	4,571	5,312	10,335	700	6,047	184	4,413	10,644
Nov.	357	130	867	4,581	5,449	10,420	640	5,992	370	4,299	10,661
Dec.	361	178	963	4,512	5,475	10,361	684	5,960	341	4,355	10,655
Jan.—1957	361	158	907	4,482	5,389	10,216	646†	5,992†	242	4,257	10,491
Feb.	355	140	901	4,462	5,363	10,206	578	6,063	335	4,011	10,409
As at											
1 Aug.—1956	344	45	750	4,558	5,308	10,261	723	5,924	266	4,406	10,596
8	359	42	760	4,586	5,345	10,356	560	5,918	327	4,275	10,520
15	360	39	746	4,562	5,308	10,380	590	5,920	314	4,325	10,559
22	358	36	742	4,566	5,307	10,358	600	5,914	329	4,334	10,577
29	353	34	740	4,585	5,326	10,356	592	5,914	301	4,348	10,563
5 Sept.	349	31	734	4,581	5,315	10,321	721	5,972	304	4,379	10,656
12	340	28	728	4,581	5,308	10,358	613	5,953	341	4,289	10,584
19	341	25	745	4,546	5,291	10,359	654	6,002	307	4,315	10,624
26	336	22	741	4,542	5,284	10,366	689	5,998	295	4,385	10,678
3 Oct.	336	18	727	4,563	5,290	10,317	727	6,046	191	4,419	10,656
10	342	15	729	4,612	5,340	10,401	597	6,032	215	4,337	10,585
17	348	11	748	4,539	5,287	10,283	703	6,033	175	4,387	10,595
24	349	7	742	4,534	5,276	10,284	628	6,023	187	4,316	10,526
31	359	4	756	4,609	5,365	10,328	843	6,098	153	4,608	10,859
7 Nov.	354	36	765	4,627	5,392	10,370	631	6,048	293	4,296	10,636
14	356	97	819	4,577	5,397	10,360	612	5,995	297	4,284	10,576
21	356	193	938	4,549	5,487	10,440	692	5,969	488	4,289	10,745
28	361	193	947	4,572	5,519	10,504	626	5,955	404	4,326	10,685
5 Dec.	357	187	967	4,570	5,538	10,408	663	5,984	371	4,334	10,689
12	359	181	961	4,509	5,470	10,374	584	5,946	385	4,255	10,586
19	366	175	965	4,483	5,448	10,359	753	5,954	330	4,399	10,682
26	363	169	960	4,485	5,445	10,297	735	5,956	279	4,431	10,665
2 Jan.—1957	364	165	939	4,472	5,411	10,236	994†	6,009	164	4,704†	10,877†
9	361	162	905	4,499	5,404	10,261	517†	5,985	233	4,176†	10,394†
16	363	158	902	4,485	5,387	10,193	662†	5,985	262	4,234†	10,481†
23	360	154	896	4,473	5,369	10,205	514	5,984	295	4,070†	10,349†
30	359	150	896	4,478	5,374	10,182	541†	5,998†	257	4,101†	10,355†
6 Feb.	358	146	882	4,490	5,372	10,165	547†	6,066†	332	3,945†	10,343†
13	354	142	885	4,474	5,360	10,173	541†	6,054†	324	3,965†	10,343†
20	356	138	911	4,472	5,383	10,202	604†	6,061†	340	4,037†	10,438†
27 7	355	134	927	4,411 7	5,338 7	10,284	618	6,071	344	4,096	10,511
6 Mar.	356	130	933	4,446	5,379	10,309	534	6,102	442	3,918	10,463
13	363	126	921	4,420	5,341	10,322	518	6,094	455	3,882	10,432
20	366	122	931	4,433	5,364	10,321	605	6,102	425	4,014	10,541

CHARTERED BANKS

ASSETS AND LIABILITIES



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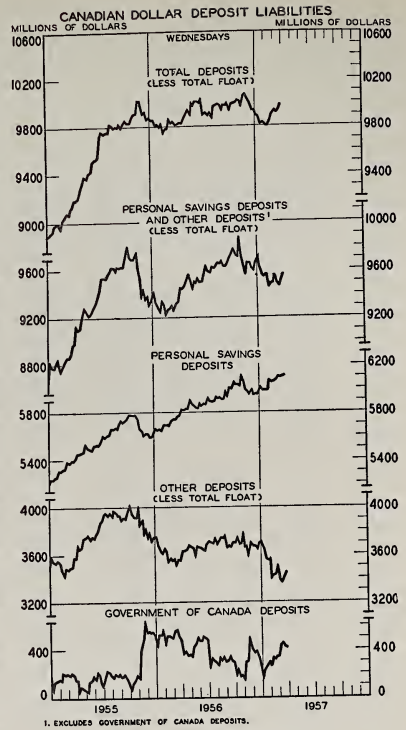

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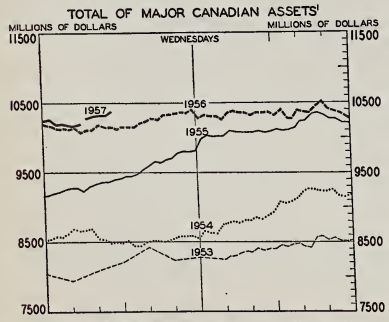

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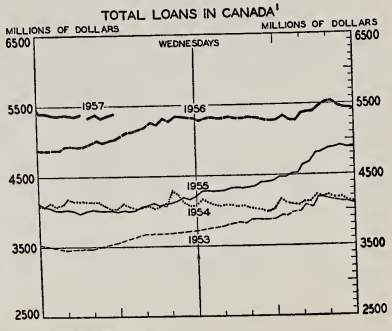

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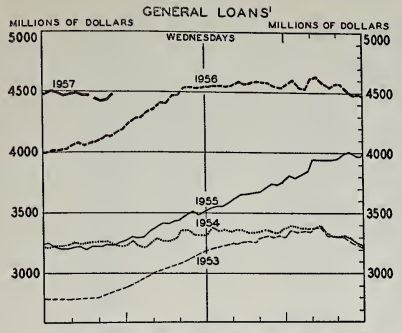
CHARTERED BANKS

SELECTED ASSETS



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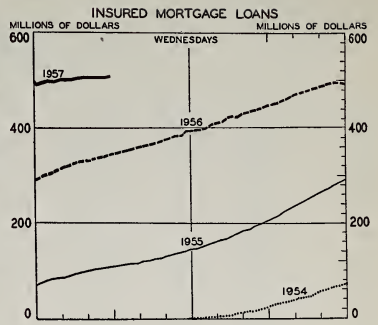

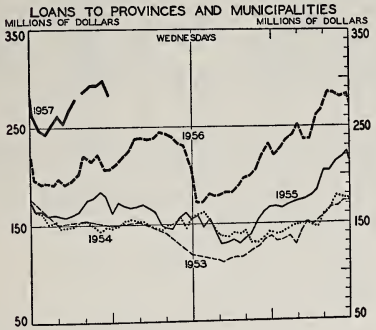

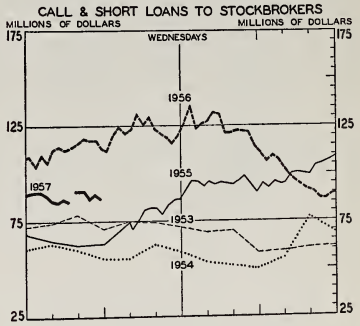

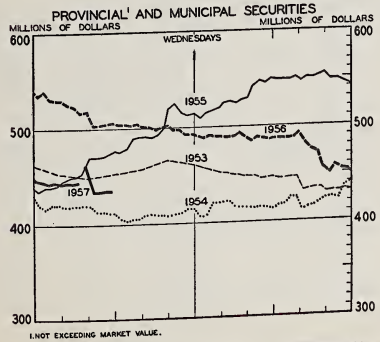

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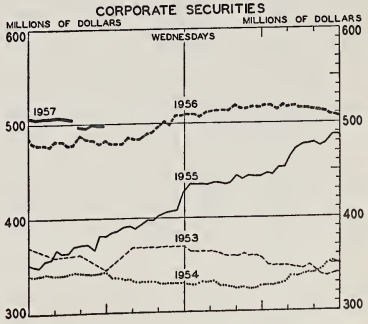

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CANADIAN DOLLAR CURRENCY AND BANK DEPOSITS HELD BY THE GENERAL PUBLIC

Millions of Dollars — *Bank of Canada*

	Currency Outside Banks			Chartered Bank Deposits			Total Currency and Chartered Bank Deposits [1]	
	Notes	Coin	Total	Personal Savings Deposits	Other Deposits [1]	Total [1]	Excluding Personal Savings Deposits	Including Personal Savings Deposits
As at Dec. 31								
1952	1,289	88	1,377	4,600	3,281	7,881	4,658	9,258
1953	1,335	94	1,429	4,756	3,129	7,885	4,558	9,314
1954	1,362	96	1,458	5,218	3,462	8,680	4,920	10,137
1955	1,449	101	1,550	5,633	3,697	9,330	5,248	10,881
1956	1,498	108	1,605	6,007	3,580	9,587	5,185	11,192
End of								
1955—July	1,413	98	1,511	5,630	3,886	9,516	5,397	11,027
Aug.	1,374	97	1,471	5,696	3,931	9,627	5,402	11,098
Sept.	1,436	99	1,535	5,757	3,853	9,610	5,388	11,145
Oct.	1,397	100	1,497	5,839	3,929	9,768	5,426	11,265
Nov.	1,395	100	1,495	5,615	3,815	9,430	5,310	10,925
Dec.	1,449	101	1,550	5,633	3,697	9,330	5,248	10,881
1956—Jan.	1,358	98	1,457	5,676	3,593	9,269	5,049	10,726
Feb.	1,375	99	1,474	5,721	3,557	9,278	5,031	10,753
Mar.	1,458	102	1,561	5,791	3,501	9,292	5,062	10,853
Apr.	1,415	102	1,517	5,919	3,596	9,514	5,113	11,031
May	1,425	102	1,527	5,844	3,600	9,444	5,127	10,972
June	1,500	104	1,604	5,881	3,646	9,527	5,250	11,131
July	1,458	103	1,561	5,923	3,668	9,591	5,229	11,152
Aug.	1,515	106	1,621	5,941	3,745	9,686	5,366	11,306
Sept.	1,514	106	1,620	6,020	3,656	9,676	5,276	11,295
Oct.	1,472	106	1,578	6,098	3,764	9,862	5,342	11,440
Nov.	1,543	108	1,651	5,974	3,607	9,582	5,258	11,233
Dec.	1,498	108	1,605	6,007	3,580	9,587	5,185	11,192
1957—Jan.	1,445	104	1,549	6,039	3,470	9,509	5,019	11,058
Feb.	1,457	105	1,562	6,090	3,329	9,419	4,892	10,982

1. Less total float, i.e. cheques and other items in transit (net). Excludes Government of Canada deposits.

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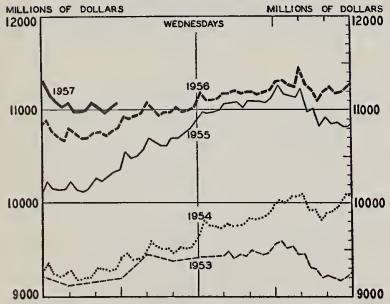

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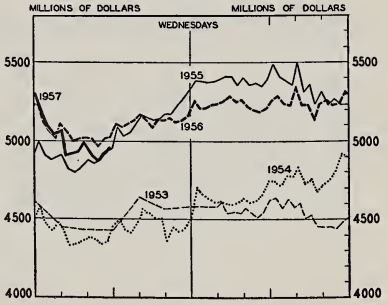

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CLASSIFICATION OF GOVERNMENT OF CANADA DIRECT AND GUARANTEED SECURITIES

Millions of Dollars, Par Value — *Bank of Canada*

	Direct Funded Debt Outstanding							Guaranteed Funded Debt	Total Outstanding
	Treasury Bills	Treasury Notes	Deposit Certificates	Other Unmatured Market Issues	Matured and Outstanding Market Issues	Non-market Issues [1]	Total		[2]
As at Dec. 31									
1952	450	750	200	11,995	19	1,250	14,664	522	**15,186**
1953	650	750	–	12,066	19	1,632	15,117	520	**15,637**
1954	780	750	–	10,854	74	2,090	14,547†	918	**15,466**
1955	1,225	500	–	10,952	30	2,433	15,140	860	**16,000**
1956	1,575	–	–	10,298	27	2,541	14,441	793	**15,234**
End of									
1956—Jan.	1,300	500	–	10,903	34	2,420	15,157	860	**16,017**
Feb.	1,430	500	–	10,903	32	2,405	15,270	793	**16,063**
Mar.	1,600	500	–	10,903	30	2,387	15,420	793	**16,213**
Apr.	1,650	500	–	10,903	30	2,363	15,446	793	**16,239**
May	1,690	–	–	10,903	28	2,327	14,948	793	**15,741**
June	1,690	–	–	10,848	35	2,293	14,866	793	**15,659**
July	1,700	–	–	10,448	34	2,264	14,446	793	**15,238**
Aug.	1,710	–	–	10,448	30	2,237	14,425	793	**15,218**
Sept.	1,730	–	–	10,448	29	2,210	14,417	793	**15,210**
Oct.	1,720	–	–	10,448	28	2,199	14,395	793	**15,188**
Nov.	1,625	–	–	10,448	26	2,593	14,692	793	**15,485**
Dec.	1,575	–	–	10,298	27	2,541	14,441	793	**15,234**
1957—Jan.	1,565	–	–	10,298	23	2,508	14,394	793	**15,187**
Feb.	1,605	–	–	10,298	21	2,475	14,399	793	**15,192**

For footnotes see table below.

DISTRIBUTION OF GOVERNMENT OF CANADA DIRECT AND GUARANTEED SECURITIES

Millions of Dollars, Par Value — *Bank of Canada*

	Bank of Canada	Chartered Banks [3]	Government of Canada Accounts			General Public			Total Outstanding
			Securities Investment Account [4]	Unemployment Insurance Fund	Other	Market Issues [3]	Non-market Issues [1]	Total [3]	[2]
As at Dec. 31									
1952	2,271	2,905	47	859	195	7,659	1,250	8,909	**15,186**
1953	2,322	2,862	119	919	276†	7,507†	1,632	9,139†	**15,637**
1954	2,267	3,375	–	892	312	6,529†	2,090	8,619†	**15,465†**
1955	2,416	3,132	200	884	407	6,528	2,433	8,961	**16,000**
1956	2,426	2,534	160	924	434	6,215	2,541	8,756	**15,234**
End of									
1956—Jan.	2,276	3,067	345	884	400	6,625	2,420	9,045	**16,017**
Feb.	2,246	3,027	475	867	410	6,633	2,405	9,038	**16,063**
Mar.	2,290	2,978	695	853	401	6,609	2,387	8,996	**16,213**
Apr.	2,346	2,872	810	838	413	6,597	2,363	8,960	**16,239**
May	2,299	2,815	350	841	415	6,694	2,327	9,021	**15,741**
June	2,374	2,797	341	850	415	6,589	2,293	8,882	**15,659**
July	2,387	2,717	80	862	414	6,514	2,264	8,778	**15,238**
Aug.	2,428	2,750	105	880	418	6,400	2,237	8,637	**15,218**
Sept.	2,453	2,732	105	895	422	6,393	2,210	8,603	**15,210**
Oct.	2,454	2,675	165	909	421	6,365	2,199	8,564	**15,188**
Nov.	2,478	2,624	190	919	430	6,251	2,593	8,844	**15,485**
Dec.	2,426	2,534	160	924	434	6,215	2,541	8,756	**15,234**
1957—Jan.	2,302	2,538	182	917	437	6,303	2,508	8,811	**15,187**
Feb.	2,249	2,580	182	899	442	6,365	2,475	8,840	**15,192**

1. Refundable Tax, War Savings Certificates and Canada Savings Bonds, and since May 1, 1954, Canada Savings Bonds only.
2. Foreign pay issues are converted at the rate of £1 = $2.80 U.S. = $2.80 Cdn. Excludes sinking fund and government account "N" holdings of Newfoundland sterling securities guaranteed by the Government of Canada. For details by issue at March 31, 1957, see table on page 74.
3. Chartered bank holdings are shown at estimated par value; the figures for general public holdings are residuals obtained by deducting all other holdings from the total outstanding.
4. Market issues only. I.e., excludes holdings of Canada Savings Bonds being purchased on the payroll plan by Government employees, which are included under general public holdings of non-market issues.

† Revised.

GOVERNMENT OF CANADA DIRECT AND GUARANTEED SECURITIES★

Bank of Canada

NEW ISSUES AND RETIREMENTS

Millions of Dollars

Date of Issue or Retirement	Type of Security	Amount (*Par Values*) 1, 2 New Issues	Amount (*Par Values*) 1, 2 Retirements	Currency of Payment	Coupon Rate %	Date of Final Maturity	Earliest Call Date	Date of Issue	Issue or Call Price	Yield to Final Maturity
DIRECT MARKET ISSUES (ex. Special Short-term)										
1954										
Mar. 1	2nd Victory Loan (in part)		470	C	3	Mar. 1/54	Mar. 1/52	Mar. 1/42	101.00	
June 1	Loan	550		C	2 ¼	Dec. 15/56	NC	June 1/54	99.70	2.37
1	Loan	300		C	3 ¼	June 1/76	June 1/74	June 1/54	99.00	3.31
1	3rd Victory Loan		847 [3]	C	3	Nov. 1/56	Nov. 1/53	Nov. 1 /42	101.00	
1	Loan		100	C	2	July 1/54	NC	Mar. 1/53		
July 1	Loan	200		C	1 ½	Nov. 15/54	NC	July 23/54	99.97	1.59
23	Loan	700		C	2	Oct. 1/57	NC	Oct. 1/54	99.75	2.09
Oct. 1	Loan	400		C	3 ¼	Oct. 1/79	NC	Oct. 1/54	100.00	3.25
1	Loan		1,111 [3]	C	3	May 1/57	May 1/54	May 1/43	100.00	
1	4th Victory Loan		200	C	1 ½	Nov. 15/54	NC	July 23/54		
Nov. 15	Loan		88 [3]	C	3	June 1/58	June 1/53	1938-39	100.00	
Dec. 1	Loan		395	C	2	Dec. 15/54	NC	June 15/50		
15	Refunding Loan		150	C	2	Dec. 15/54	NC	Nov. 1/52		
15	Loan		2	£						
	Other Retirements									
		2,150	3,362							
1955										
July 1	Loan	700		C	2	May 1/58	NC	July 1/55	100.00	2.00
1	Loan		200	C	2 ¼	July 1/55	NC	Mar. 1/53		
1	Loan		400	C	2 ¼	July 1/55	NC	Nov. 1/53		
	Other Retirements		2	£						
		700	602							
1956										
Jan. 15	Loan		48 [3]	US	3 ¼	Jan. 15/61	Jan. 15/56	Jan. 15/36	100.00	
June 1	Loan		55 [3]	C	3 ¼	June 1/66	June 1/56	June 1/36	100.00	
July 1	Loan		400	C	2 ¼	July 1/56	NC	Nov. 1/50		
Sept. 15	Loan	250		C	3 ¾	Mar. 15/98	Sept. 15/96	Sept. 15/56	97.00	3.90
Sept. 15	5th Victory Loan (in part)		250 [3]	C	3	Jan. 1/59	Jan. 1/56	Nov. 1/43	98.625	
Dec. 15	Loan	150		C	2 ¼	June 15/57	NC	Dec. 15/56	99.125	4.03
Dec. 15	Loan	250		C	2 ¼	Dec. 15/57	NC	Dec. 15/56	98.00	4.31
Dec. 15	Loan		550	C	2 ¼	Dec. 15/56	NC	June 1/54		
	Other Retirements		1	£						
		650	1,304							
GUARANTEED ISSUES										
1954										
Feb. 1	C.N.R.	200		C	3 ¾	Feb. 1/74	Feb. 1/72	Feb. 1/54	99.50	3.78
1	C.N.R.		50	C	5	Feb. 1/54	NC	Feb. 1/24		
May 1	National Harbours Bd.		**	C	5 ¼	May 1/54	NC	May 1/24		
Dec. 15	C.N.R.	250		C	2 ¾	Feb. 1/63	Feb. 1/61	Dec. 15/54	99.00	2.89
	Other Retirements		2	£						
		450	52							
1955										
Mar. 1	C.N. (West Indies) S.S.		9	C £ US	5	Mar. 1/55	NC	Mar. 1/30		
June 15	C.N.R.		49	C £ US	4 ¾	June 15/55	NC	June 15/30		
			58							
1956										
Feb. 1	C.N.R.		67	C £ US	4 ½	Feb. 1/56	NC	Feb. 1/31		
			67							

★ Excluding Treasury Bills, Treasury Notes and Canada Savings Bonds. For complete details of loans outstanding see "Loans of Government of Canada and Loans Guaranteed by the Government of Canada" published annually by the Bank of Canada. For information on Treasury Bills issues see the table "Money Market Statistics" on pages 75–76 and on Treasury Notes see the table "Classification of Government of Canada Direct and Guaranteed Securities" on page 72.

1. For totals outstanding at month-ends see page 72.
2. Foreign pay issues are converted into Canadian dollars at the rates £1 = $2.80 U.S. = $2.80 Cdn. rather than at £1 = $4.86⅔ U.S. = $4.86⅔ Cdn. as heretofore.
3. Called prior to maturity.
4. Assumed by the Government of Canada at the time of union. Amounts are net of sinking fund and government account "N" holdings.
5. After notice.

* Preliminary.

** Less than $0.5 million.

DETAILS OF UNMATURED OUTSTANDING ISSUES

Millions of Dollars

Date of Final Maturity	Type of Security	Amount Outstanding (*Par Values*) 1, 2 Dec. 31 1953	Dec. 31 1954	Dec. 31 1955	Dec. 31 1956	Mar. 31 1957	Currency of Payment	Coupon Rate %	Earliest Call Date	Date of Issue
DIRECT MARKET ISSUES (ex. Special Short-term)										
1954–Mar. 1	2nd Victory Loan	470	–	–	–	–	C	3	1.3.52	1.3.42
July 1	Loan	100	–	–	–	–	C	2	NC	1.3.53
Dec. 15	Refunding Loan	395	–	–	–	–	C	2	NC	15.6.50
Dec. 15	Loan	150	–	–	–	–	C	2	NC	1.11.52
1955–July 1	Loan	200	200	–	–	–	C	2 ¼	NC	1.3.53
July 1	Loan	400	400	–	–	–	C	2 ¼	NC	1.11.53
1956–July 1	Loan	400	400	400	–	–	C	2 ¼	NC	1.11.50
Nov. 1	3rd Victory Loan	847 [3]	–	–	–	–	C	3	1.11.53	1.11.42
Dec. 15	Loan	–	550	550	–	–	C	2 ¼	NC	1.6.54
1957–May 1	4th Victory Loan	1,111 [3]	–	–	–	–	C	3	1.5.54	1.5.43
June 15	Loan	–	–	–	150	150	C	2 ¼	NC	15.12.56
Oct. 1	Loan	–	700	700	700	700	C	2	NC	1.10.54
Dec. 15	Loan	–	–	–	250	250	C	2 ¼	NC	15.12.56
1958–May 1	Loan	300	300	300	300	300	C	3	NC	1.11.53
May 1	Loan	–	–	700	700	700	C	2	NC	1.7.55
June 1	Loan	88 [3]	–	–	–	–	C	3	1.6.53	1938-39
1959–Jan. 1	5th Victory Loan	1,197	1,197	1,197	947	947	C	3	1.1.56	1.11.43
1960–June 1	6th Victory Loan	1,165	1,165	1,165	1,165	1,165	C	3	1.6.57	1.5.44
1961–Jan. 15	Loan	48	48	48 [3]	–	–	US	3 ¼	15.1.56	15.1.36
1962–Feb. 1	7th Victory Loan	1,316	1,316	1,316	1,316	1,316	C	3	1.2.59	1.11.44
1963–July 1	Registered Stock	2	2	2	2	2	£	3 ¼	1.7.58	1.7.38
July 1	Govt. of Newfoundland [4]	30	28	26	25	25*	£	3	1.7.43	1933-34
Aug. 1	Loan	150	150	150	150	150	US	3	1.8.58	1.8.48
Oct. 1	8th Victory Loan	1,296	1,296	1,296	1,296	1,296	C	3	1.10.59	1.5.45
1966–June 1	Loan	55	55	55 [3]	–	–	C	3 ¼	1.6.56	1.6.36
Sept. 1	9th Victory Loan	1,692	1,692	1,692	1,692	1,692	C	3	1.9.61	1.11.45
1968–June 15	Refunding Loan	350	350	350	350	350	C	2 ¾	15.6.67	15.6.50
1974–Sept. 1	Loan	100	100	100	100	100	US	2 ¾	30 Days [5]	1.9.49
1975–Sept. 15	Loan	50	50	50	50	50	US	2 ¾	30 Days [5]	15.9.50
1976–June 1	Loan	–	300	300	300	300	C	3 ¼	1.6.74	1.6.54
1978–Jan. 15	Loan	100	100	100	100	100	C	3 ¾	15.1.75	15.1.53
1979–Oct. 1	Loan	–	400	400	400	400	C	3 ¼	NC	1.10.54
1998–Mar. 15	Loan	–	–	–	250	250	C	3 ¾	15.9.96	15.9.56
Perpetual	Loan	55	55	55	55	55	C	3	15.9.66	15.9.36
	TOTAL [1]	**12,066**	**10,854**	**10,952**	**10,298**	**10,298***				
GUARANTEED ISSUES										
1954–Feb. 1	C.N.R.	50	–	–	–	–	C	5	NC	1.2.24
1955–Mar. 1	C.N. (West Indies) S.S.	9	9	–	–	–	C £ US	5	NC	1.3.30
June 15	C.N.R.	49	49	–	–	–	C £ US	4 ¾	NC	15.6.30
1956–Feb. 1	C.N.R.	67	67	67	–	–	C £ US	4 ½	NC	1.2.31
1957–July 1	C.N.R.	64	64	64	64	64	C US	4 ½	NC	1.7.27
1958–July 20	Can. Northern Rly.	6	6	6	6	6	C £	3 ½	NC	–3.10
1959–Jan. 15	C.N.R.	35	35	35	35	35	C	3	15.1.54	15.1.39
1961–May 19	Can. North. Ont. Rly.	2	2	2	2	2	£	3 ½	NC	8.12.11
1962–Jan. 1	Grand Trunk Pac. Rly.	26	26	26	26	26	C £ US	3	NC	1.7.05
Jan. 1	Grand Trunk Pac. Rly.	8	8	8	8	8	C £ US	4	NC	5.8.14
1963–Feb. 1	C.N.R.	–	250	250	250	250	C	2 ¾	1.2.61	15.12.54
1966–Jan. 3	C.N.R.	35	35	35	35	35	C	3	3.1.61	3.1.49
1967–Jan. 2	C.N.R.	50	50	50	50	50	C	2 ¾	2.1.64	2.1.47
1969–Sept. 15	C.N.R.	70	70	70	70	70	C	2 ⅞	15.9.64	15.9.49
1971–Jan. 16	C.N.R.	40	40	40	40	40	C	2 ⅞	16.1.66	16.1.50
1974–Feb. 1	C.N.R.	–	200	200	200	200	C	3 ¾	1.2.72	1.2.54
1975–June 15	C.N.R.	6	6	6	6	6	US	2 ¾	30-60 Days [5]	15.6.50
	All other	2	**	**	**	**	£			
	TOTAL [1]	**520**	**918**	**860**	**793**	**793**				

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MONEY MARKET STATISTICS

WEEKLY SERIES

Bank of Canada

	Bank of Canada[1]			Chartered Banks					Treasury Bills[2]				Distribution of Govt. of Canada Direct and Gtd. Securities[2] (Including Treasury Bills)								
	Outstanding Advances to Chartered and Savings Banks	Can. Govt. Securities Held Under Purchase & Resale Agreements		Cash Ratio Statutory Basis		Day-to-Day Loans			Weekly Tender on Thurs. following Wed. date shown				Distribution								
		At Date	Maximum During Week	At Date	Average: Month to Date	Closing Rate	Wkly Av. of Daily Closing Rates	Amount Outstanding	Average Yield 3 Month Bills	Average Yield 9 Month Bills	Amount Sold 3 Month Bills	Amount Sold 9 Month Bills	Total	Bank of Canada	Chartered Banks[3]	Government Accounts	General Public: Canada Savings Bonds	General Public: Matured & Outstanding Market Issues	General Public: Other Unmatured	General Public: Total	
	Millions of Dollars			Percent				mm. of $	Percent		Millions of Dollars		Par Value in Millions of Dollars								
Wednesdays																					**Wednesdays**
1955—Feb. 23	–	–	–	8.4	8.6	7/8	.83	87	1.13	1.21	35	15	15,473	2,129	3,593	1,289	2,054	59	6,349	8,462	23 Feb.—1955
Mar. 30	–	–	–	8.6	8.6	3/4	.85	70	1.09	1.29	35	15	15,437	2,185	3,641	1,235	2,032	54	6,290	8,376	30 Mar.
Apr. 27	–	–	–	8.7	8.4	3/4	.98	69	1.25	1.52	40	15	15,453	2,256	3,605	1,218	2,012	50	6,312	8,374	27 Apr.
May 25	–	–	–	8.1	8.4	1	.94	117	1.30	1.61	40	15	15,440	2,204	3,690	1,199	1,988	46	6,313	8,347	25 May
June 29	–	–	4	8.4	8.3	1 1/8	1.20	104	1.44	1.71	40	15	15,410	2,298	3,667	1,207	1,961	41	6,236	8,238	29 June
July 27	–	–	–	8.1	8.4	1 1/8	1.08	109	1.43	1.72	40	15	15,519	2,301	3,741	1,247	1,942	40	6,248	8,230	27 July
Aug. 31	–	–	8	8.1	8.3	1 1/2	1.53	90	1.70	1.95	40	15	15,519	2,314	3,735	1,279	1,921	37	6,233	8,191	31 Aug.
Sept. 28	–	–	–	8.4	8.2	1 5/8	1.80	41	1.83	2.10	40	15	15,520	2,357	3,611	1,360	1,902	35	6,255	8,192	28 Sept.
Oct. 26	16	4	12	8.4	8.3	2 1/4	2.13	53	2.20	–	60	–	15,582	2,347	3,498	1,434	1,917	33	6,353	8,303	26 Oct.
Nov. 30	4	–	2	8.4	8.3	2 1/4	2.25	54	2.58	–	60	–	15,974	2,422	3,323	1,334	2,461	31	6,403	8,895	30 Nov.
Dec. 28	–	–	–	8.2	8.2	2 3/8	2.38	56	2.56	–	75	–	15,982	2,423	3,108	1,492	2,435	30	6,494	8,959	28 Dec.
1956—Jan. 25	–	–	–	8.3	8.4	2 1/4	2.33	54	2.53	–	100	–	15,989	2,303	3,038	1,604	2,415	35	6,594	9,044	25 Jan.—1956
Feb. 29	–	6	6	8.1	8.2	2 1/2	2.50	82	2.56	–	115	–	16,063	2,246	3,037	1,752	2,405	32	6,591	9,028	29 Feb.
Mar. 28	–	–	3	7.9	8.2	2 5/8	2.58	62	2.64	–	115	–	16,188	2,296	2,957	1,935	2,387	30	6,583	9,000	28 Mar.
Apr. 25	10	–	–	8.3	8.2	2 5/8	2.68	13	2.89	–	125	–	16,229	2,329	2,856	2,067	2,363	30	6,584	8,977	25 Apr.
May 30	26	–	–	8.2	8.2	2 3/4	2.73	63	2.72	–	130	–	15,737	2,302	2,802	1,604	2,323	28	6,678	9,029	30 May
June 27	5	–	–	8.3	8.3	2 3/8	2.48	62	2.52	–	130	–	15,658	2,392	2,795	1,606	2,293	35	6,537	8,865	27 June
July 25	12	–	–	8.1	8.3	2 5/8	2.63	81	2.65	–	130	–	15,236	2,398	2,701	1,352	2,266	35	6,484	8,785	25 July
Aug. 29	–	–	–	8.2	8.4	2 1/4	2.40	32	2.90	–	135	–	15,214	2,422	2,763	1,403	2,237	31	6,358	8,626	29 Aug.
Sept. 26	–	–	–	8.2	8.3	2 3/4	2.88	95	3.16	–	135	–	15,205	2,441	2,739	1,424	2,210	29	6,362	8,601	26 Sept.
Oct. 31	–	–	26	8.6	8.3	2 3/4	2.90	85	3.34	–	115	–	15,188	2,454	2,675	1,496	2,199	28	6,336	8,563	31 Oct.
Nov. 28	50	–	–	8.5	8.2	2 7/8	3.03	97	3.52	–	115	–	15,494	2,451	2,610	1,540	2,582	26	6,285	8,893	28 Nov.
Dec. 26	10	–	–	8.2	8.3	3 1/4	3.25	75	3.67	–	125	–	15,234	2,506	2,530	1,447	2,530	28	6,193	8,751	26 Dec.
1957—Jan. 30	–	–	–	8.2	8.2	3	3.00	86	3.70	–	125	–	15,178	2,312	2,530	1,536	2,500	24	6,276	8,800	30 Jan.—1957
Feb. 27	–	–	12	8.4	8.2	3 1/2	3.55	112	3.76	–	125	–	15,187	2,254	2,570†	1,520	2,470	21	6,352†	8,844†	27 Feb.
Mar. 27	10	–	14	8.2	8.2	3 5/8	3.70	152	3.70	–	125	–	15,169	2,280	2,554	1,501	2,433	20	6,380	8,833	27 Mar.
Weekly																					**Weekly**
1956—Oct. 3	–	–	–	8.2	8.2	2 3/4	2.80	68	3.21	–	135	–	15,204	2,467	2,741	1,422	2,204	29	6,341	8,574	3 Oct.—1956
10	32	–	–	8.3	8.3	2 3/4	2.75	76	3.26	–	125	–	15,198	2,411	2,735	1,478	2,193	29	6,352	8,574	10
17	–	7	7	8.0	8.2	3	2.90	79	3.34	–	125	–	15,189	2,438	2,698	1,489	2,189	28	6,347	8,564	17
24	–	–	–	8.2	8.3	2 3/4	2.80	71	3.37	–	125	–	15,187	2,465	2,664	1,493	2,193	28	6,344	8,565	24
31	–	–	26	8.6	8.3	2 3/4	2.90	85	3.34	–	115	–	15,188	2,454	2,675	1,496	2,199	28	6,336	8,563	31
Nov. 7	–	–	–	8.2	8.4	2 3/4	2.75	70	3.33	–	115	–	15,299	2,426	2,672	1,526	2,326	27	6,322	8,675	7 Nov.
14	25	–	2	8.0	8.2	2 3/4	2.73	69	3.32	–	115	–	15,344	2,412	2,669	1,529	2,391	27	6,316	8,734	14
21	10	15	20	8.2	8.2	3 1/4	3.05	80	3.44	–	115	–	15,532	2,444	2,623	1,536	2,599	27	6,303	8,929	21
28	50	–	–	8.5	8.2	2 7/8	3.03	97	3.52	–	115	–	15,494	2,451	2,610	1,540	2,582	26	6,285	8,893	28
Dec. 5	–	–	–	8.1	8.3	2 3/4	2.80	51	3.53	–	115	–	15,474	2,466	2,609	1,539	2,583	26	6,251	8,860	5 Dec.
12	–	1	1	8.2	8.2	3 1/2	3.15	63	3.59	–	125	–	15,427	2,492	2,571	1,540	2,556	26	6,242	8,824	12
19	45	–	–	8.6	8.3	3 1/2	3.50	92	3.64	–	125	–	15,263	2,489	2,519	1,446	2,541	36	6,232	8,809	19
26	10	–	–	8.2	8.3	3 1/4	3.25	75	3.67	–	125	–	15,234	2,506	2,530	1,447	2,530	28	6,193	8,751	26
1957—Jan. 2	–	–	–	8.1	8.1	3	3.25	69	3.65	–	125	–	15,233	2,410	2,529	1,518	2,540	27	6,209	8,777†	2 Jan.—1957
9	30	6	10	8.3	8.1	3 1/2	3.35	68	3.71	–	125	–	15,210	2,374	2,508	1,542	2,528	26	6,232	8,786	9
16	–	–	1	8.2	8.2	3 1/4	3.40	76	3.72	–	125	–	15,196	2,379	2,502	1,543	2,516	25	6,231	8,773†	16
23	–	–	–	8.3	8.2	3	3.35	101	3.72	–	125	–	15,186	2,350	2,493	1,541	2,506	24	6,272	8,803†	23
30	–	–	–	8.2	8.2	3	3.00	86	3.70	–	125	–	15,178	2,312	2,530	1,536	2,500	23	6,277	8,800	30
Feb. 6	–	–	4	8.3	8.4	3 1/4	3.25	110	3.72	–	125	–	15,188	2,272	2,544	1,531	2,500	22	6,319	8,841	6 Feb.
13	–	8	8	8.2	8.2	3 1/2	3.40	115	3.75	–	125	–	15,184	2,261	2,559	1,531	2,487	22	6,324	8,832†	13
20	–	20	22	8.1	8.2	3 3/4	3.70	117	3.81	–	125	–	15,186	2,233	2,572	1,530	2,479	21	6,350†	8,850†	20
27	–	–	12	8.4	8.2	3 1/2	3.55	112	3.76	–	125	–	15,187	2,254	2,570†	1,520	2,470	21	6,352†	8,844†	27
Mar. 6	–	1	10	8.1	8.0	3 3/4	3.50	86	3.72	–	125	–	15,192	2,253	2,598	1,516	2,466	21	6,339	8,826	6 Mar.
13	11	–	17	8.2	8.1	3 3/4	3.75	117	3.73	–	125	–	15,187	2,279	2,592	1,510	2,451	21	6,335	8,807	12
20	–	–	–	8.2	8.1	3 1/2	3.65	109	3.69	–	125	–	15,177	2,292	2,581	1,508	2,441	20	6,336	8,797	20
27	10	–	14	8.2	8.2	3 5/8	3.70	152	3.70	–	125	–	15,169	2,280	2,554	1,501	2,433	20	6,380	8,833	27

1. Bank Rate, the minimum rate at which the Bank of Canada will make temporary loans or advances, stood at 2% from October 1950 to February 14, 1955 when it was reduced to 1½%. The rate was raised to 2% on August 5, 1955, to 2¼% on October 12, 1955, to 2¾% on November 18, 1955, to 3% on April 4, 1956, to 3¼% on August 9, 1956, and to 3½% on October 17, 1956. Since November 1, 1956, Bank Rate has been ¼ of 1% above the latest weekly average tender rate for 91-day Treasury Bills. 2. This table has been revised to show all holdings of Government of Canada direct and guaranteed securities at par value, and for this reason the figures for Bank of Canada and chartered bank holdings differ from those appearing on pages 63, 65 and 67. Foreign-pay issues are valued at uniform exchange rates of £1 = $2.80 U.S. = $2.80 Cdn. 3. Estimated par value. † Revised.

TREASURY BILL RATES, GOVERNMENT BOND PRICES[1] AND MARKET YIELDS[2]

SELECTED ISSUES[3]

CANADA, UNITED STATES, UNITED KINGDOM

Bank of Canada

	Weighted Average of Tender Rates on 3 Month Treasury Bills[4]			Canada								United States						United Kingdom				
				3% Sept. 1/61–66		2¾% June 15/67–68		3¾% Jan. 15/75–78		3¼% Oct. 1/79		2½% Dec. 15/63–68		2½% Dec. 15/67–72		3¼% June 15/78–83		3% Apr. 15/59–69		3% Aug. 15/65–75		
	Canada	U.S.	U.K.	Price	Yield	Price	Yield	Price	Yield	Price	Yield	Price	Yield	Price	Yield	Price	Yield	Price	Yield	Price	Yield	
				Cdn. $		*Cdn. $*		*Cdn. $*		*Cdn. $*		*U.S. $*		*U.S. $*		*U.S. $*		£		£		
Wednesdays																						**Wednesdays**
1955—Feb. 23	1.13	1.36	3.77	101 5/8	2.73	98 3/4	2.86	107 3/4	3.22	101 5/8	3.15	97 1/4	2.74	96 9/32	2.77	106 1/16	2.89	91 25/32	3.75	88 9/16	3.81	23 Feb.—1955
Mar. 30	1.09	1.37	3.79	102 1/4	2.62	99 3/8	2.81	108	3.20	101 7/8	3.14	97 1/32	2.72	96 25/32	2.73	106 3/8	2.85	91 7/8	3.75	88 13/32	3.82	30 Mar.
Apr. 27	1.25	1.70	3.90	101 3/4	2.70	98 3/4	2.86	107 3/4	3.22	101 3/8	3.17	97 27/32	2.78	96 3/16	2.77	106 9/16	2.86	89 25/32	3.96	85 29/32	4.03	27 Apr.
May 25	1.30	1.47	3.92	101 5/8	2.72	98 1/4	2.89	108	3.20	101 3/8	3.17	97 9/32	2.74	96 5/8	2.74	106 3/4	2.85	86 11/16	4.28	83 13/16	4.19	25 May
June 29	1.44	1.40	3.97	102	2.65	98 1/2	2.89	108	3.20	101 1/2	3.16	96 7/32	2.84	95 3/4	2.81	106	2.89	85 5/8	4.40	82 17/32	4.30	29 June
July 27	1.43	1.72	3.97	101 1/2	2.73	97 7/8	2.95	107 1/2	3.23	100 7/8	3.20	95 7/32	2.93	94 3/32	2.94	104 7/8	2.96	83 13/32	4.65	80 3/32	4.51	27 July
Aug. 31	1.70	2.09	4.07	99 3/4	3.03	96 3/4	3.06	105 3/4	3.34	99 3/4	3.27	95 7/16	2.92	94 19/32	2.90	104 1/4	2.99	79 1/4	5.14	76 1/2	4.85	31 Aug.
Sept. 28	1.83	2.12	4.07	99 1/4	3.08	96 3/8	3.10	105 1/2	3.36	99 5/8	3.27	96	2.86	95 3/32	2.85	104 3/4	2.96	81 3/4	4.85	78	4.71	28 Sept.
Oct. 26	2.20	2.23	4.07	99 1/4	3.08	95 3/4	3.16	105 1/2	3.36	99 5/8	3.27	96 7/8	2.78	95 27/32	2.81	105 3/4	2.90	84 1/32	4.60	80 23/32	4.48	26 Oct.
Nov. 30	2.58	2.45	4.07	97 1/2	3.28	94 3/4	3.30	105	3.39	97 3/4	3.39	96 3/8	2.83	94 27/32	2.89	105 1/4	2.93	82 15/16	4.74	79	4.64	30 Nov.
Dec. 28	2.56	2.69	4.07	97 1/4	3.31	93 1/2	3.39	103 3/4	3.48	97 3/8	3.41	95 3/4	2.89	94 13/16	2.89	105 1/32	2.94	82 1/32	4.85	78 3/8	4.69	28 Dec.
1956—Jan. 25	2.53	2.25	4.07	98	3.22	94 1/2	3.29	104 1/2	3.43	98 3/8	3.35	96 1/2	2.83	95 3/4	2.82	105 3/4	2.90	80 13/32	5.04	77	4.83	25 Jan.—1956
Feb. 29	2.56	2.41	5.20	98	3.23	95	3.25	105 1/4	3.37	99 1/8	3.30	96 15/32	2.83	95 23/32	2.83	105 11/16	2.90	80 1/2	5.06	76 7/8	4.85	29 Feb.
Mar. 28	2.64	2.17	5.17	97 1/8	3.33	93 1/2	3.40	103 1/2	3.49	97 3/8	3.41	94 23/32	3.00	93 15/16	2.96	104 3/32	3.00	79 1/32	5.23	75 3/32	5.03	28 Mar.
Apr. 25	2.89	2.79	5.01	94 3/4	3.61	92 1/2	3.51	100 3/4	3.69	94 1/2	3.60	93 23/32	3.10	92 25/32	3.06	102 1/8	3.12	80 13/32	5.08	75 13/16	4.96	25 Apr.
May 30	2.72	2.57	5.01	95 5/8	3.51	92 5/8	3.51	102	3.60	95 7/8	3.51	95 15/16	2.90	95 1/4	2.86	104 5/16	2.98	79	5.27	74 3/4	5.07	30 May
June 27	2.52	2.54	5.14	96 3/8	3.42	93 5/8	3.40	103 3/4	3.47	98	3.37	95 3/16	2.96	94 9/16	2.92	104 1/4	2.99	77 19/32	5.45	73 5/32	5.24	27 June
July 25	2.65	2.30	4.98	95 3/8	3.55	92 1/2	3.53	101 1/2	3.64	95 1/4	3.55	93 31/32	3.09	93 7/32	3.03	102 1/16	3.12	77 27/32	5.43	72 1/16	5.36	25 July
Aug. 29	2.90	2.83	5.02	93 7/8	3.74	90	3.81	99 1/2	3.78	93 7/8	3.69	91 15/32	3.35	90 15/32	3.22	100 1/32	3.25	79 1/4	5.28	74 1/4	5.14	29 Aug.
Sept. 26	3.16	2.99	5.09	92 7/8	3.87	89 1/2	3.88	98	3.89	91 1/2	3.81	92 5/16	3.27	91 13/16	3.15	100 1/8	3.24	77 17/32	5.51	72 5/32	5.37	26 Sept.
Oct. 31	3.34	2.89	5.00	92 1/4	3.96	89	3.94	98	3.89	91 1/8	3.84	91 11/16	3.34	90 23/32	3.24	99 3/16	3.30	78 3/4	5.37	72 3/8	5.35	31 Oct.
Nov. 28	3.52	3.17	5.02	91 3/8	4.11	88 3/4	3.97	97	3.96	90 3/4	3.86	90 31/32	3.42	89 19/32	3.34	98 1/4	3.35	77 3/4	5.49	71 1/4	5.47	28 Nov.
Dec. 26	3.67	3.22	4.86	90 7/8	4.16	88 3/4	3.98	96 3/4	3.98	90 1/4	3.90	90 15/32	3.48	88 9/16	3.44	97 1/2	3.39	78 13/32	5.43	72 13/32	5.36	26 Dec.
1957—Jan. 30	3.70	3.28	4.54	89 1/2	4.35	86 3/4	4.23	95	4.11	87	4.14	92 9/16	3.26	91 9/16	3.18	99 1/4	3.29	83	4.86	77 5/8	4.84	30 Jan.—1957
Feb. 27	3.76	3.29	4.00	91 5/8	4.07	88 1/2	4.02	96 1/4	4.02	89 1/2	3.96	91 13/16	3.34	90 9/16	3.27	99 5/16	3.29	82 5/8	4.91	76 31/32	4.91	27 Feb.
Mar. 27	3.70	3.03	4.11	91 1/4	4.13	87 1/2	4.15	96 1/4	4.02	90	3.92	92 9/16	3.27	91 1/2	3.19	99 1/8	3.30	81 19/32	5.05	75 17/32	5.06	27 Mar.
Weekly																						**Weekly**
1956—Oct. 17	3.34	3.02	5.01	92 7/8	3.88	89 1/2	3.88	98 1/4	3.87	91 1/2	3.81	92 3/4	3.22	91 7/8	3.14	100 1/4	3.23	78 19/32	5.37	73 5/32	5.26	17 Oct.—1956
24	3.37	2.91	4.99	92 3/8	3.94	88 3/4	3.96	98 1/2	3.85	91 1/8	3.83	91 29/32	3.31	91	3.22	99 1/4	3.29	79	5.32	73 1/16	5.27	24
31	3.34	2.89	5.00	92 1/4	3.96	89	3.94	98	3.89	91 1/8	3.84	91 11/16	3.34	90 23/32	3.24	99 3/16	3.30	78 3/4	5.37	72 3/8	5.35	31
Nov. 7	3.33	2.91	5.00	92 1/8	3.97	89 1/8	3.92	98 3/8	3.86	91 1/2	3.81	91 11/32	3.38	90 3/8	3.27	98 7/8	3.31	78 15/16	5.34	72 9/16	5.33	7 Nov.
14	3.32	2.98	5.00	91 5/8	4.05	89	3.94	97 1/2	3.92	91	3.85	91 11/16	3.34	90 23/32	3.25	99 1/8	3.30	78	5.46	72	5.39	14
21	3.44	3.04	5.01	91	4.13	88 3/4	3.97	97 1/4	3.94	91	3.85	91 7/16	3.37	90 9/16	3.28	99	3.31	77 15/16	5.47	71 9/16	5.44	21
28	3.52	3.17	5.02	91 1/8	4.11	88 3/4	3.97	97	3.96	90 3/4	3.86	90 31/32	3.42	89 19/32	3.34	98 1/4	3.35	77 3/4	5.49	71 1/4	5.47	28
Dec. 5	3.53	3.10	5.04	90 1/2	4.20	88 1/2	4.01	96 1/2	4.00	90 1/2	3.88	91 9/32	3.40	89 21/32	3.34	98 5/16	3.35	77 19/32	5.53	71 11/32	5.47	5 Dec.
12	3.59	3.27	4.96	91	4.13	88 1/2	4.01	96 1/2	4.00	90 1/2	3.88	91 9/32	3.39	89 17/32	3.35	98 7/16	3.34	77 29/32	5.49	71 29/32	5.42	12
19	3.64	3.33	4.91	90 7/8	4.16	88 3/4	3.98	96 3/4	3.98	90 1/2	3.88	90 3/8	3.49	88 11/32	3.45	97 5/8	3.39	77 29/32	5.49	71 29/32	5.41	19
26	3.67	3.22	4.86	90 7/8	4.16	88 3/4	3.98	96 3/4	3.98	90 1/4	3.90	90 15/32	3.48	88 9/16	3.44	97 1/2	3.39	78 13/32	5.43	72 13/32	5.36	26
1957—Jan. 2	3.65	3.26	4.79	90 7/8	4.16	88 1/4	4.05	95 1/2	4.07	88 1/4	4.04	89 19/32	3.58	87 3/4	3.51	96 11/32	3.46	79 11/32	5.31	73 15/32	5.25	2 Jan.—1957
9	3.71	3.20	4.77	90	4.27	87 3/4	4.11	95	4.11	87 3/4	4.08	89 7/8	3.55	88 3/8	3.46	96 9/16	3.45	79 29/32	5.25	74 1/16	5.13	9
16	3.72	3.22	4.66	90	4.27	87 3/4	4.11	95 1/4	4.09	87 1/2	4.10	91 7/16	3.38	90 1/4	3.29	97 13/16	3.38	80 3/4	5.14	75 5/8	5.03	16
23	3.72	3.09	4.55	89 5/8	4.33	87 1/4	4.16	94 3/4	4.13	86 3/4	4.16	92 3/8	3.28	91 5/8	3.17	99 1/8	3.30	82 3/16	4.96	76 5/16	4.90	23
30	3.70	3.28	4.54	89 1/2	4.35	86 3/4	4.23	95	4.11	87	4.14	92 9/16	3.26	91 9/16	3.18	99 1/4	3.29	83	4.86	77 5/8	4.84	30
Feb. 6	3.72	3.13	4.23	89 1/8	4.39	86 3/4	4.23	94 3/4	4.13	86 3/4	4.16	93 1/8	3.20	92 1/16	3.15	100 7/16	3.22	83 5/16	4.83	77 5/16	4.87	6 Feb.
13	3.75	3.06	4.28	91 5/8	4.06	88	4.08	95 1/4	4.09	88 1/4	4.05	93 5/8	3.15	92 7/16	3.11	99 7/8	3.26	83 1/2	4.81	77 5/32	4.89	13
20	3.81	3.18	4.15	90 3/4	4.19	88 1/4	4.05	95 3/4	4.08	88 3/4	4.01	92 7/16	3.28	91 9/16	3.21	99 7/16	3.28	82 13/16	4.89	76 21/32	4.94	20
27	3.76	3.29	4.00	91 5/8	4.07	88 1/2	4.02	96 1/4	4.02	89 1/2	3.96	91 13/16	3.34	90 9/16	3.27	99 5/16	3.29	82 5/8	4.91	76 31/32	4.91	27
Mar. 6	3.72	3.25	4.02	91 1/4	4.12	88	4.09	95 3/4	4.05	89 3/4	3.94	91 5/16	3.40	90 5/16	3.29	99 9/16	3.27	82 7/32	4.96	76 31/32	4.91	6 Mar.
13	3.73	3.24	4.12	91 5/8	4.07	88 1/4	4.06	96	4.04	90	3.92	91 13/16	3.35	90 7/8	3.24	99 11/16	3.27	82 21/32	4.92	76 27/32	4.93	13
20	3.69	3.04	4.13	91 1/4	4.13	87 1/2	4.15	96 1/4	4.02	90	3.92	92 3/8	3.29	91 3/16	3.22	99 1/2	3.28	81 11/32	5.09	75 3/32	5.10	20
27	3.70	3.03	4.11	91 1/4	4.13	87 1/2	4.15	96 1/4	4.02	90	3.92	92 9/16	3.27	91 1/2	3.19	99 1/8	3.30	81 19/32	5.05	75 17/32	5.06	27

1. Government bond prices are closing blds at the Wednesday date for Canadian and United States issues. Prices of the United Kingdom Apr. 15/59–69 issue are closing transactions at the Wednesday date and of the United Kingdom Aug. 15/65–75 issue are approximate mid-market transactions at the Wednesday date. All prices exclude accrued interest.
2. Market yields are based on the prices shown and are expressed as per cent per annum to maturity date if at a discount and to earliest call date if at a premium.
3. On Jan. 1st, 1957 the amounts outstanding for the four Canadian bond issues were $1,692 million, $350 million, $100 million, and $400 million respectively; for the three United States bond issues, $2,824 million, $3,785 million, and $1,606 million respectively; and for the two United Kingdom bond issues £296 million and £1,073 million respectively.
4. Treasury Bill tender rates are at the date nearest the Wednesday shown. In Canada tenders are received on Thursday, in the United States on Monday, and in the United Kingdom on Friday.

NOTE: For data back to 1950 see pages 52–55 in the "Financial Supplement 1954" and pages 46–49 in the "Financial Supplement 1955".

SECURITY ISSUES AND RETIREMENTS★

Bank of Canada

Par Values in Millions of Canadian Dollars

	Total Provincial, Municipal, Corporate and Other Securities			Provincial Direct and Guaranteed									Municipal Direct and Guaranteed [1]									
				Gross New Issues			Retirements [2]			Net New Issues			Gross New Issues			Retirements			Net New Issues			
	Gross New Issues	Retirements	Net New Issues	Canadian Dollars Only	Other Currencies	Total	Canadian Dollars Only	Other Currencies	Total	Canadian Dollars Only	Other Currencies	Total	Canadian Dollars Only	Other Currencies	Total	Canadian Dollars Only 3	Other Currencies	Total	Canadian Dollars Only	Other Currencies	Total	
Calendar Years																						**Calendar Years**
1952	1,541	448	**1,093**	355	93	448	102	35	137	253	58	**311**	189	49	238	81	8	89	108	41	**149**	1952
1953	1,483	443	**1,040**	251	140	391	91	28	119	160	112	**272**	221	72	293	86	17	103	135	55	**190**	1953
1954	1,832	642	**1,190**	380	116	496	133	69	202	247	47	**294**	340	31	371	89	20	109	251	11	**262**	1954
1955	1,970	761	**1,209**	372	–	372	111	50	161	261	−50	**211**	293	40	333	101	22	123	192	18	**210**	1955
1956	2,644	431	**2,213**	393	215	608	64	21	85	329	194	**523**	234	109	343	112	24	136	122	85	**207**	1956
1955—I	628	179	**449**	159	–	159	21	19	40	138	−19	**119**	47	40	87	24	3	27	23	37	**60**	I—1955
II	560	192	**368**	77	–	77	34	13	47	43	−13	**30**	86	–	86	25	6	31	61	−6	**55**	II
III	311	182	**129**	114	–	114	40	15	55	74	−15	**59**	55	–	55	26	3	29	29	−3	**26**	III
IV	471	208	**263**	22	–	22	16	3	19	6	−3	**3**	105	–	105	26	10	36	79	−10	**69**	IV
1956—I	584	111	**473**	79	92	171	10	3	13	69	89	**158**	43	4	47	27	3	30	16	1	**17**	I—1956
II	677	117	**560**	75	50	125	26	6	32	49	44	**93**	101	32	133	28	4	32	73	28	**101**	II
III	687	81	**606**	85	39	124	14	2	16	71	37	**108**	32	61	93	28	2	30	4	59	**63**	III
IV	696	122	**574**	154	34	188	14	10	24	140	24	**164**	58	12	70	29	15	44	29	−3	**26**	IV

	Total Corporate and Other Securities			Corporate Bonds and Debentures [4]									Other Bonds and Debentures [5]			Preferred Stocks			Common Stocks			
				Gross New Issues			Retirements			Net New Issues												
	Gross New Issues	Retirements	Net New Issues	Canadian Dollars Only	Other Currencies	Total	Canadian Dollars Only	Other Currencies	Total	Canadian Dollars Only	Other Currencies	Total	Gross New Issues	Retirements	Net New Issues	Gross New Issues 6	Retirements	Net New Issues	Gross New Issues 6	Retirements	Net New Issues	
Calendar Years																						**Calendar Years**
1952	855	222	**633**	419	157	576	191	12	203	228	145	**373**	27	6	**21**	29	13	**16**	223	–	**223**	1952
1953	799	221	**578**	393	114	507	148	13	161	245	101	**346**	3	7	**−4**	83	32	**51**	206	21	**185**	1953
1954	965	331	**634**	579	112	691	220	32	252	359	80	**439**	35	12	**23**	92	66	**26**	147	1	**146**	1954
1955	1,265	477	**788**	674	8	682	331	45	376	343	−37	**306**	52	27	**25**	170	74	**96**	361	–	**361**	1955
1956	1,693	210	**1,483**	781	228	1,009	183	10	193	598	218	**816**	13	9	**4**	183	8	**175**	488	–	**488**	1956
1955—I	382	112	**270**	189	–	189	83	15	98	106	−15	**91**	1	2	**−1**	60	12	**48**	132	–	**132**	I—1955
II	397	114	**283**	208	–	208	73	21	94	135	−21	**114**	35	6	**29**	34	14	**20**	120	–	**120**	II
II	142	98	**44**	72	8	80	65	3	68	7	5	**12**	–	15	**−15**	4	15	**−11**	58	–	**58**	III
IV	344	153	**191**	205	–	205	110	6	116	95	−6	**89**	16	4	**12**	72	33	**39**	51	–	**51**	IV
1956—I	366	68	**298**	229	21	250	60	5	65	169	16	**185**	4	2	**2**	33	1	**32**	79	–	**79**	I—1956
II	419	53	**366**	184	49	233	46	2	48	138	47	**185**	3	2	**1**	82	3	**79**	101	–	**101**	II
III	470	35	**435**	171	65	236	28	2	30	143	63	**206**	1	2	**−1**	34	3	**31**	199	–	**199**	III
IV	438	54	**384**	197	93	290	49	1	50	148	92	**240**	5	3	**2**	34	1	**33**	109	–	**109**	IV

★ Figures for the last twelve months are preliminary and are subject to revision as additional information becomes available. Series include all publicly announced issues and some private placements not publicly announced. Figures include all serial issues, and other issues with an original term to maturity of more than one year. New issues are based on delivery rather than offering dates. Foreign currencies have been converted to Canadian dollars at market noon rates on the date of delivery. In the case of optional-pay issues the option most favourable to the lender has been taken.
Details of Government of Canada Direct and Guaranteed Securities are shown on pages 73–74.

1. Excludes issues guaranteed by provinces which are already included in "Provincial Direct and Guaranteed". Also excludes issues sold directly to provinces which are estimated to be as follows:

	Gross New Issues	Retirements	Net New Issues
1952	22	1	21
1953	43	3	40
1954	40	9	31
1955	45	7	38
1956	57	10	47

2. Excludes payments into sinking funds.
3. No information is available on retirements of Canadian dollar municipal bonds on a quarterly basis and annual figures have been prorated over the four quarters.
4. Includes issues of Canadian corporations (including CNR issues not guaranteed by the Government of Canada) payable in Canadian dollars or other currencies except in those few cases where issues are sold abroad in foreign currencies and the proceeds are used outside Canada. Also includes Canadian dollar issues of foreign corporations when the proceeds are used in Canada. No liabilities of trust and loan companies are included.
5. Consists of issues of Canadian religious and other institutions and Canadian dollar issues of Australia and I.B.R.D. New issues of Australia amounted to $15 in 1955 and those of I.B.R.D. amounted to $15 million in 1952, $25 million in 1954, and $15 million in 1955 and retirements to $15 million in 1955.
6. At offering prices.

BONDS OUTSTANDING

PROVINCIAL, MUNICIPAL, CORPORATION AND INSTITUTIONAL BONDS[1]
GROSS AMOUNT OUTSTANDING AS AT DECEMBER 31, 1956[2]

Par Values in Millions of Canadian Dollars[3]

		Payable in: Canada only	New York only	Canada or New York	Canada, New York or London	London 4	Total	Contra Sinking Fund Investments (book value as at latest available date)	
Newfoundland	—Direct	43	–	–	–	–	43	3	Mar. 31, 1956
	—Guaranteed	25	–	–	–	–	25	–	
P.E.I.	—Direct	17	–	–	–	–	17	4	Mar. 31, 1956
	—Guaranteed	1	–	–	–	–	1	–	
Nova Scotia	—Direct	150	32	47	–	–	229	38	Mar. 31, 1956
	—Guaranteed	2	–	–	–	–	2	–	
New Brunswick	—Direct	206	5	16	–	4	231	48	Mar. 31, 1956
	—Guaranteed	9	–	–	–	–	9	–	
Quebec	—Direct	356	72	11	15	–	454	111	Mar. 31, 1956
	—Guaranteed	342	129	2	–	–	473	–	
Ontario	—Direct	740	281	–	132	–	1,153	138	Feb. 29, 1956
	—Guaranteed	1,085	–	3	8	–	1,096	12	Dec. 31, 1955
Manitoba	—Direct	138	19	10	4	–	171	45	Mar. 31, 1956
	—Guaranteed	32	–	–	–	–	32	–	
Saskatchewan	—Direct	122	74	13	3	–	212	24	Dec. 31, 1956
	—Guaranteed	4	–	–	–	–	4	–	
Alberta	—Direct	–	–	72	–	–	72	–	
British Columbia	—Direct	109	26	40	–	4	179	56	Mar. 31, 1956
	—Guaranteed	108	54	2	1	–	165	5	Mar. 31, 1956
Municipal[5]	—Direct and Guaranteed	2,136	380	62	12	13	2,603	117	Various
Corporation[6]		4,186	777	46	–	169	5,178		
Institutional[7]		151	–	–	–	–	151		
Total		9,962	1,849	324	175	190	12,500		

1. Provincial Treasury Bills are excluded. 2. Figures for the gross amount of bonds outstanding are compiled from latest sources adjusted to December 31, 1956 by subsequent known issues and redemptions. When full details regarding these become available minor revisions may be necessary. 3. Bonds payable in foreign currency are converted into Canadian dollars at the market closing rate at the end of December, 1956 ($0.9597 for bonds payable in New York only and $2.6744 for bonds payable in London only). 4. Including issues payable in Canada or London. 5. Including bonds sold directly to provinces. 6. Including bonds of Canadian companies outside of Canada and foreign companies payable in Canadian dollars, C.N.R. unguaranteed bonds and Industrial Development Bank debentures but excluding debentures of Loan Companies. The following are the comparable figures for 1955: "Canada only", 3,387; "New York only", 633; "Canada or New York", –; "Canada, New York or London", –; "London", 176; "Total", 4,397; with bonds payable in New York only and London only converted at the closing rate Dec. 31, 1955, $0.99906 and $2.80 respectively. 7. Bonds of religious and other institutions, Commonwealth of Australia and I.B.R.D. bonds payable in Canadian dollars. The comparable figure for 1955 is 147.

STOCK MARKET STATISTICS

Toronto, Montreal and Canadian Stock Exchanges; Dominion Bureau of Statistics

	Brokers' Loans 1 (Millions of Dollars)	Market Transactions 1: Volume (Millions of Shares)	Market Transactions 1: Value (Millions of Dollars)	Index Numbers of Common Stock Prices 2 (1935–39 = 100): Investors' Total	Industrials: Total	Industrials: Pulp & Paper	Industrials: Oils	Total Utilities	Golds	Base Metals
1955—Jan.	71.0	162.5	271.8	207.3	211.0	840.5	163.0	181.0	68.3	181.3
Feb.	69.4	119.3	279.6	214.7	219.2	873.6	162.0	184.0	69.3	191.3
Mar.	70.0	219.2	374.8	213.7	218.0	864.5	158.5	185.2	69.0	189.6
Apr.	79.8	219.8	336.6	216.5	222.0	911.0	157.5	185.6	71.1	199.8
May	90.0	124.4	324.1	222.1	227.8	991.4	154.0	191.7	72.8	209.0
June	97.0	195.8	436.0	237.1	244.4	1,044.7	163.6	202.9	75.9	226.0
July	108.3	148.0	355.0	246.5	252.8	1,069.8	169.2	208.9	75.0	241.8
Aug.	102.9	138.8	340.4	245.3	252.3	1,066.9	164.7	207.0	76.3	250.0
Sept.	98.8	144.3	333.6	255.9	265.9	1,098.2	174.1	211.2	75.3	252.0
Oct.	102.2	104.8	287.4	239.9	248.9	1,044.9	164.1	200.6	71.0	224.2
Nov.	107.6	94.0	264.5	245.6	255.3	1,062.5	168.8	201.4	71.2	230.2
Dec.	120.3	101.0	256.9	247.6	257.0	1,073.3	170.8	204.2	72.6	233.0
1956—Jan.	121.5	139.3	247.1	248.5	257.0	1,070.0	175.5	206.5	75.8	238.1
Feb.	123.2	219.1	304.4	249.2	258.1	1,077.3	182.6	204.1	76.7	235.8
Mar.	117.1	212.9	439.3	267.9	280.3	1,153.0	205.2	210.2	79.4	260.2
Apr.	131.3	258.1	479.6	273.0	286.2	1,123.9	210.0	209.3	78.8	269.7
May	129.6	148.1	399.6	268.5	282.9	1,192.5	211.7	204.2	78.8	268.5
June	133.4	103.3	259.4	267.0	283.0	1,146.0	219.4	199.8	76.7	273.1
July	139.3	104.6	309.0	282.4	299.0	1,185.8	234.9	207.9	79.5	291.5
Aug.	136.1	106.0	324.3	291.8	308.9	1,175.3	250.1	215.7	79.5	301.9
Sept.	123.7	81.6	213.3	278.9	294.4	1,077.2	243.7	209.2	74.1	282.2
Oct.	118.3	94.0	239.7	270.3	284.8	1,024.9	236.2	205.1	72.5	273.3
Nov.	103.6	80.4	255.4	262.3	276.0	994.2	239.2	200.3	68.6	262.2
Dec.	102.2	78.4	199.0	267.8	281.7	998.9	244.8	203.6	68.9	267.8
1957—Jan.	97.3	136.8	275.0	273.7	287.3	1,005.3	252.6	207.5	70.6	265.7
Feb.	100.7	108.3	200.3	263.2	276.0	946.4	244.8	203.6	69.3	243.2
Mar.	95.5	128.7	242.3	267.5*	281.0*	966.4*	246.2*	209.2*	68.1*	249.6*

1. Toronto, Montreal and Canadian Stock Exchanges. Brokers' loan data are for the last business day of the month and include borrowings from chartered banks, trust companies and other sources. Customers' free credit balances are not included. 2. Calculated by the Dominion Bureau of Statistics from Montreal and Toronto exchange quotations. Monthly series is an average of Thursday closing prices during the month. † Revised. * Preliminary.

GOVERNMENT OF CANADA THEORETICAL BOND YIELDS[1]

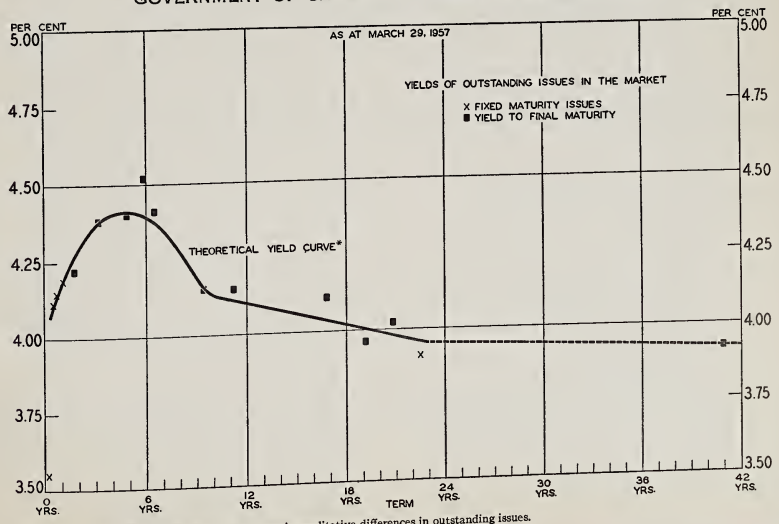
Percent per Annum — *Bank of Canada*

	1 Year	2 Years	3 Years	5 Years	10 Years	15 Years	20 Years	25 Years
1955—Dec. 13	3.22	3.34	3.40	3.45	3.42	3.41	3.44	3.46
30	3.03	3.28	3.37	3.42	3.36	3.38	3.41	3.44
1956—Jan. 13	3.02	3.25	3.35	3.41	3.32	3.35	3.39	3.42
31	2.73	2.97	3.09	3.19	3.24	3.27	3.31	3.35
Feb. 15	2.70	2.90	3.05	3.20	3.26	3.28	3.29	3.31
29	2.72	2.94	3.07	3.21	3.25	3.27	3.29	3.31
Mar. 15	2.82	3.05	3.16	3.29	3.28	3.31	3.34	3.38
Apr. 3	2.82	3.07	3.22	3.39	3.35	3.38	3.40	3.43
13	3.17	3.38	3.49	3.58	3.49	3.50	3.51	3.52
30	3.40	3.56	3.64	3.67	3.58	3.59	3.61	3.62
May 15	3.34	3.51	3.61	3.65	3.54	3.56	3.58	3.60
31	2.98	3.35	3.56	3.66	3.51	3.52	3.52	3.53
June 15	2.98	3.32	3.49	3.54	3.43	3.42	3.41	3.41
29	2.70	3.12	3.33	3.46	3.39	3.38	3.39	3.40
July 13	2.97	3.30	3.43	3.56	3.48	3.46	3.45	3.44
31	3.20	3.44	3.56	3.68	3.58	3.59	3.60	3.61
Aug. 15	3.69	3.93	3.97	3.95	3.78	3.76	3.75	3.74
31	3.57	3.86	3.89	3.88	3.78	3.77	3.76	3.76
Sept. 15	3.87	3.94	3.96	3.91	3.79	3.78	3.78	3.78
29	3.80	3.95	4.01	4.05	3.87	3.88	3.88	3.88
Oct. 15	3.82	3.97	4.03	4.05	3.86	3.85	3.84	3.84
31	4.03	4.12	4.17	4.19	3.94	3.90	3.87	3.85
Nov. 15	4.11	4.24	4.35	4.41	4.02	3.93	3.90	3.89
30	4.32	4.46	4.50	4.51	4.13	3.98	3.93	3.92
Dec. 14	4.32	4.48	4.51	4.51	4.08	3.97	3.95	3.94
31	4.41	4.56	4.60	4.60	4.10	4.01	4.00	3.99
1957—Jan. 15	4.62	4.84	4.84	4.67	4.23	4.13	4.10	4.08
31	4.74	4.80	4.81	4.79	4.28	4.18	4.16	4.13
Feb. 15	4.43	4.49	4.52	4.54	4.05	4.03	4.02	4.01
28	4.08	4.26	4.38	4.45	4.03	4.00	3.98	3.97
Mar. 15	4.07	4.21	4.29	4.35	4.05	4.01	3.97	3.95
29	4.18	4.29	4.37	4.41	4.13	4.06	3.99	3.95

1. Obtained as indicated by chart below.

NOTE: FOR DATA BACK TO 1952 SEE PAGES 38–39 IN THE "FINANCIAL SUPPLEMENT 1955".

GOVERNMENT OF CANADA THEORETICAL BOND YIELDS



* Free-hand curve which takes into account certain qualitative differences in outstanding issues.

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Fiscal Years ending March 31, in Millions of Dollars — *Department of Finance and Bank of Canada*

	1952/3	1953/4	1954/5	1955/6	1956/7*	1957/8**
1. Budgetary Revenue [1]						
Individual Income Tax—Deductions at Source [1]	786.5	790.0	803.1	839.6	1,413.0	1,560.0
" " " —Other Collections [1]	393.5	397.6	380.4	346.0		
Corporate Income Tax [1]	1,240.1	1,191.2	1,020.6	1,027.7	1,285.0	1,200.0
Withholding Tax on Non-Resident Dividends, Interest, etc.	53.7	53.8	61.3	66.2	77.0	80.0
Succession Duties	38.1	39.1	44.8	66.6	87.0	59.4
Sales Tax [1]	566.2	587.3	572.2	641.5	725.0	751.4
Excise on Tobacco	216.9	208.2	212.9	235.8	254.8	537.2
Excise on Liquor	126.0	131.1	127.7	140.3	149.3	
Excise on Automobiles, Tires and Tubes	89.0	105.5	81.5	76.8	76.7	
Other Excise Taxes	85.2	77.9	56.4	57.2	56.2	
Customs Import Duties	389.4	407.3	397.2	481.2	565.0	590.0
Other Taxes	13.0	14.4	15.5	16.8	17.0	2.0
Post Office Department	111.9	111.0	131.3	137.4	147.3	390.0
Return on Investments	125.5	152.1	134.0	149.3	202.0	
Premium, Discount and Exchange (Net) [2]	1.5	0.8	–	1.7	0.7	
Sale of Surplus War and Crown Assets	7.6	8.0	6.9	9.3	8.0	
Other Revenue	71.7	74.1	77.7	106.6	85.1	
Provincial Corporate Income Tax Suspense Adjustment	45.0	46.9	–	–	–	–
Total Budgetary Revenue	**4,360.8**	**4,396.3**	**4,123.5**	**4,400.0**	**5,149.1**	**5,170.0**
2. Budgetary Expenditure [1]						
Dept. of National Defence	1,882.4	1,805.9	1,666.0	1,750.1	1,768.1	1,722.8
Dept. of Defence Production	88.8	47.9	18.9	16.1	21.0	16.8
Civil Defence	1.7	4.0	3.1	2.4	4.5	7.0
Dept. of Veterans' Affairs	241.4	238.7	240.1	248.5	252.1	271.8
Colombo Plan and Other International Assistance [3]	27.5	32.7	29.1	28.7	40.1	38.0
Interest on Public Debt	451.3	476.1	477.9	492.6	522.2	527.2
Cost of Loan Flotations & Amortization of Discount & Commissions	13.1	19.1	23.6	21.1	13.4	19.0
Premium, Discount and Exchange (Net) [2]	–	–	3.8	–	–	
Subsidies, Special Grants and Tax Rental Payments to Provinces	338.7	341.0	359.0	350.9	395.6	379.5
Grants to Municipalities in Lieu of Taxes	2.6	3.0	3.0	7.0	9.2	19.0
Grants to Universities	5.1	5.2	5.4	5.5	16.0	16.4
Government Contribution to Superannuation Account—General	13.8	16.5	37.4	31.5	31.6	35.0
" " " " " —Special	25.0	38.0	–	–	90.8 [4]	50.0 [4]
Family Allowance Payments	334.2	350.1	366.5	382.5	397.7	436.8
Subventions to Provs. re Old Age Asstce., Blind & Disabled Persons' Allces.	22.1	23.2	24.2	29.5	30.8	37.2
Old Age Security Fund Deficits charged to Consolidated Fund [5]	–	–	45.8	63.3	56.0	50.0
General Health Grants	27.3	29.2	31.6	33.5	36.4	36.8
Other Dept. of National Health and Welfare	21.3	24.0	25.5	26.7	28.0	37.3
Unemployment Insurance—Administration and General	25.1	26.1	28.3	26.6	29.3	29.7
" " —Government Contributions	31.1	31.8	31.7	33.9	37.8	38.5
Other Dept. of Labour	10.8	9.6	9.8	9.0	10.1	15.8
Agricultural Prices Support Account—Net Operating Loss	32.5	37.8	3.1	5.8	4.5	
Other Dept. of Agriculture	74.2	70.6	78.7	82.4	80.5	84.7
Assistance re Storage Costs on Grain	–	–	–	18.9	31.8	33.0
National Research Council and Atomic Energy Control Board	28.3	28.1	30.7	35.1	40.9	44.5
Post Office Department	105.6	113.6	123.6	127.4	141.5	151.8
Royal Canadian Mounted Police	31.1	33.8	35.5	36.6	43.6	44.1
Dept. of Public Works	97.9	114.9	130.8	142.1	162.4	178.4
Dept. of Northern Affairs and National Resources	19.5	19.2	20.2	24.6	37.2	46.7
Deficit of the Canadian National Railways	–	–	28.8	–	–	
Other Deficits, Charges, etc., re Govt-Owned Enterprises	5.3	8.7	8.3	7.1	11.6	9.9
Other Dept. of Transport	98.6	109.3	122.1	124.9	146.7	165.6
Payments to C.B.C. from Excise Tax Revenue	–	16.7	20.8	23.1	19.0	16.0
Other Expenditure (n.e.s.)	206.0	225.7	242.0	245.7	306.2 [6]	400.7 [7]
Reserve for Possible Losses on Active Assets	75.0	50.0	–	–	50.0	50.0
Provision for Supplementary Appropriations less Appropriations Lapsing	–	–	–	–	–	8.0
Total Budgetary Expenditure	**4,337.3**	**4,350.5**	**4,275.3**	**4,433.1**	**4,866.6**	**5,018.0**
3. Budgetary Surplus = 1 − 2	**23.5**	**45.8**	**151.8**	**33.1**	**282.5**	**152.0**

* Preliminary. ** Budget Estimates.

1. Excludes transactions of Old Age Security Fund (see opposite page) except for net deficits of fund as noted.
2. Revenue and Expenditure in respect of "Premium, Discount and Exchange" consist mainly of book credits and debits arising from changes in the exchange rates used for valuation in the Government balance sheet of assets and liabilities (mainly cash balances and funded debt) which are payable in foreign currency.
3. Includes Canadian contributions to the Colombo Plan, U.N. Technical Assistance, U.N. Children's Fund, U.N. Relief and Works Agency for Palestine Refugees, and U.N. Korean Reconstruction Agency, together with miscellaneous relief, gifts, etc. to other countries. The figure for 1956/7 includes an estimated 1.0 in connection with Hungarian refugees. A further amount of 11.0, representing outlays by the Department of Citizenship and Immigration to bring Hungarian refugees to Canada, is included in "Other Expenditure (n.e.s.)".
4. Includes amounts of 50.0 in 1956/7 and again in 1957/8 to reduce actuarial deficiency in Superannuation Account.
5. The 1952/3 O.A.S. Fund deficit of 99.5 was written off in 1953/4 to the "Reserve for Possible Losses on Active Assets". The 1953/4 deficit of 45.8 and the 1954/5 deficit of 63.3 were charged to Budgetary Expenditure in 1954/5 and 1955/6, respectively. The 1955/6 deficit of 50.0 and the 1956/7 deficit of 6.0 were both charged to Budgetary Expenditure in 1956/7. The estimated 1957/8 deficit of 50.0 may be charged to Budgetary Expenditure in the same year.
6. Includes grant of 12.0 to cover anticipated deficit arising from C.B.C. television service. See also note 3 above.
7. Includes 100.0 for Canada Council and a further grant of 12.0 towards anticipated operating deficit and capital expenditures of C.B.C. television service.

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Fiscal Years ending March 31, in Millions of Dollars — *Department of Finance and Bank of Canada*

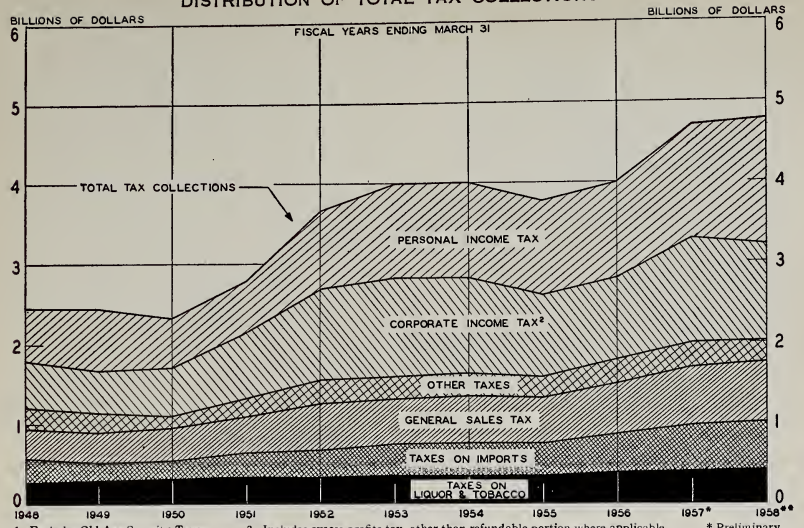
	1952/3	1953/4	1954/5	1955/6	1956/7*	1957/8**
4. Non-Budgetary Accounts (ex. Transactions shown under Items 5 & 7)						
Receipts or Credits Disbursements or Debits in Respect of:						
Temporary Loans to Old Age Security Fund	99.5 [5]	53.6 [5]	17.4 [5]	13.2 [5]	50.0 [5]	
Other Loans, Advances and Investments:						
Defence Production Revolving Fund	19.7	21.9	7.5	14.3	1.9	
Agricultural Prices Support Account	71.2	55.4	9.3	1.4	9.7	
Central Mortgage and Housing Corporation	72.6	98.8	43.7	10.5	6.8	
Canadian National Railways [8]	141.8	18.1	93.1	171.2	154.5	
St. Lawrence Seaway Authority	–	–	1.3	20.2	54.5	
Atomic Energy of Canada Limited	8.8	7.2	16.0	11.7	9.5	
Canadian Broadcasting Corporation	2.0	4.8	3.0	8.4	–	
Canadian Farm Loan Board	1.6	3.7	4.3	4.7	8.9	
Northern Ontario Pipeline Crown Corporation	–	–	–	–	1.8	
★United Kingdom and Other National Governments	60.8	92.5	71.2	71.0	70.8	
★Canada's Subscription to International Bank and Monetary Fund [9]	–	–	29.1	6.4	2.7	
Miscellaneous	5.6	1.7	5.8	18.9 [10]	13.9	
Other Accounts:						
National Defence Equipment Account	69.7	34.6	31.8	8.1	49.0	
Defence Materiel Replacement Account	15.4	0.8	16.2	0.1	1.5	
Colombo Plan Fund Account	19.9	18.7	12.8	1.1	12.5	
Prairie Farm Emergency Fund Account	5.8	7.4	12.0	4.8	3.5	
Provincial Corporate Income Tax Collections Suspense Account	29.8	47.9	–	–	–	
Contractors' Security Deposits and Holdback Accounts	24.6	5.8	1.1	3.2	.9	
Other Deposit, Trust & Suspense Accts., & Undisbursed Balances of Appropriations to Special Accounts (Net)	7.2	10.1	3.5	29.6 [10,11]		
Unamortized Discounts and Commissions on Loans	6.4	10.3	3.4	10.7	6.4	
Reserve for Possible Losses on Active Assets	75.0	49.5 [5]	–	–	50.0	
Total	**183.8**	**85.2**	**72.5**	**85.9**	**88.2**	
5. ★Increase or Decrease in Advances to Exchange Fund Account	**45.0**	**15.0 [12]**	**25.0 [12]**	**30.0 [12]**	**50.0**	
6. Net Financial Requirements (3+4+5)	**205.3**	**146.0**	**104.3**	**89.0**	**144.3**	
7. Financing:—Changes in Debt and Cash Balances [13]						
Increase in Liability re Government Annuities Account	60.6	61.9	66.1	65.7	59.8	
" " " " Superannuation Account [14]	59.7	101.7	76.9	70.7	167.4	
" " " " Other Annuity, Insurance & Pension Accts. [15]	55.6	42.2	62.2	71.8	83.4	
Increase or Decrease in Unmatured Funded Debt—Payable in Canada	117.2	232.0	87.4	959.1	1,035.7	
★ " " " " " " —Payable Abroad	2.1	2.4	7.7	48.0	–	
" " " " Matured Funded Debt—Payable in Canada	4.2	48.3	14.5	26.5	6.2	
★ " " " " " " " —Payable Abroad	0.4	0.1	0.1	4.7		
Increase " Decrease " Securities Investment Account	0.6	41.5	27.6	675.9	513.7	
★ " " " " Sinking Fund	1.7	74.2 [12]	89.0 [12]	20.0 [12]	0.6	
★Drawings on Demand Notes issued to Int. Bank & Monetary Fund	7.9	13.5	43.4	0.8	12.0	
Increase or Decrease in Interest Accrued on Public Debt [11]	25.9	12.0	5.2	9.6	10.0	
" " " " Interest Due and Outstanding	18.8	0.8	2.1	4.0	2.0	
" " " " other Current and Demand Liabilities (n.e.s.)	23.5	36.5	15.8	33.5	2.1	
Net Year-End Float Items [16]	6.2	10.0	16.1	19.1	34.6	
Increase or Decrease in Cash Balances [2]:—in Canada	113.4	95.1	137.2	324.7	130.6	
★ " " " " " " —Abroad	5.7	9.0	8.4	15.1		
Total Financing [12]	**205.3**	**146.0**	**104.3**	**89.0**	**144.3**	
Old Age Security Fund Transactions						
Pension Payments	323.1	338.9	353.2	366.2	379.0	437.5
Tax Receipts—2 Per Cent Sales Tax	141.5	146.8	143.1	160.4	181.0	
" " —2 Per Cent Individual Income Tax	45.2	90.7	100.9	102.5	125.0	
" " —2 Per Cent Corporate Income Tax	36.9	55.6	46.0	53.3	67.0	
	223.6	293.1	290.0	316.2	373.0	387.5

★ Indicates principal foreign debt and foreign exchange items in Sections 4, 5 and 7.

8. Covers only direct advances etc. from Government of Canada to C.N.R. Since March 31, 1952, changes in C.N.R. government-guaranteed debt in the hands of the public have been as follows: 1952/3, no change; 1953/4, 148.8 (increase); 1954/5, 248.2 (increase); 1955/6, 115.9 (decrease); 1956/7, no change.
9. Includes subscription to International Finance Corporation.
10. The contra entry, "Crown Assets Disposal Corporation—Government Equity in Agency Account", amounting to 9.1, has been eliminated from "Miscellaneous Loans, Advances and Investments", and from "Other Deposit, Trust and Suspense Accounts".
11. Includes credit of 10.8 in respect of Korean Operations Pool.
12. Government of Canada issues payable in U.S. dollars were repurchased in New York and placed in the Sinking Fund in amounts of 75, 85 and 34 in 1953/4, 1954/5, and 1955/6 respectively.
13. Changes in deposit, suspense, reserve and all other liability accounts not shown in Section 7 are included in Section 4, "Non-Budgetary Accounts".
14. Takes no account of the estimated deficiency in the Superannuation Account (set up in 1951/2 in the amount of 214 as a deferred charge in the Government balance sheet) except to the extent of 25 which was amortized from budgetary expenditure in 1952/3, and of a further 50 which was similarly amortized in 1956/7.
15. Includes cash balances of Unemployment Insurance Fund.
16. Includes "Cash in Hands of Collectors and in Transit", "Miscellaneous Departmental Imprest and Advance Accounts," "Moneys Received After March 31 but Applicable to the Current Year," and "Accounts Payable."

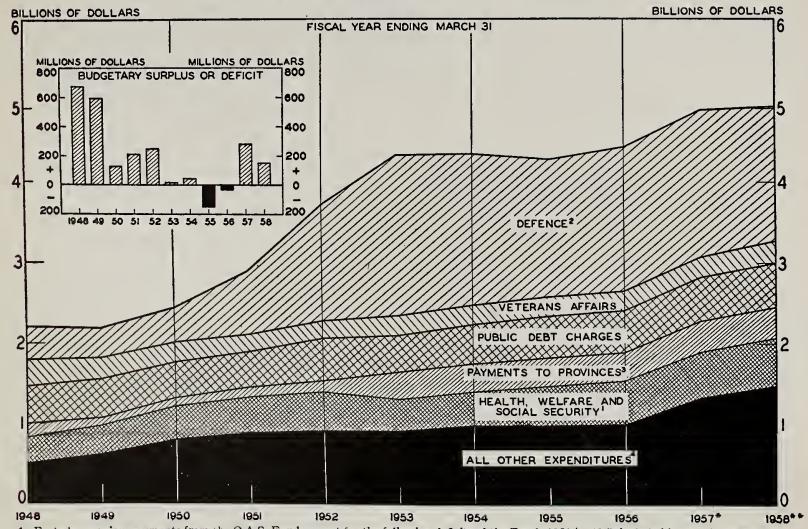
GOVERNMENT OF CANADA

DISTRIBUTION OF TOTAL TAX COLLECTIONS[1]



1. Excludes Old Age Security Taxes. 2. Includes excess profits tax, other than refundable portion where applicable. * Preliminary. ** Budget Estimates.

BUDGETARY EXPENDITURE BY CLASSES[1]



1. Excludes pension payments from the O.A.S. Fund, except for the following deficits of the Fund: 1951/2, 49.7, included in 1951/2 expenditure; 1953/4, 45.8, included in 1954/5 expenditure; 1954/5, 63.3, included in 1955/6 expenditure; and 1955/6, 50.0, included in 1956/7 expenditure; 1956/7, 6.0 also included in 1956/7 expenditure; and 1957/8, 50.0 (est.) included in 1957/8 expenditure. The 1952/3 deficit of 99.5 was written off to the "Reserve for Possible Losses on Active Assets." 2. Dept. of National Defence, Dept. of Defence Production, other war and demobilization expenditures, and Civil Defence commencing in fiscal year ending March 31, 1952. 3. Subsidies, special grants and tax rental, equalization and stabilization payments. 4. Includes provision for supplementary appropriations less appropriations lapsing, some of which would be applicable to the other groupings of expenditure. * Preliminary. ** Budget Estimates.

CANADIAN INVESTMENT TRANSACTIONS OF TWELVE LIFE INSURANCE COMPANIES[1]

Millions of Dollars

Net Investment in:—		Jan.	Feb.	2 Month Total*	Mar.	Apr.	May	June	July	Aug.	Sept.	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.	Annual Total*
Govt. of Canada Bonds[2]	1954	−6.2	8.0	1.8	−14.6	−10.6	−30.0	−1.1	−11.4	−0.6	−10.4	7.6	−12.3	−15.2	−96.7
	1955	7.4	−2.6	4.8	−11.4	15.8	−10.4	−15.1	−8.4	1.3	3.8	5.0	−2.7	−22.2	−39.4
	1956	−10.7	−11.4	−22.1	−17.9	−26.7	−9.1	−24.7	−21.5	−7.6	5.3	−6.3	−6.3	−11.1	−147.8
	1957	−10.1	3.2	−6.9											
Provincial Bonds[2]	1954	2.7	3.7	6.4	4.1	1.1	18.3	−2.5	2.9	−6.4	−3.8	1.2	−4.0	−2.2	15.1
	1955	−4.6	−2.0	−6.7	16.2	−1.1	−0.6	−1.0	2.4	−7.9	−1.2	−0.9	−1.6	−0.3	−2.7
	1956	13.6	0.1	13.7	−8.5	0.4	12.0	−5.4	5.9	−3.6	−1.6	3.9	−1.2	2.1	17.7
	1957	1.7	4.5	6.2											
Municipal Bonds[2]	1954	0.3	0.9	1.3	3.0	2.9	1.1	0.9	3.1	1.2	1.3	1.1	0.6	0.4	16.8
	1955	2.6	2.1	4.7	0.9	−1.4	1.0	2.4	−0.7	3.2	0.7	1.4	2.1	8.1	22.6
	1956	1.7	3.7	5.4	0.7	2.8	1.9	9.7	3.1	0.7	−0.3	1.4	1.3	1.5	28.2
	1957	2.8	4.3	7.1											
Corporate & Other Bonds	1954	9.4	5.8	15.2	18.7	17.3	3.6	7.9	6.1	0.2	10.8	−4.7	15.9	1.6	92.5
	1955	1.3	−2.3	−0.9	8.0	−6.3	23.0	8.6	−1.1	−4.2	−8.8	−2.2	7.6	11.0	34.7
	1956	31.2	17.2	48.4	30.9	21.2	2.3	6.9	−1.7	8.1	−5.9	3.4	2.6	12.4	128.4
	1957	15.0	7.9	22.9											
Pref. & Com. Stocks	1954	−0.5	−0.5	−1.0	−0.5	−0.4	−0.3	−0.1	−0.6	−0.7	−1.1	0.4	0.2	0.9	−3.2
	1955	0.3	0.3	0.5	0.4	0.5	−0.2	−1.5	−1.5	−0.6	−0.5	−0.5	0.2	4.3	1.1
	1956	0.1	0.5	0.6	–	0.1	0.2	1.3	0.7	−1.0	–	−0.3	−0.2	0.2	1.3
	1957	−0.2	0.7	0.5											
Mortgage Loans (Gross)[3]	1954	22.2	19.0	41.2	22.0	21.3	24.8	29.4	32.6	34.4	38.7	33.0	42.2	37.5	357.1
	1955	33.8	26.8	60.6	28.0	23.8	33.7	38.3	45.5	44.0	46.8	41.0	40.4	39.3	441.3
	1956	35.9	27.6	63.5	27.5	27.4	34.5	46.6	45.7	50.7	45.1	52.5	45.0	40.2	478.6
	1957	37.5	25.6	63.1											
Real Estate[4]	1954	1.0	1.2	2.2	0.8	1.8	2.0	3.4	3.0	1.7	2.6	2.5	2.5	4.7	27.1
	1955	0.7	4.6	5.3	5.0	1.2	1.9	1.9	2.6	3.7	0.9	0.1	2.0	0.4	24.8
	1956	2.5	0.4	2.9	1.9	0.5	6.5	0.9	1.1	1.2	1.5	1.5	1.0	5.1	24.0
	1957	1.2	1.2	2.3											
Policy Loans	1954	1.0	0.8	1.7	1.2	1.3	1.2	1.3	1.0	0.9	1.1	1.0	0.7	0.6	12.1
	1955	0.8	0.6	1.5	1.0	0.9	0.8	0.9	0.7	0.5	0.7	0.6	0.3	0.3	8.1
	1956	0.8	0.9	1.7	1.0	1.2	2.0	2.2	1.5	1.6	1.7	1.8	1.3	0.5	16.5
	1957	1.7	1.9	3.5											
Total[5]	1954	29.9	38.9	68.8	34.7	34.7	20.7	39.2	36.7	30.7	39.2	42.1	45.8	28.3	420.8
	1955	42.3	27.5	69.8	48.1	33.4	49.2	34.5	39.5	40.0	42.4	44.5	48.3	40.9	490.5
	1956	75.1	39.0	114.1	35.6	26.9	50.3	37.5	34.8	50.1	45.8	57.9	43.5	50.9	546.9
	1957	49.6	49.2	98.7											
Net Source of Funds:—															
Mortgage Repayments (Gross)[3]	1954	11.3	10.3	21.6	11.8	10.4	11.7	10.8	12.1	11.5	12.1	12.1	12.7	10.1	136.7
	1955	14.2	11.0	25.2	13.1	11.7	14.1	13.6	13.0	13.5	13.2	14.3	14.4	12.4	158.5
	1956	15.6	12.5	28.1	13.2	14.4	17.2	15.3	17.2	15.0	14.1	22.6	14.9	13.5	185.6
	1957	16.0	12.9	28.9											
Funds Transferred From Abroad	1954	−2.5	–	−2.5	2.6	−0.7	2.1	2.4	3.2	2.3	2.6	3.9	2.6	4.4	22.8
	1955	1.6	0.1	1.6	3.4	−0.1	4.0	1.6	4.8	1.4	0.4	6.6	−1.1	12.7	35.5
	1956	17.0	7.2	24.2	3.3	−8.5	5.8	2.0	3.0	9.2	8.1	19.4	7.3	8.9	82.5
	1957	2.3	6.0	8.3											
Funds From Canadian Insurance Operations★	1954	21.1	28.6	49.7	20.3	25.0	6.9	26.0	21.4	16.9	24.5	26.1	30.5	13.8	261.3
	1955	26.5	16.4	43.0	31.6	21.8	31.1	19.3	21.7	25.1	28.8	23.6	35.0	15.8	296.5
	1956	42.5	19.3	61.8	19.1	21.0	27.3	20.2	14.6	25.9	23.6	15.9	21.3	28.5	278.8
	1957	31.3	30.3	61.5											

1. Data are based on cash transactions affecting ledger assets and taking place in Canadian dollars, by 12 companies whose net premium income in Canada in 1955 was 78.2% of the total for all companies registered under the federal Insurance Acts. Total Canadian assets of these 12 companies at December 31, 1950 to 1956 are shown on page 87. 2. Includes guaranteed bonds. 3. Includes sale agreements. 4. Includes real estate for the production of income. 5. Includes gross mortgage loans. * Figures rounded to the nearest $100,000. Due to rounding, totals may not equal the sum of the monthly components. ★ Balancing item in the table, representing mainly Canadian dollars available from insurance operations *plus* any reduction or *minus* any increase in Canadian dollar cash balances.

NOTE: For 1952 and 1953 data see page 56 in the "Financial Supplement 1955".

CANADIAN ASSETS OF TWELVE LIFE INSURANCE COMPANIES[1]

Millions of Dollars — *Compiled from the Companies' Annual Statements to the Dept. of Insurance*

As at December 31st	1950	1951	1952	1953	1954	1955	1956
Government of Canada Bonds[2]	1,008.0	885.2	833.4	783.3	681.2	641.3	484.1
Provincial Bonds[2]	256.2	233.3	252.8	254.0	267.0	253.0	262.5
Municipal Bonds[2]	172.9	203.0	224.1	234.2	250.5	273.0	297.1
Corporate & Other Bonds[2, 3]	762.9	923.9	1,006.0	1,120.7	1,205.9	1,228.7†	1,358.5
Preferred & Common Stocks[4]	59.8	57.8	58.6	60.6	57.1	61.2	65.2
Mortgage Loans and Sale Agreements[5]	739.1	883.5	998.8	1,154.5	1,374.9	1,665.0	1,973.5
Real Estate[5, 6]	55.9	75.0	92.4	103.3	127.9	147.2	173.9
Policy Loans[7]	147.6	164.2	175.4	185.3	197.4	205.6	222.1
Cash[8]	34.8	30.9	37.3	27.9	20.0	21.2	29.0
All Other Canadian Assets[9]	1.9	1.5	1.7	2.7	1.6	3.0	3.8
Total Canadian Assets[9]	**3,239.1**	**3,458.3**	**3,680.5**	**3,926.5**	**4,183.5**	**4,499.2†**	**4,869.7**

PERCENTAGE DISTRIBUTION

Percent

As at December 31st	1950	1951	1952	1953	1954	1955	1956
Government of Canada Bonds[2]	31.1	25.6	22.7	20.0	16.3	14.2	9.9
Provincial Bonds[2]	7.9	6.7	6.9	6.5	6.4	5.6	5.4
Municipal Bonds[2]	5.3	5.9	6.1	6.0	6.0	6.1	6.1
Corporate & Other Bonds[2, 3]	23.6	26.7	27.3	28.5	28.8	27.3	27.9
Preferred & Common Stocks[4]	1.8	1.7	1.6	1.5	1.4	1.3	1.3
Mortgage Loans and Sale Agreements[5]	22.8	25.5	27.1	29.4	32.9	37.0	40.5
Real Estate[5, 6]	1.7	2.2	2.5	2.6	3.0	3.3	3.6
Policy Loans[7]	4.6	4.8	4.8	4.7	4.7	4.6	4.6
Cash[8]	1.1	0.9	1.0	0.7	0.5	0.5	0.6
All Other Canadian Assets[9]	0.1	*	*	0.1	*	0.1	0.1
Total Canadian Assets[9]	**100.0**	**100.0**	**100.0**	**100.0**	**100.0**	**100.0**	**100.0**

NET INVESTMENT DURING YEAR

Millions of Dollars

As at December 31st	1950	1951	1952	1953	1954	1955	1956
Government of Canada Bonds[2]	−168.2	−122.8	−51.8	−50.1	−102.1	−39.9	−157.2
Provincial Bonds[2]	−1.0	−22.9	19.5	1.2	13.0	−14.0	9.5
Municipal Bonds[2]	30.2	30.1	21.1	10.1	16.3	22.5	24.1
Corporate & Other Bonds[2, 3]	144.5	161.0	82.1	114.7	85.2	22.8†	129.8
Preferred & Common Stocks[4]	6.7	−2.0	0.8	2.0	−3.5	4.1	4.0
Mortgage Loans and Sale Agreements[5]	148.3	144.4	115.3	155.7	220.4	290.1	308.5
Real Estate[5, 6]	12.9	19.1	17.4	10.9	24.6	19.3	26.7
Policy Loans[7]	9.4	16.6	11.2	9.9	12.1	8.2	16.5
Cash[8]	7.1	−3.9	6.4	−9.4	−7.9	1.2	7.8
All Other Canadian Assets[9]	−0.1	−0.4	0.2	1.0	−1.1	1.4	0.8
Total Canadian Assets[9]	**189.8**	**219.2**	**222.2**	**246.0**	**257.0**	**315.7†**	**370.5**

1. Relates to the life branch assets of 12 life insurance companies whose net premium income in Canada in 1955 was 78.2 per cent of the total of all companies registered under the federal Insurance Acts. Annual changes in asset holdings differ slightly from the net annual Canadian dollar investments of the same companies as shown in the table on page 86 by reason of book valuation adjustments time lags and minor differences of definition. In the case of the Canadian security holdings of the two companies whose head offices are in the United States the table relates only to securities physically held in Canada by the Receiver-General or Canadian trustees.
2. Comprises direct and guaranteed bonds, payable only or optionally in Canadian dollars, issued by federal, provincial and municipal governments and by Canadian incorporated companies and institutions. Includes the following holdings of bonds payable optionally in Canadian or foreign currencies:

	1951	1952	1953	1954	1955	1956
Government of Canada Bonds	7.4	8.2	5.0	2.7	2.7†	2.5
Provincial Bonds	63.1	63.6	63.6	59.5	53.1†	40.6
Municipal Bonds	13.9	13.0	12.6	12.1	11.5	11.0
Corporate & Other Bonds	5.7	5.4	5.5	3.8	2.3†	5.9
Total	90.1	90.2	86.7	78.1	69.6†	60.0

3. Includes also bonds of foreign incorporated companies and institutions and foreign governments which are payable in Canadian dollars only.
4. Stocks of Canadian incorporated companies regardless of the currency in which dividends are paid.
5. All holdings relating to property situated in Canada.
6. Includes real estate held for the production of income.
7. Loans to policyholders whose usual place of residence is in Canada.
8. Cash held in Canadian offices of the life companies or in banks in Canada.
9. Includes all other "ledger" assets which are admitted by the federal Dept. of Insurance and physically held in Canada. Excludes "non-ledger" assets such as amounts due and accrued from investment income, rent, insurance premiums, annuity considerations, and amounts due from other companies.

* Less than 0.05 per cent. † Revised.

NOTE: For 1938 and 1946 data see page 65 in the "Financial Supplement 1954". For 1949 data see page 57 in the "Financial Supplement 1955".

FOREIGN EXCHANGE RATES[1]

Canadian cents per unit — *Bank of Canada*

Business Days	U.S. Dollar					£ Sterling				
	Spot Rates			Average Noon Rates[2]		Spot Rates			Average Noon Rates[2]	
	High	Low	Close	Spot	90-Day Forward Rate[2]	High	Low	Close	Spot	90-Day Forward Rate[2]
1951	107 5/16	101 3/16	101 3/16	105.28	104.92	300 1/2	281 3/8	281 3/8	294.68	294.71
1952	101 1/8	95 7/8	97 1/32	97.89	98.09	281 1/4	266 3/4	272 3/16	273.40	272.26
1953	99 25/32	96 3/4	97 3/8	98.34	98.66	280 15/16	272 3/8	273 5/8	276.66	277.02
1954	98 3/4	96 11/32	96 19/32	97.32	97.65	278 5/16	269	269	273.39	274.19
1955	100 1/16	96 15/32	99 29/32	98.63	98.62	280 7/16	268 3/4	280 3/32	275.35	274.23
1956	99 31/32	95 21/32	95 31/32	98.41	98.64	280 15/16	266 1/16	267 7/16	275.16	274.13
1956—Jan.	99 15/16	99 13/16	99 29/32	99.87	99.91	280 17/32	280 1/8	280 13/32	280.35	279.38
Feb.	99 31/32	99 27/32	99 29/32	99.91	99.94	280 11/16	280 1/16	280 11/16	280.43	279.00
Mar.	99 15/16	99 13/16	99 7/8	99.87	99.91	280 5/8	279 11/16	280 1/32	280.17	278.39
Apr.	99 7/8	99 7/32	99 15/32	99.68	99.75	280 3/8	278 1/2	279 7/32	279.93	278.31
May	99 15/32	98 7/8	98 15/16	99.18	99.30	279 15/32	277 3/16	277 13/32	278.49	277.27
June	99 1/16	98	98 3/32	98.53	98.75	277 5/8	274	274 15/32	276.16	275.25
July	98 13/32	97 27/32	98 5/32	98.18	98.45	275 3/32	273 3/16	273 1/4	274.30	273.51
Aug.	98 7/16	97 27/32	98 3/32	98.12	98.38	273 13/16	272 1/2	272 29/32	273.11	272.39
Sept.	98 1/16	97 7/16	97 15/32	97.77	98.10	272 7/8	271 3/16	271 1/8	272.14	271.43
Oct.	97 5/8	96 23/32	97 1/8	97.32	97.69	271 7/8	268 31/32	270 5/8	271.06	270.54
Nov.	97 3/16	95 23/32	96 1/8	96.44	96.81	270 7/16	266 3/16	267 7/16	268.36	267.56
Dec.	96 15/32	95 25/32	95 31/32	96.05	96.66	268 5/8	266 13/16	267 7/16	267.54	266.62
1957—Jan.	96 11/32	95 27/32	95 7/8	96.07	96.57	269 1/4	267 11/16	268 1/4	268.63	268.65
Feb.	95 15/16	95 3/4	95 3/4	95.83	96.24	268 1/2	267 13/16	267 13/16	268.21	268.39
Mar.	95 13/16	95 1/2	95 21/32	95.61	96.06	267 27/32	266 1/2	266 21/32	267.10	267.47

1. Rates are as reported on transactions between banks in the exchange market. Noon rates prior to May 6, 1954 are not available and closing rates have been used.
2. The 90-day forward rates are the averages of approximate rates at noon.

NOTE: For data back to 1939 see page 59 in the "Financial Supplement 1954" and page 51 in the "Financial Supplement 1955".

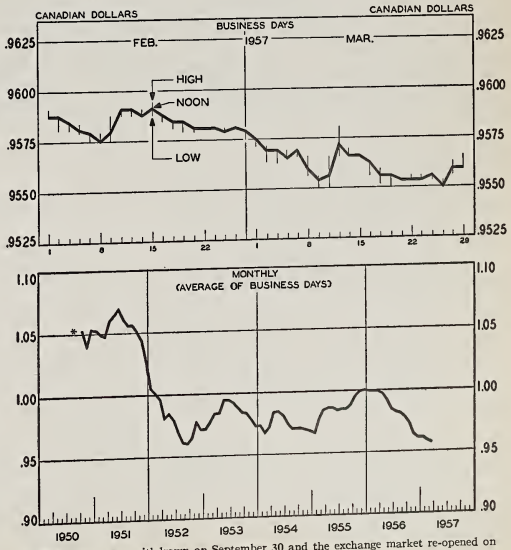
OFFICIAL HOLDINGS OF GOLD AND U.S. DOLLARS[1]

$ mm. U.S. — *Dept. of Finance*

End of Period	Gold	U.S. Dollars	Total
1951	841.7	936.9	**1,778.6**
1952	885.0	975.2	**1,860.2**
1953	986.1	832.4	**1,818.5**
1954	1,072.7	869.9	**1,942.6**
1955	1,133.9	766.9	**1,900.8**
1956	1,103.3	832.9	**1,936.2**
1955—Sept.	1,131.8	804.9	**1,936.7**
Oct.	1,140.8	755.4	**1,896.2**
Nov.	1,143.4	746.5	**1,889.9**
Dec.	1,133.9	766.9	**1,900.8**
1956—Jan.	1,129.5	749.4	**1,878.9**
Feb.	1,122.2	755.5	**1,877.7**
Mar.	1,120.1	751.3	**1,871.4**
Apr.	1,106.1	759.0	**1,865.1**
May	1,100.4	785.0	**1,885.4**
June	1,100.6	798.9	**1,899.5**
July	1,104.8	788.5	**1,893.3**
Aug.	1,105.9	777.8	**1,883.7**
Sept.	1,105.5	798.0	**1,903.5**
Oct.	1,109.8	803.2	**1,913.0**
Nov.	1,114.2	818.4	**1,932.6**
Dec.	1,103.3	832.9	**1,936.2**
1957—Jan.	1,105.9	824.7	**1,930.6**
Feb.	1,101.5	818.2	**1,919.7**
Mar.	1,101.2	822.4	**1,923.6**

1. Gold, U.S. dollars and short-term securities of the U.S. Gov't. held by the Exchange Fund Account, other Gov't. accounts, and the net holdings of the Bank of Canada.

UNITED STATES DOLLAR IN CANADIAN FUNDS



* Official rates were withdrawn on September 30 and the exchange market re-opened on October 2.

NOTE: For data back to 1945 see pages 60–61 in the "Financial Supplement 1954".

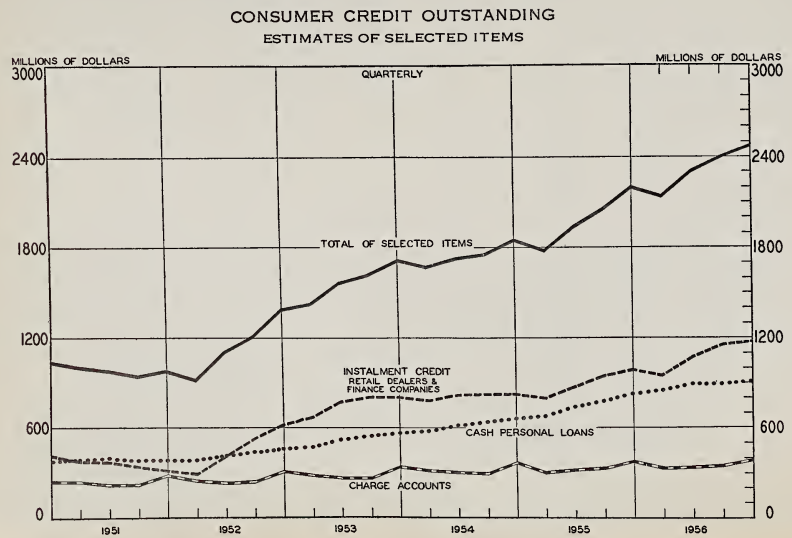
CONSUMER CREDIT OUTSTANDING
ESTIMATES OF SELECTED ITEMS

Millions of Dollars

	Charge Accounts 1, 2	Instalment Credit: Retail Dealers 1, 3	Instalment Credit: Finance & Loan Companies 4	Instalment Credit: Total	Cash Personal Loans 5	Total of Selected Items
1952 — Mar. 31	244	116	176	292	380	**916**
June 30	231	163	265	428	417	**1,076**
Sept. 30	241	192	334	526	435	**1,202**
Dec. 31	309	243	373	616	460	**1,385**
1953 — Mar. 31	283	242	426	668	477	**1,428**
June 30	268	247	524	771	525	**1,564**
Sept. 30	269	254	551	805	545	**1,619**
Dec. 31	339	284	520	804	567	**1,710**
1954 — Mar. 31	313	278	500	778	576	**1,667**
June 30	300	284	526	810	615	**1,725**
Sept. 30	297	285	532	817	635	**1,749**
Dec. 31	363	322	497	819	661	**1,843**
1955 — Mar. 31	301	304	496	800	675	**1,776**
June 30	317	314	559	873	743	**1,933**
Sept. 30	330	334	610	944	779	**2,053**
Dec. 31	374	377	601	978	830	**2,182**
1956 — Mar. 31	332†	360†	596	956†	849	**2,137†**
June 30	339†	367†	704	1,071†	892	**2,302†**
Sept. 30	349	377	776	1,153	898	**2,400**
Dec. 31*	389	408	766	1,174	906	**2,469**

SOURCES: Dominion Bureau of Statistics, Department of Insurance, Department of Agriculture and Bank of Canada.
1. Data on retail dealers' charge accounts and instalment credit outstanding are based on a revised series published by D.B.S. Excluded from the above tabulation are the charge accounts and instalment credit of certain categories of dealers whose credit is extended mainly to farmers or other businesses rather than to consumers.
2. Consumers' charge accounts receivables outstanding on the books of retail dealers.
3. Consumers' instalment receivables outstanding on the books of retail dealers.
4. Instalment paper held in connection with the financing of retail purchases of consumer goods, largely new and used automobiles. In addition to the paper held by sales finance and acceptance companies as reported in the D.B.S. publication "Sales Financing" these totals include estimates of instalment paper held by small loan companies and licensed money lenders.
5. Includes estimated personal loans by chartered banks, small loan companies, licensed money lenders and credit unions.
* Preliminary.
† Revised.

NOTE: For data back to 1948 see page 59 in the "Financial Supplement 1955".



PRICE INDEXES

"Prices and Price Indexes", Dominion Bureau of Statistics

WHOLESALE PRICES

	General: Total Index (Mid-Month)	General: Raw and Partly Manufactured	General: Fully & Chiefly Manufactured	Construction: Non-Residential Building Materials	Farm 1: Grains	Farm 1: Livestock
	1935–39 = 100			*1949 = 100*	*1935–39 = 100*	
Average of Mths.						
1951	**240.2**	237.9	242.4	118.6	217.3	407.8
1952	**226.0**	218.7	230.7	123.2	206.2	316.4
1953	**220.7**	207.0	228.8	124.4	201.0	288.1
1954	**217.0**	204.8	224.2	121.8	187.2	283.3
1955	**218.9**	209.7	224.5	123.4	188.0	263.2
1956	**225.6**	215.9	231.3	128.1	188.3	265.6
Monthly						
1955—Nov.	**220.7**	211.3	226.6	125.9	183.7	251.8
Dec.	**221.5**	212.6	226.7	126.0	183.8	252.0
1956—Jan.	**222.0**	212.9	227.3	126.7	184.9	248.6
Feb.	**222.2**	213.4	227.4	126.9	186.6	245.1
Mar.	**223.3**	214.7	228.3	127.2	190.4	240.4
Apr.	**224.5**	216.2	229.4	127.2	191.2	241.5
May	**225.3**	217.3	230.3	127.4	191.7	252.3
June	**226.5**	219.2	231.3	127.5	190.6	272.8
July	**226.6**	219.0	231.6	127.1	188.4	278.4
Aug.	**227.0**	217.0	233.3	129.3	188.9	280.8
Sept.	**227.4**	216.2	234.3	129.3	188.8	284.2
Oct.	**227.1**	214.4	232.2	129.5	187.6	277.3
Nov.	**226.6**	213.5	234.6	129.3	185.9	281.0
Dec.	**228.1**	216.4	235.3	129.6	184.9	284.3
1957—Jan.	**229.4**	217.8	236.5	130.0	184.6	287.7
Feb.	**228.4**	214.9	236.8	130.1	182.3	287.6
Mar.						

CONSUMER PRICES 2

	Total Index (1st of Month)	Food	Shelter	Clothing	Household Operation	Other Commodities & Services
	100	32	15	11	17	25
	1949 = 100					
Average of Mths.						
1951	**113.7**	117.0	114.4	109.8	113.1	111.5
1952	**116.5**	116.8	120.2	111.8	116.2	116.0
1953	**115.5**	112.6	123.6	110.1	117.0	115.8
1954	**116.2**	112.2	126.5	109.4	117.4	117.4
1955	**116.4**	112.1	129.4	108.0	116.4	118.1
1956	**118.1**	113.4	132.5	108.6	117.1	120.9
Monthly						
1955—Nov.	**116.9**	113.0	130.6	107.9	116.5	118.3
Dec.	**116.9**	112.4	131.0	108.5	116.6	118.3
1956—Jan.	**116.8**	111.5	131.3	108.6	116.5	119.0
Feb.	**116.4**	109.9	131.5	108.6	116.7	119.3
Mar.	**116.4**	109.1	131.6	108.7	116.8	119.9
Apr.	**116.6**	109.7	131.9	108.7	116.6	120.1
May	**116.6**	109.3	132.1	108.8	116.5	120.5
June	**117.8**	112.5	132.6	108.6	116.7	120.6
July	**118.5**	114.4	132.7	108.6	116.7	121.1
Aug.	**119.1**	115.9	133.0	108.4	116.8	121.3
Sept.	**119.0**	115.5	133.1	108.4	117.1	121.4
Oct.	**119.8**	117.4	133.3	108.5	117.7	121.6
Nov.	**120.3**	117.9	133.4	108.4	118.1	122.8
Dec.	**120.4**	117.5	133.5	108.6	118.6	122.9
1957—Jan.	**120.3**	117.1	133.6	107.6	119.0	123.1
Feb.	**120.5**	117.2	133.8	107.4	119.1	123.8
Mar.	**120.5**	116.4	134.0	108.2	119.5	124.2

1. Two sub-groups of the General Wholesale Price Index.
2. Components were selected and weighted on the basis of 1948 urban family incomes ranging from $1,650 to $4,050 with incomes between $2,000 and $3,000 most common.

NOTE: For the years 1952–1955 see page 86 in the "Financial Supplement 1955".

LABOUR FORCE STATUS OF THE POPULATION[1]

Thousands of Persons *"The Labour Force", Dominion Bureau of Statistics; Department of National Defence*

Survey Week Ending	Persons With Jobs: Agriculture	Persons With Jobs: Non-Agricultural Industries	Persons With Jobs: Total	Persons With Jobs: *Of Which On Temporary Lay-off and Short-time 2*	Without Jobs and Seeking Work 3: Thousands	Without Jobs and Seeking Work 3: Percentage of Labour Force	Total Civilian Labour Force	Civilian Non-Institutional Population (14 years of age and over)	Armed Forces	Civilian Labour Force Participation Ratio 4: Total	Civilian Labour Force Participation Ratio 4: Male	Civilian Labour Force Participation Ratio 4: Female
1955—June 18	881	4,577	5,458	*43*	157	2.8	5,615	10,522	117	53.4	82.8	24.2
July 23	989	4,599	5,588	*35*	150	2.6	5,738	10,543	117	54.4	84.8	24.2
Aug. 20	960	4,681	5,641	*46*	131	2.3	5,772	10,557	116	54.7	85.1	24.4
Sept. 17	844	4,651	5,495	*44*	138	2.4	5,633	10,574	117	53.3	82.4	24.3
Oct. 22	774	4,703	5,477	*40*	142	2.5	5,619	10,590	117	53.1	82.3	24.1
Nov. 19	728	4,691	5,419	*54*	162	2.9	5,581	10,602	117	52.6	81.2	24.3
Dec. 10	713	4,675	5,388	*67*	200	3.6	5,588	10,610	117	52.7	81.0	24.6
1956—Jan. 21	688	4,543	5,231	*74*	286	5.2	5,517	10,626	116	51.9	80.2	23.9
Feb. 18	678	4,538	5,216	*73*	308	5.6	5,524	10,635	117	51.9	80.3	23.9
Mar. 24	679	4,562	5,241	*66*	295	5.3	5,536	10,646	117	52.0	80.1	24.1
Apr. 21	764	4,562	5,326	*51*	257	4.6	5,583	10,663	117	52.4	80.7	24.3
May 19	817	4,682	5,499	*37*	165	2.9	5,664	10,680	116	53.0	81.9	24.4
June 23	804	4,843	5,647	*35*	117	2.0	5,764	10,699	116	53.9	83.1	24.9
July 21	897	4,892	5,789	*33*	102	1.7	5,891	10,714	116	55.0	85.3	25.0
Aug. 18	946	4,877	5,823	*36*	103	1.7	5,926	10,733	116	55.2	85.5	25.2
Sept. 22	841	4,835	5,676	*45*	97	1.7	5,773	10,752	117	53.7	82.7	25.0
Oct. 20	794	4,880	5,674	*39*	98	1.7	5,772	10,771	117	53.6	82.3	25.2
Nov. 17	693	4,937	5,630	*47*	135	2.3	5,765	10,791	117	53.4	81.7	25.5
Dec. 15	680	4,875	5,555	*59*	186	3.2	5,741	10,815	117	53.1	81.0	25.5
1957—Jan. 19	671	4,722	5,393	*74*	303	5.3	5,696	10,842	117	52.5	80.4	25.0
Feb. 16	654	4,708	5,362	*80*	323	5.7	5,685	10,861	117	52.3	80.4	24.6

1. The estimates are based on a sample of about 30,000 households and are therefore subject to sampling error which is relatively larger the smaller the estimate. Data not seasonally adjusted.
2. Includes those laid off for part of the week or on lay-off during the entire week, with definite instructions to return to their jobs within 30 days of the date on which lay-off began, provided they did not look for work during the survey week.
3. Includes persons who, though having jobs, did not work during the entire week and looked for work or would have looked for work only they were temporarily ill, on indefinite or prolonged lay-off or believed no work was available.
4. Civilian labour force as a percentage of civilian non-institutional population 14 years of age and over.

NOTE: For the years 1946–1955 see pages 84–85 in the "Financial Supplement 1955".

EMPLOYMENT AND LABOUR INCOME

"Employment and Payrolls", "Man-Hours and Hourly Earnings" and "Estimates of Labour Income", Dominion Bureau of Statistics

	Employment Indexes[1, 2]		Average Hours Worked[1, 3]		Average Hourly Earnings[1, 3, 4]		Monthly Labour Income[4]			
	Manufacturing	Mining	Manufacturing	Mining	Manufacturing	Mining	Total[5]	Manufacturing	Construction	All Other[6]
	Index 1949 = 100		Hours per week		Cents		Millions of Dollars			
Monthly Average										
1951	108.0	110.6	41.8	43.1	116.8	133.4	810	272	52	486
1952	109.3	116.8	41.5	42.7	129.2	147.1	906	303	63	540
1953	113.3	111.7	41.3	42.7	135.8	153.8	976	329	70	577
1954	107.7	109.8	40.6	42.6	140.8	157.3	1,000	323	69	608
1955	109.3	113.4	41.0	43.2	144.5	161.1	1,068	342	78	648
1956	115.4	122.0	41.1	42.9	151.5	171.4	1,190	379	93	718
1955—Oct.	113.4	116.5	41.5	43.6	144.8	161.9	1,131	354	100	677
Nov.	112.8	116.6	41.7	44.5	145.4	163.4	1,128	354	89	685
Dec.	112.3	116.5	41.6	44.2	146.1	165.2	1,117	357	78	682
1956—Jan.	109.8	114.4	39.0	42.0	147.5	165.1	1,077	349	71	657
Feb.	110.2	114.4	41.2	43.8	147.3	166.2	1,090	358	69	663
Mar.	112.3	115.9	41.3	44.0	148.5	166.8	1,094	365	70	659
Apr.	113.4	117.3	41.1	42.6	150.5	168.5	1,126	371	79	676
May	114.1	116.9	41.4	42.7	151.1	169.0	1,169	377	92	700
June	115.4	123.0	40.9	42.8	151.9	170.5	1,215	381	105	729
July	118.0	126.1	41.2	42.4	152.7	172.0	1,223	382	105	736
Aug.	117.9	128.2	40.8	42.6	152.4	172.7	1,236	382	108	746
Sept.	118.0	128.6	41.1	42.7	152.1	173.8	1,268	392	110	766
Oct.	118.6	126.5	41.5	43.6	153.3	176.2	1,273	394	114	765
Nov.	118.6	126.9	41.6	42.5	154.7	177.3	1,265	397	101	767
Dec.	118.0	125.4	41.5	43.1	155.5	179.0	1,248	397	90	761
1957—Jan.	114.8*	122.8*	37.9	40.7	158.0	181.6	1,197	384	76	737
Feb.			40.9*	42.9*	157.5*	181.4*				

1. As reported by employers usually having 15 or more employees. Dated first of month and covering the last pay period in the previous month.
2. Coverage, including salaried and part time workers at Jan. 1, 1957, was Manufacturing, 1,194,987; Mining, 109,314.
3. Include hourly rated wage earners only.
4. Gross earnings before deductions for taxes, unemployment insurance, etc.
5. Wages and salaries and includes bonuses and commissions, food, clothing, shelter and contributions to insurance, pensions, etc. provided by employer.
6. Includes all supplementary labour income. * Preliminary.

NOTE: For the years 1952–1955 see page 83 in the "Financial Supplement 1955".

SELECTED HOUSING STATISTICS

Central Mortgage and Housing Corporation and Dominion Bureau of Statistics

	Dwellings in New Structures[1]				Composite Indexes of Residential Building Costs			Residential Construction Expenditures[3, 6]		
	Areas of 5,000 Population and over[2]		All Areas[3]		Residential Building Materials[4]	Wage Rates of All Construction Workers[5]	Residential Building Materials and Wage Rates[4]	New Dwellings and Major Improvements	Repair and Maintenance	Total
	Starts	Completions	Starts	Completions						
	thousands of units				1949 = 100			millions of dollars		
Calendar Years										
1951	47.4	61.2	68.6	81.3	125.5	119.2	123.1†	821.6	221.0	1,042.6
1952	63.4	54.3	83.2	73.1	124.9	129.5	126.6	825.6	203.2	1,028.8
1953	80.3	73.4	102.4	96.8	123.9	137.2	128.9	1,083.7	213.6	1,297.3
1954	89.8	80.6	113.5	102.0	121.7	141.1†	129.0	1,178.0	221.8	1,399.8
1955	97.3	93.9†	138.3	127.9	124.3	146.6	132.7†	1,499.3	238.0	1,737.3
1956	87.3	95.2	127.3	135.7	128.4	152.4	137.4†	1,574.2†	255.5	1,829.7†
Monthly										
1955—Oct.	9.5	10.5	14.9	17.4	125.9†	146.6	133.7			
Nov.	8.6	10.7	10.9	14.2	125.8†	146.9	133.7	430.3	61.6	491.9
Dec.	4.8	9.3	6.2	12.1†	126.1	146.9	133.9			
1956—Jan.	3.5	6.9	4.2	9.5	127.0	147.3†	134.6			
Feb.	4.1	5.8	4.7	7.5	127.0	147.4	134.7	299.1†	62.4	361.5†
Mar.	4.5	7.3	5.6	8.7	128.0	147.5	135.3			
Apr.	7.6	7.4	10.4	9.1	128.7	147.8	135.9			
May	11.1	7.9	15.9	9.7	129.0	148.5	136.3	425.0†	63.3	488.3†
June	11.0	7.8	19.4	13.6	129.0	148.5	136.3			
July	11.1	7.4	15.9	9.7	128.9	148.9	136.4			
Aug.	9.0	7.4	14.0	10.7	128.9	150.5	137.0	442.4†	64.4	506.8†
Sept.	8.9	7.7	13.3	12.2	128.7	151.1	137.1			
Oct.	7.8	10.7	11.8	18.5	128.7	152.4	137.6			
Nov.	5.7	10.1	8.0	14.1	128.6	151.9	137.3	407.7	65.4	473.1
Dec.	3.2	8.7	4.1	12.5	128.4	153.0	137.6			
1957—Jan. *	1.5	7.3	1.7	10.2	128.6	153.3	137.9			
Feb. *	1.8	6.1	2.0	7.5	128.7	153.4	138.0			

1. Excludes conversions. From 1951 to 1956 these are estimated to have totalled approximately 3.5, 3.2, 3.8, 4.4, 4.3 and 3.6 thousand respectively. 2. Based on a complete enumeration. 3. In areas outside the centres of 5,000 population and over, information relating to starts and completions is based on a sample survey. In the latter part of 1954 the sample was redesigned and enlarged and some discontinuity with previous years resulted. There is probably an understatement of total starts and completions and of expenditures in 1954 and earlier years. Total number of starts in 1957 is subject to upward revision when the results of the June survey are available. 4. Calendar year figures are the averages of 12 months. 5. Index of average hourly wage rates including holiday pay allowances. Annual data refer to the month of October each year. 6. Expenditures on work put in place. † Revised. * Preliminary.

NOTE: For data back to 1952 see page 78 in the "Financial Supplement 1955".

NEW PASSENGER AUTOMOBILE STATISTICS[1]

Thousands of Units — *"Ward's Automotive Reports" and Dominion Bureau of Statistics*

	Cdn. Passenger Automobiles		Imports of New Passenger Automobiles[3]				Total Domestic Supply	Domestic Sales		Apparent Change in Stocks[5]	Total Registrations (New and Used)
	Production	Less: Exports[2]	From U.S.A.	From U.K.	From all other Countries	Total Imports		Total	% Financed[4]		
Annual Totals											
1948	167.8	31.5	2.8	14.2	–	17.0	153.3	145.7	*20.5*	+7.6	1,496.8
1949	193.0	16.5	3.6	31.2	0.5	35.3	211.8	202.3	*26.3*	+9.5	1,672.4
1950	282.7	24.6	3.2	77.6	0.9	81.7	339.8	324.9	*29.9*	+14.9	1,906.9
1951	281.6	39.6	14.1	25.7	–	39.8	281.8	275.7	*29.6*	+6.1	2,097.6
1952	284.6	38.1	13.8	19.8	1.1	34.7	281.2	292.1	*42.8*	−10.9	2,296.4
1953	366.5	40.4	23.5	28.1	1.5	53.1	379.2	359.2	*40.8*	+20.0	2,513.8
1954	285.6	19.7	18.0	17.5	3.0	38.4	304.3	310.5	*40.6*	−6.2	2,688.5
1955	377.6	25.7	27.4	15.0	6.1	48.5	400.4	387.0	*40.4*†	+13.4	2,935.4
1956**	373.7	25.0	38.8	20.7	16.6	76.1	424.9	406.7	*46.0*	+18.1	*
Quarterly											
1953—IV	74.4	10.1	1.8	2.0	0.4	4.2	68.5	65.5	*47.1*	+3.0	*
1954—I	105.9	6.4	5.5	3.8	0.4	9.7	109.2	78.8	*35.0*	+30.4	*
II	93.3	8.1	7.5	8.8	1.0	17.3	102.5	107.2	*38.8*	−4.7	*
III	40.9	5.0	1.8	2.9	0.8	5.5	41.4	72.8	*46.6*	−31.4	*
IV	45.4	0.2	3.1	2.0	0.8	5.9	51.1	51.8	*44.5*	−0.7	*
1955—I	99.3	4.4	6.4	2.5	0.7	9.6	104.5	70.8	*34.5*	+33.7	*
II	134.3	11.7	6.2	6.1	2.0	14.3	136.9	144.2	*36.0*	−7.3	*
III	73.1	5.6	8.0	3.9	1.6	13.6	81.1	98.4	*49.5*	−17.3	*
IV	70.9	4.0	6.8	2.4	1.8	11.0	77.9	73.5	*41.6*†	+4.4	*
1956—I	85.5	6.8	21.9	4.6	3.7	30.3	109.0	76.7	*36.8*	+32.3	*
II**	136.1	9.0	12.3	8.4	4.7	25.3	152.4	152.4	*41.2*	–	*
III**	58.0	5.7	1.0	3.6	3.6	8.2	60.6	101.9	*55.9*	−41.4	*
IV**	94.0	3.5	3.6	4.1	4.6	12.3	102.8	75.7	*51.8*	+27.1	*

1. Includes Newfoundland commencing in 1949. 2. Manufacturers' shipments for export. 3. Less re-exports, assumed to be entirely of other than U.S.A. origin. 4. Data on domestic sales financed include only financing through sales finance companies. 5. In the hands of manufacturers, wholesalers and retailers. A limited number of new automobiles pass into use without being reported in sales of new vehicles (e.g. dealers' demonstration models). Thus the "Apparent Change in Stocks" contains an upward bias which makes any cumulative estimate unreliable, especially over periods longer than one year.
† Revised. * Not available. ** Preliminary.

NEW COMMERCIAL VEHICLE STATISTICS[1]

Thousands of Units — *"Ward's Automotive Reports" and Dominion Bureau of Statistics*

	Cdn. Commercial Vehicles		Imports of New Commercial Vehicles[3]				Total Domestic Supply	Domestic Sales		Apparent Change in Stocks[5]	Total Registrations (New and Used)
	Production	Less: Exports[2]	From U.S.A.	From U.K.	From All other Countries	Total Imports		Total	% Financed[4]		
Annual Totals											
1948	95.8	23.4	1.5	2.1	–	3.6	76.0	75.6	*29.0*	+0.4	504.2
1949	98.0	13.3	1.2	2.2	–	3.4	88.1	84.0	*33.7*	+4.1	578.3
1950	105.4	9.2	1.6	5.2	–	6.8	103.0	104.8	*36.5*	−1.8	649.7
1951	133.2	27.2	3.4	2.3	–	5.7	111.7	110.0	*40.5*	+1.7	731.6
1952	149.1	37.7	3.2	1.1	–	4.3	115.7	108.7	*43.9*	+7.0	817.3
1953	117.3	19.8	4.1	0.9	0.3	5.3	102.8	103.4	*41.2*	−0.6	876.7
1954	66.4	10.2	4.1	0.3	0.5	4.9	61.1	72.1	*38.9*	−11.0	918.5
1955	75.1	9.4	7.7	0.4	1.3	9.4	75.1	78.7	*36.7*†	−3.6	977.1
1956**	98.7	8.5	10.6	0.6	1.9	13.1	103.3	91.5	*37.3*	+11.8	*
Quarterly											
1953—IV	18.3	3.8	0.8	0.2	0.1	1.1	15.6	20.5	*43.8*	−4.9	*
1954—I	26.0	4.1	0.9	–	0.1	1.0	22.9	19.4	*35.5*	+3.5	*
II	21.3	3.0	1.2	0.1	0.1	1.4	19.7	22.9	*38.9*	−3.2	*
III	9.6	1.9	0.7	0.1	0.2	1.0	8.7	16.8	*40.9*	−8.1	*
IV	9.6	1.2	1.3	0.1	0.1	1.5	9.9	13.0	*41.1*	−3.1	*
1955—I	13.3	1.8	1.3	0.1	0.2	1.6	13.1	12.5	*33.3*	+0.6	*
II	33.8	4.7	1.9	0.2	0.4	2.4	31.5	25.7	*33.8*	+5.8	*
III	17.7	1.8	2.4	0.1	0.3	2.8	18.7	22.9	*40.4*	−4.2	*
IV	10.3	1.1	2.2	0.1	0.4	2.6	11.8	17.6	*38.6*†	−5.8	*
1956—I	20.6	2.1	2.6	0.1	0.5	3.2	21.7	16.5	*31.2*	+5.2	*
II**	34.1	2.7	3.4	0.2	0.5	4.1	35.5	29.7	*34.5*	+5.8	*
III**	20.9	2.3	2.8	0.1	0.3	3.2	21.9	25.1	*39.6*	−3.3	*
IV**	23.1	1.4	1.8	0.2	0.6	2.6	24.3	20.2	*43.8*	+4.1	*

1. Includes Newfoundland commencing in 1949. 2. Manufacturers' shipments for export. 3. Less re-exports, assumed to be entirely of other than U.S.A. origin. 4. Data on domestic sales financed include only financing through sales finance companies. 5. In the hands of manufacturers, wholesalers and retailers. A limited number of new vehicles pass into use without being reported in sales of new vehicles. Thus the "Apparent Change in Stocks" contains an upward bias which makes any cumulative estimate unreliable, especially over periods longer than one year.
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NATIONAL ACCOUNTS: QUARTERLY[1]

DATA NOT SEASONALLY ADJUSTED

Dominion Bureau of Statistics

Millions of Dollars

	First Quarter				Second Quarter				Third Quarter				Fourth Quarter				Years			
	1953	1954†	1955†	1956*	1953	1954†	1955†	1956*	1953	1954†	1955†	1956*	1953	1954†	1955†	1956*	1953	1954†	1955†	1956
NATIONAL INCOME AND GROSS NATIONAL PRODUCT																				
Wages, salaries and supplementary labour income	2,795	2,856	2,969	3,261	2,904	2,948	3,150	3,510	3,004	3,075	3,315	3,727	3,012	3,115	3,376	3,786	11,715	11,994	12,810	14,284
Military pay and allowances	70	83	93	93	77	92	100	106	79	95	101	113	83	97	100	112	309	367	394	424
Investment income	885	817	876	1,070	1,019	956	1,123	1,276	1,014	995	1,229	1,290	864	893	1,111	1,146	3,782	3,661	4,339	4,782
Net income of unincorporated business: farm [2]	19	59	−17	−2	113	147	198	111	1,374	740	1,063	1,267	146	201	160	232	1,652	1,147	1,404	1,608
other [3]	345	319	347	376	448	418	460	497	440	432	478	537	442	456	508	541	1,675	1,625	1,793	1,951
Net National Income At Factor Cost	**4,114**	**4,134**	**4,268**	**4,798**	**4,561**	**4,561**	**5,031**	**5,500**	**5,911**	**5,337**	**6,186**	**6,934**	**4,547**	**4,762**	**5,255**	**5,817**	**19,133**	**18,794**	**20,740**	**23,049**
Indirect taxes less subsidies	690	724	756	855	733	741	800	909	744	734	831	912	740	748	851	925	2,907	2,947	3,238	3,601
Depreciation and similar business costs [4]	547	613	652	710	600	673	712	780	607	675	744	819	664	712	770	842	2,418	2,673	2,878	3,151
Residual error of estimate	−6	−74	+63	+18	−75	−6	−3	−58	+25	−14	−23	−11	+71	+16	+23	+116	+15	−78	+60	+65
G.N.P. At Market Prices	**5,345**	**5,397**	**5,739**	**6,381**	**5,819**	**5,969**	**6,540**	**7,131**	**7,287**	**6,732**	**7,738**	**8,654**	**6,022**	**6,238**	**6,899**	**7,700**	**24,473**	**24,336**	**26,916**	**29,866**
G.N.P. less accrued net income of farm operators	5,326	5,338	5,756	6,383	5,706	5,822	6,342	7,020	5,913	5,992	6,675	7,387	5,876	6,037	6,739	7,468	22,821	23,189	25,512	28,258
GROSS NATIONAL EXPENDITURE																				
Personal expenditure on consumer goods and services	3,461	3,575	3,862	4,202	3,792	3,967	4,314	4,617	3,666	3,890	4,169	4,518	4,193	4,449	4,794	5,219	15,112	15,881	17,139	18,556
Government expenditure on goods and services: non-defence [5]	587	540	652	699	482	645	648	744	738	808	878	1,054	674	693	794	912	2,481	2,686	2,972	3,409
defence [6]	590	528	520	490	401	360	390	394	452	399	413	448	464	440	433	468	1,907	1,727	1,756	1,800
Gross domestic investment [7]: housing [8]	190	206	255	296	273	283	375	422	302	334	428	436	296	343	423	402	1,061	1,166	1,481	1,556
non-residential construction	311	356	366	436	412	398	426	589	523	475	544	789	460	430	511	735	1,706	1,659	1,847	2,549
machinery and equipment	522	439	401	519	592	585	563	729	520	421	489	629	439	396	494	635	2,073	1,841	1,947	2,512
change in inventories: business [9]	+104	+99	+198	+377	+221	−5	+9	+227	+146	−99	+66	+33	−76	−140	+46	+105	+395	−145	+319	+742
other [9]	−245	−236	−285	−267	−232	−100	−13	−203	+984	+479	+813	+953	−311	−273	−324	−286	+196	−130	+191	+197
Exports of goods and services [10, 11]	1,154	1,090	1,217	1,342	1,399	1,278	1,437	1,627	1,478	1,400	1,581	1,719	1,369	1,379	1,518	1,622	5,400	5,147	5,753	6,310
Gross Available Supply	**6,674**	**6,597**	**7,186**	**8,094**	**7,340**	**7,411**	**8,149**	**9,146**	**8,809**	**8,107**	**9,381**	**10,579**	**7,508**	**7,717**	**8,689**	**9,812**	**30,331**	**29,832**	**33,405**	**37,631**
Less: Imports of goods and services [11]	1,335	1,274	1,385	1,695	1,597	1,448	1,612	2,072	1,496	1,389	1,666	1,935	1,415	1,463	1,767	1,997	5,843	5,574	6,430	7,699
Residual error of estimate	+6	+74	−62	−18	+76	+6	+3	+57	−26	+14	+23	+10	−71	−16	−23	−115	−15	+78	−59	−66
G.N.E. At Market Prices	**5,345**	**5,397**	**5,729**	**6,381**	**5,819**	**5,969**	**6,540**	**7,131**	**7,287**	**6,732**	**7,738**	**8,654**	**6,022**	**6,238**	**6,899**	**7,700**	**24,473**	**24,336**	**26,916**	**29,866**
GROSS NATIONAL EXPENDITURE IN CONSTANT (1949) DOLLARS																				
Personal expenditure on consumer goods and services	2,964	3,032	3,255	3,533	3,256	3,359	3,663	3,888	3,113	3,276	3,537	3,764	3,572	3,769	4,070	4,317	12,905	13,436	14,525	15,502
Government expenditure on goods and services [5, 6]	941	816	873	845	696	758	757	781	934	919	951	1,046	881	855	883	945	3,452	3,348	3,464	3,617
Gross domestic investment [7]: housing [8]	150	162	197	219	215	221	287	310	236	260	323	318	231	266	317	293	832	909	1,124	1,140
non-residential construction	233	268	275	307	312	302	319	412	396	363	402	551	346	329	368	508	1,287	1,262	1,364	1,778
machinery and equipment	440	359	324	396	495	471	457	555	429	343	392	476	361	320	382	463	1,725	1,493	1,555	1,890
change in inventories: business	+98	+130	+144	+259	+181	−3	−13	+111	+90	−60	+12	−28	−41	−131	−33	+26	+328	−64	+110	+368
other	−267	−270	−329	−308	−271	−145	−81	−252	+1,197	+493	+1,045	+1,162	−403	−283	−359	−251	+256	−205	+276	+251
Exports of goods and services [10, 11]	1,019	993	1,084	1,143	1,254	1,152	1,249	1,377	1,336	1,265	1,366	1,451	1,247	1,261	1,299	1,367	4,856	4,671	4,998	5,338
Gross Available Supply	**5,578**	**5,490**	**5,823**	**6,394**	**6,138**	**6,115**	**6,638**	**7,182**	**7,731**	**6,859**	**8,028**	**8,740**	**6,194**	**6,386**	**6,927**	**7,568**	**25,641**	**24,850**	**27,416**	**29,884**
Less: Imports of goods and services [11]	1,220	1,162	1,246	1,455	1,443	1,305	1,443	1,782	1,351	1,256	1,489	1,675	1,283	1,335	1,543	1,725	5,297	5,058	5,721	6,637
Residual error of estimate	+5	+61	−50	−14	+63	+5	+2	+44	−21	+11	+18	+8	−59	−13	−18	−90	−12	+64	−48	−52
G.N.E. At Market Prices	**4,363**	**4,389**	**4,527**	**4,925**	**4,758**	**4,815**	**5,197**	**5,444**	**6,359**	**5,614**	**6,557**	**7,073**	**4,852**	**5,038**	**5,366**	**5,753**	**20,332**	**19,856**	**21,647**	**23,195**
PERSONAL INCOME AND EXPENDITURE																				
Wages, salaries and supplementary labour income	2,795	2,856	2,969	3,261	2,904	2,948	3,150	3,510	3,004	3,075	3,315	3,727	3,012	3,115	3,376	3,786	11,715	11,994	12,810	14,284
Less: Social insurance and Government pension fund contributions [12]	95	95	100	111	97	98	103	115	98	100	107	119	100	103	113	119	390	396	423	464
Military pay and allowances	70	83	93	93	77	92	100	106	79	95	101	113	83	97	100	112	309	367	394	424
Net income of unincorporated business [13]	344	383	309	370	598	574	675	614	1,736	1,151	1,528	1,784	654	668	663	771	3,332	2,776	3,176	3,539
Interest, dividends and net rental income of persons [14]	385	404	463	480	426	462	489	534	413	444	484	517	425	473	521	566	1,649	1,783	1,957	2,097
Transfer payments to persons [15]	436	488	548	554	358	400	433	435	359	393	407	421	364	404	400	416	1,517	1,685	1,788	1,826
Personal Income	**3,935**	**4,119**	**4,282**	**4,647**	**4,266**	**4,378**	**4,744**	**5,084**	**5,493**	**5,058**	**5,728**	**6,443**	**4,438**	**4,654**	**4,947**	**5,532**	**18,132**	**18,209**	**19,701**	**21,706**
Less: Personal direct taxes [16]	358	339	360	400	415	392	377	459	323	341	371	426	336	365	383	435	1,432	1,437	1,491	1,720
Personal Disposable Income	**3,577**	**3,780**	**3,922**	**4,247**	**3,851**	**3,986**	**4,367**	**4,625**	**5,170**	**4,717**	**5,357**	**6,017**	**4,102**	**4,289**	**4,564**	**5,097**	**16,700**	**16,772**	**18,210**	**19,986**
Expenditure on goods: non-durables	1,872	1,917	2,111	2,310	2,105	2,187	2,367	2,506	2,109	2,232	2,348	2,550	2,495	2,661	2,847	3,147	8,581	8,997	9,673	10,513
durables	424	396	381	428	495	467	545	605	419	406	487	516	452	425	506	512	1,790	1,694	1,929	2,061
Expenditure on services (including net expenditures abroad)	1,165	1,262	1,370	1,464	1,192	1,313	1,402	1,506	1,138	1,252	1,334	1,452	1,246	1,363	1,441	1,560	4,741	5,190	5,547	5,982
Personal saving: in farm inventories	−269	−192	−227	−229	−153	−67	−9	−195	+871	+462	+765	+926	−399	−318	−318	−333	+50	−115	+211	+169
other	+385	+397	+287	+274	+212	+86	+62	+203	+633	+365	+423	+573	+308	+158	+88	+211	+1,538	+1,006	+860	+1,261

For footnotes see pages 95–96.

NOTE: For data back to 1st Quarter 1952 see pages 68–69 in the "Financial Supplement 1955". For annual data back to 1926 for some of these series see page 88 in the "Financial Supplement 1954".

NATIONAL ACCOUNTS: QUARTERLY[1]

SEASONALLY ADJUSTED AT ANNUAL RATES[17]

Dominion Bureau of Statistics

Millions of Dollars

	1953					1954†			1955†				1956*			
	I	II	III	IV	I	II	III	IV	I	II	III	IV	I	II	III	IV
NATIONAL INCOME AND GROSS NATIONAL PRODUCT																
Wages, salaries and supplementary labour income	11,520	11,744	11,804	11,792	11,836	11,876	12,048	12,216	12,360	12,672	12,976	13,232	13,636	14,108	14,560	14,832
Military pay and allowances	280	308	316	332	332	368	380	388	372	400	404	400	372	424	452	448
Investment income	3,844	3,880	3,700	3,704	3,596	3,696	3,620	3,732	3,864	4,304	4,512	4,676	4,748	4,784	4,736	4,860
Net income of unincorporated business: farm [2]	1,640	1,572	1,660	1,736	1,204	1,120	1,104	1,160	1,312	1,448	1,412	1,444	1,576	1,584	1,568	1,704
other [3]	1,696	1,700	1,668	1,636	1,624	1,616	1,604	1,656	1,752	1,776	1,812	1,832	1,916	1,920	2,012	1,956
NET NATIONAL INCOME AT FACTOR COST	**18,980**	**19,204**	**19,148**	**19,200**	**18,592**	**18,676**	**18,756**	**19,152**	**19,660**	**20,600**	**21,116**	**21,584**	**22,248**	**22,820**	**23,328**	**23,800**
Indirect taxes less subsidies	2,880	2,952	2,928	2,868	2,960	2,956	2,904	2,968	3,096	3,192	3,284	3,380	3,480	3,628	3,604	3,692
Depreciation and similar business costs [4]	2,296	2,380	2,440	2,556	2,580	2,688	2,688	2,736	2,772	2,844	2,920	2,976	3,048	3,112	3,176	3,268
Residual error of estimate	−12	−204	+184	+92	−120	−172	−64	+44	+204	−12	+76	−28	−100	−12	+148	+224
G.N.P. AT MARKET PRICES	**24,144**	**24,332**	**24,700**	**24,716**	**24,012**	**24,148**	**24,284**	**24,900**	**25,732**	**26,624**	**27,396**	**27,912**	**28,676**	**29,548**	**30,256**	**30,984**
G.N.P. less accrued net income of farm operators	22,504	22,760	23,040	22,980	22,808	23,028	23,180	23,740	24,420	25,176	25,984	26,468	27,100	27,964	28,688	29,280
GROSS NATIONAL EXPENDITURE																
Personal expenditure on consumer goods and services	14,992	15,040	15,120	15,296	15,444	15,772	16,064	16,244	16,488	17,020	17,332	17,716	17,936	18,284	18,808	19,196
Government expenditure on goods and services [5, 6]	4,288	4,436	4,504	4,324	4,272	4,460	4,440	4,480	4,632	4,680	4,772	4,828	4,700	5,192	5,548	5,396
Gross domestic investment [7]: housing [8]	1,000	1,056	1,080	1,108	1,112	1,092	1,196	1,264	1,376	1,444	1,532	1,572	1,584	1,612	1,548	1,480
non-residential construction	1,600	1,688	1,776	1,760	1,724	1,640	1,624	1,648	1,776	1,772	1,856	1,984	2,128	2,468	2,720	2,880
machinery and equipment	2,188	2,088	2,128	1,888	1,876	1,972	1,776	1,740	1,748	1,884	2,040	2,116	2,268	2,452	2,624	2,704
change in inventories: business [9]	+348	+500	+420	+312	+292	−396	−400	−76	+276	−16	+528	+488	+992	+856	+396	+724
other [9]	+232	−100	+112	+540	−268	−156	−128	+32	+104	+224	+212	+224	+292	−32	+144	+197
Exports of goods and services [10, 11]	5,292	5,512	5,636	5,160	4,948	5,108	5,176	5,356	5,560	5,680	5,868	5,904	6,156	6,392	6,348	6,344
GROSS AVAILABLE SUPPLY	**29,940**	**30,220**	**30,776**	**30,388**	**29,400**	**29,492**	**29,748**	**30,688**	**31,960**	**32,688**	**34,140**	**34,832**	**36,056**	**37,224**	**38,136**	**39,108**
Less: Imports of goods and services [11]	5,808	6,092	5,896	5,576	5,508	5,516	5,528	5,744	6,028	6,080	6,668	6,944	7,480	7,692	7,728	7,896
Residual error of estimate	+12	+204	−180	−96	+120	+172	+64	−44	−200	+16	−76	+24	+100	+16	−152	−228
G.N.E. AT MARKET PRICES	**24,144**	**24,332**	**24,700**	**24,716**	**24,012**	**24,148**	**24,284**	**24,900**	**25,732**	**26,624**	**27,396**	**27,912**	**28,676**	**29,548**	**30,256**	**30,984**
PERSONAL INCOME AND EXPENDITURE																
Wages, salaries and supplementary labour income	11,520	11,744	11,804	11,792	11,836	11,876	12,048	12,216	12,360	12,672	12,976	13,232	13,636	14,108	14,560	14,832
Less: Social insurance and Government pension contributions [12]	388	392	392	388	388	396	400	400	408	416	428	440	452	464	476	464
Military pay and allowances	280	308	316	332	332	368	380	388	372	400	404	400	372	424	452	448
Net income of unincorporated business [13]	3,184	3,396	3,196	3,552	2,852	2,780	2,608	2,864	2,976	3,292	3,172	3,260	3,476	3,528	3,500	3,652
Interest, dividends and net rental income of persons [14]	1,620	1,656	1,668	1,652	1,702	1,776	1,812	1,824	1,968	1,880	1,976	2,004	2,044	2,056	2,112	2,176
Transfer payments to persons [15]	1,432	1,488	1,552	1,596	1,604	1,668	1,700	1,768	1,808	1,812	1,772	1,760	1,824	1,816	1,836	1,828
PERSONAL INCOME	**17,648**	**18,200**	**18,144**	**18,536**	**17,956**	**18,072**	**18,148**	**18,660**	**19,076**	**19,640**	**19,872**	**20,216**	**20,900**	**21,468**	**21,984**	**22,472**
Less: Personal direct taxes [16]	1,384	1,484	1,452	1,408	1,392	1,452	1,416	1,488	1,472	1,400	1,540	1,552	1,616	1,708	1,776	1,780
PERSONAL DISPOSABLE INCOME	**16,264**	**16,716**	**16,692**	**17,128**	**16,564**	**16,620**	**16,732**	**17,172**	**17,604**	**18,240**	**18,332**	**18,664**	**19,284**	**19,760**	**20,208**	**20,692**
Expenditure on goods: non-durables	8,556	8,568	8,596	8,604	8,652	8,976	9,156	9,204	9,324	9,612	9,760	9,996	10,196	10,272	10,668	10,916
durables	1,836	1,788	1,760	1,776	1,784	1,664	1,660	1,668	1,720	1,916	2,008	2,032	1,948	2,100	2,112	2,084
Expenditure on services (including net expenditure abroad)	4,600	4,684	4,764	4,916	5,008	5,132	5,248	5,372	5,444	5,492	5,564	5,688	5,792	5,912	6,028	6,196
TOTAL PERSONAL SAVING	**+1,272**	**+1,676**	**+1,572**	**+1,832**	**+1,120**	**+848**	**+668**	**+928**	**+1,116**	**+1,220**	**+1,000**	**+948**	**+1,348**	**+1,476**	**+1,400**	**+1,496**

1. Quarterly figures are available back to the beginning of 1947. The sources are the D.B.S. publications: "National Accounts, Income and Expenditure, By Quarters, 1947–1952" and "National Accounts, Income and Expenditure, First Quarter, 1956" and "Fourth Quarter, 1956".
2. Accrued net income of farm operators from farm production. This item includes the undistributed earnings of the Canadian Wheat Board, and an inventory valuation adjustment for grain held by the Board.
3. Includes net income of independent professional practitioners.
4. Includes an estimate of capital outlay charged to current account, the claim portion of fire insurance premiums, and bad debt allowances.
5. Includes expenditure by Federal, Provincial and Municipal governments. Capital expenditure by government bodies other than public business enterprises, changes in inventories of government commodity agencies.
6. The Defence Production Revolving Fund is included in this item. However, shipments under NATO of previously produced military equipment are excluded but expenditure for the replacement of new equipment is included.
7. Includes capital expenditure by government business enterprises.
8. In 1955, data were based on a redesigned and enlarged sample and some discontinuity with previous years may exist.
9. Change in business inventories is the change in the book value. Change in "other inventories" is the value of the physical change in grain in commercial channels and inventories on farms.
10. Excludes exports financed by Government of Canada expenditure on Mutual Aid and foreign relief.
11. Minor adjustments have been made by D.B.S. to the figures of current receipts and payments as shown in the "Canadian Balance of International Payments" to achieve consistency with National Accounts concepts.
12. Includes both employer and employee contributions.
13. This item differs from the corresponding component of G.N.P. in that it excludes undistributed earnings (and inventory valuation adjustment) of the Canadian Wheat Board.
14. Includes all government debt interest paid to persons.
15. Includes transfer payments made by governments (except interest paid on transfer portion of the public debt), charitable donations from corporations and net bad debt losses of the corporations. In the G.N.P. account the latter are included in the item "Depreciation and Similar Business Costs" and amounted to an average of 7 (unadjusted) and 26 (adjusted at annual rates) per quarter over the last 16 quarters.
16. Includes succession duties and miscellaneous taxes as well as personal income taxes.
17. Note on Seasonal Adjustment:

Except in the case of crop production seasonal adjustments are based on normal seasonal patterns, and the effects of abnormal seasonal influences, as well as of all non-seasonal influences, are left in the seasonally-adjusted figures. In the case of crop production the annual value is divided equally between the four quarters of the calendar year.

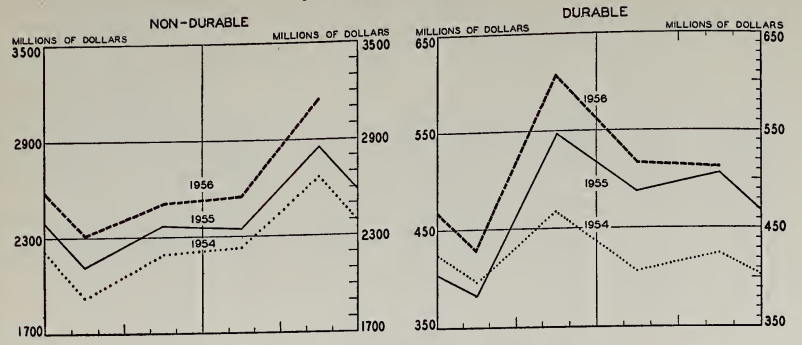
† Revised. * Preliminary.

NOTE: For data back to 1st Quarter 1952 see pages 70–71 in the "Financial Supplement 1955". For Quarterly data back to 1947 for some of these series see page 89 in the "Financial Supplement 1954".

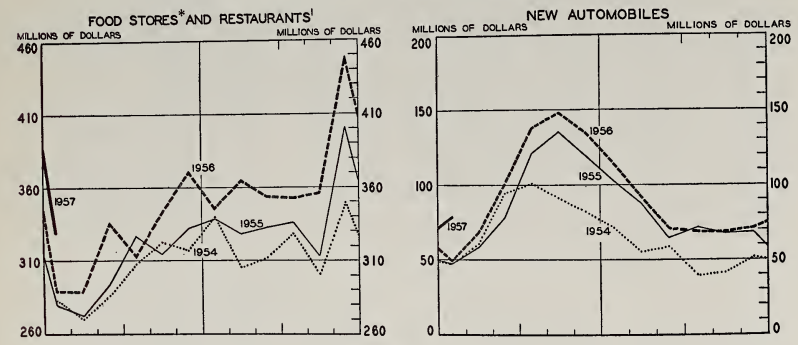
CONSUMER EXPENDITURE ON GOODS

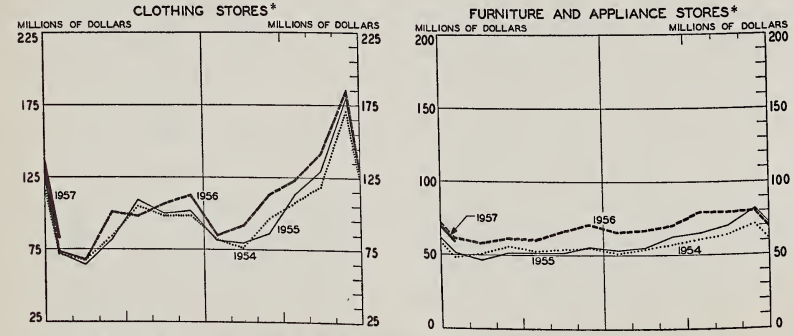
Dominion Bureau of Statistics

QUARTERLY ESTIMATES



TOTAL MONTHLY SALES OF SELECTED RETAIL OUTLETS★





★ While these sales are good indicators of trends they differ somewhat in amount from the actual consumer expenditure on the items selected.

* Includes department store sales in these categories.

1. Consists of grocery and combination stores, other food and beverage stores, and restaurants.

VOLUME OF INDUSTRIAL PRODUCTION

INDEXES NOT SEASONALLY ADJUSTED

1935–39 = 100 — *"Canadian Statistical Review", Dominion Bureau of Statistics*

	Total	Mining	Manufacturing			Electricity and Manufactured Gas
			Total	Non-Durables	Durables	
Weighting	100.0	16.8	75.6	46.1	29.5	7.6
Annual Average						
1951	226.5	161.8	242.1	214.0	285.9	214.2
1952	233.0	174.7	246.3	215.2	294.8	228.8
1953	248.4	185.8	263.0	224.1	323.9	241.9
1954	244.6	209.7	251.4	221.7	297.7	254.6
1955	265.8	242.0	270.1	235.2	324.8	275.7
1956*	284.4	272.5	285.9	245.6	349.0	295.2
Monthly						
1955—June	276.8	254.1	282.9	248.7	336.5	266.7
July	263.7	264.0	265.1	230.1	320.0	249.6
Aug.	271.7	261.8	275.5	245.8	322.0	255.2
Sept.	281.2	275.7	284.3	250.2	337.6	262.3
Oct.	284.0	285.3	284.9	247.5	343.2	272.3
Nov.	283.7	273.9	284.6	248.6	341.0	296.5
Dec.	264.3	245.5	265.5	229.5	321.9	293.2
1956—Jan.	257.7	239.8	259.5	223.5	315.8	278.8
Feb.	266.4	243.6	269.7	232.8	327.5	283.2
Mar.	277.5	250.5	282.5	240.9	347.5	286.9
Apr.	277.4	234.5	286.6	244.1	353.0	279.8
May	283.3	257.5	288.0	244.3	356.3	293.2
June	298.7	279.5	303.3	260.1	370.8	295.3
July	285.5	284.3	286.1	240.2	358.0	282.7
Aug.	288.7	294.3	287.4	252.5	342.1	289.1
Sept.	298.8	308.6	296.5	260.2	353.2	300.6
Oct.	300.8	308.4†	297.2	256.4	360.9	319.5
Nov.	298.2	298.4	296.2	254.4	361.7	317.1
Dec.	279.6*	270.4*	278.0*	237.8*	340.9*	316.3
1957—Jan.	272.0*	257.8*	270.3*	227.7*	336.8*	320.8

† Revised. * Preliminary.

NOTE: For the years 1952–1955 see page 82 in the "Financial Supplement 1955".

MANUFACTURING: SHIPMENTS, ORDERS AND INVENTORIES

ESTIMATES FOR ALL ITEMS IN ALL INDUSTRIES

Millions of Dollars — *"Inventories, Shipments and Orders in Manufacturing Industries", DBS*

	Shipments During Month	Orders		Inventories at End of Month				
		New Orders Received During Month	Unfilled Orders at end of Month	Owned	All Inventories Held			
					Total	Raw Materials	Goods in Process	Finished Products
	1	2	3	4	5			
1955—June	1,733	1,711	2,658	3,514	3,984	1,666	1,110	1,208
July	1,576	1,608	2,690	3,497	3,953	1,693	1,086	1,174
Aug.	1,669	1,723	2,744	3,482	3,947	1,671	1,105	1,170
Sept.	1,747	1,733	2,730	3,499	3,971	1,675	1,109	1,187
Oct.	1,702	1,674	2,702	3,527	4,013	1,712	1,135	1,166
Nov.	1,695	1,737	2,744	3,552	4,028	1,737	1,110	1,181
Dec.	1,644	1,684	2,784	3,636	4,070	1,766	1,105	1,199
1956—Jan.	1,539	1,752	2,997	3,699	4,132	1,788	1,106	1,237
Feb.	1,621	1,672	3,048	3,776	4,220	1,816	1,142	1,262
Mar.	1,761	1,759	3,046	3,829	4,257	1,823	1,150	1,284
Apr.	1,752	1,779	3,074	3,842	4,278	1,817	1,159	1,302
May	1,888	1,852	3,037	3,881	4,340	1,838	1,185	1,317
June	1,867	1,760	2,930	3,932	4,395	1,854	1,193	1,348
July	1,764	1,734	2,900	3,934	4,388	1,882	1,166	1,340
Aug.	1,810	1,829	2,920	3,931	4,392	1,897	1,172	1,323
Sept.	1,798	1,817	2,938	3,962	4,434	1,903	1,191	1,340
Oct.	1,917	1,869	2,892	3,985	4,461	1,928	1,207	1,326
Nov.*	1,855	1,852	2,889	4,052	4,540	1,959	1,225	1,356
Dec.*	1,753	1,997	3,132	4,100	4,597	1,999	1,230	1,369
1957—Jan.*	1,753	1,839	3,219	4,117	4,617	1,995	1,239	1,382

1. Represent an estimated projection, on a monthly basis, of the latest available Census of Industry values. The value level used being the factory selling value. 3. Estimated selling value of orders received but not yet shipped, irrespective of work done on them. 4. Estimated book value of inventory owned by manufacturers in connection with manufacturing operations. Includes progress payments inventory. 5. Estimated total value of manufacturers' inventory holdings in connection with manufacturing operations, regardless of ownership. * Preliminary.

2. Indicates the rate at which new business is being received. These are new orders received during the period at estimated selling value.

SELECTED SEASONALLY ADJUSTED STATISTICS★

Dominion Bureau of Statistics

	Gross National Production †		Personal Income and Expenditure†				Change in Business Inventories †	Corporation Profits before Taxes 1 †	Expenditure on Construction 2 †	External Trade Value Indexes		Labour Force Survey			Industrial Production Index	Manufacturing						
			Labour Income	Disposable Income	Expenditure on Goods							Without Jobs	Non-Agric. Employment	Employment in Construction		Total		Durable Goods		Non-Durable Goods		
					Durable	Non-Dur.				Exports of Goods	Imports of Goods					Production Index	Employment Index	Employment Index	Hrs. Worked per Week	Employment Index	Hrs. Worked per Week	
	Total	Ex. Farm	Millions of Dollars							1949 = 100		Thousands of Persons			1935–39 = 100	1949 = 100			Average	1949 = 100	Average	
1955—Feb.	25,732	24,420	12,348	17,604	1,720	9,324	276	2,452	3,152	144	159	250	4,383	364	255	259	107	112	41.0	101	40.8	Feb.—1955
Mar.			12,432							141	158	263			255	258	108	115	41.0	101	40.6	Mar.
Apr.			12,528							152	167	238			259	264	108	115	41.0	101	40.5	Apr.
May	26,624	25,176	12,672	18,240	1,916	9,612	−16	2,752	3,216	134	165	236	4,460	359	263	268	109	116	41.2	102	40.6	May
June			12,816							138	159	224			266	271	110	117	41.4	103	40.7	June
July			12,864							142	160	220			269	275	111	119	40.9	103	40.9	July
Aug.	27,396	25,984	13,008	18,332	2,008	9,760	528	3,052	3,388	147	181	208	4,621	374	270	276	111	118	41.4	103	40.9	Aug.
Sept.			13,056							157	180	230			272	278	112	119	41.3	105	41.0	Sept.
Oct.			13,140							159	201	209			274	278	111	119	41.4	104	40.8	Oct.
Nov.	27,912	26,468	13,236	18,664	2,032	9,996	488	3,232	3,556	143	183	195	4,631	382	278	279	112	120	41.5	105	40.9	Nov.
Dec.			13,320							143	182	198			275	277	113	120	41.2	106	40.8	Dec.
1956—Jan			13,476							159	199	200			276	278	113	121	41.2	104	41.1	Jan.—1956
Feb.	28,676	27,100	13,644	19,284	1,948	10,196	992	3,112	3,712	162	199	202	4,645	391	274	275	113	121	41.2	106	41.1	Feb.
Mar.			13,788							151	216	193			278	280	115	124	41.1	105	40.9	Mar.
Apr.			13,992							166	225	188			279	281	115	125	41.0	106	40.3	Apr.
May	29,548	27,964	14,100	19,760	2,100	10,272	856	3,216	4,080	149	199	183	4,691	419	278	282	116	126	41.4	106	40.7	May
June			14,232							161	202	167			287†	290	116	127	41.1	106	40.9	June
July			14,484							164	198	150			293†	299	118	128	41.3	107	41.0	July
Aug.	30,256	28,688	14,496	20,208	2,112	10,668	396	3,224	4,268	162	200	164	4,814	416	287†	288	117	127	41.5	108	40.8	Aug.
Sept.			14,700							182	210	162			289	290	116	125	41.3	107	40.7	Sept.
Oct.			14,760							173	220	144			290	289	117	126	41.3	107	40.9	Oct.
Nov.	30,984	29,280	14,832	20,692	2,084	10,916	724		4,360	155	219	163	4,874	416	292	291	118	129	41.5	107	40.7	Nov.
Dec.			14,904							166	200	175			292	291†	119	129	41.2†	109	40.7†	Dec.
1957—Jan.			14,964							168	217*	212			291	289	118	130	40.3	106	39.8	Jan.—1957
Feb.										166		212	4,840	**								Feb.

★ Note: All dollar series are expressed at annual rates. 1. As per survey of corporate earnings: profits before payment of dividends abroad and including earnings of Canadian corporations abroad. 2. As per National Accounts: expenditure on private residential and non-residential construction. ** Not available. † Revised.
* Preliminary.

NOTE: For data back to 1952 for most of this series, see page 87 in the "Financial Supplement 1955".

GRAINS: PRODUCTION, ACREAGE AND YIELD[1]

Dominion Bureau of Statistics

	1951†	1952†	1953†	1954†	1955†	1956†	1957*
Production (*millions of bushels*)							
Wheat	554	702	614	309	494	538	**
Oats	488	467	407	307	408	533	**
Barley	245	291	262	176	252	278	**
Rye	18	25	29	14	15	9	**
Flaxseed	10	12	10	11	20	35	**
Other Grains[2]	87	86	86	86	100	95	**
Total	**1,402**	**1,583**	**1,408**	**903**	**1,289**	**1,488**	**
Acreage (*millions of acres*)							
Wheat	25.3	26.2	25.5	24.3	21.5	21.3	19.9
Oats	11.9	11.1	9.8	10.2	11.2	12.0	12.1
Barley	7.8	8.5	8.9	7.9	9.9	8.7	9.7
Rye	1.1	1.3	1.5	0.9	0.8	0.6	0.6
Flaxseed	1.2	1.1	1.0	1.2	1.8	3.1	3.6
Other Grains[2]	2.0	2.0	2.0	2.2	2.3	2.2	1.7[4]
Summer Fallow[3]	21.6	21.2	22.8	25.3	24.0	23.3	23.5
Total	**70.9**	**71.4**	**71.5**	**72.0**	**71.5**	**71.2**	**71.1**
Yield Per Acre (*bushels*)							
Wheat	21.9	26.8	24.1	12.7	23.0	25.2	**
Oats	41.0	42.2	41.4	30.2	36.5	44.7	**
Barley	31.3	34.4	29.4	22.3	25.4	31.8	**
Rye	15.7	19.5	19.3	16.7	18.9	15.4	**
Flaxseed	8.5	10.9	10.2	9.3	10.7	11.1	**
Other Grains[2]	44.5	42.1	44.2	39.5	42.3	43.2	**

1. Excludes Newfoundland. 2. Buckwheat, mixed grains and shelled corn. 3. Prairie provinces only. 4. Mixed grains only.
† Revised. * As indicated on basis of intentions at March 1. ** Not available.

U.S.A. ECONOMIC STATISTICS

	U.S. Department of Commerce								U.S. Dept. of Labor			Federal Reserve
	Gross National Product	Change in Business Inventories	Govt. Expenditure on National Security 1	Personal Savings as a Percentage of Disposable Income	Total Personal Income	Construction 3	Unemployment	Retail Sales 4	Consumer Price Index	Wholesale Prices: All Commodities	Average Hourly Earnings in Manufacturing 5	Total Industrial Production 4
	Billions of Dollars[2]				Billions of $[2]	Billions of $	Millions	Billions of $	1947–49 = 100		Dollars	1947–49 = 100
Annual Averages[6]												
1951	328.2	10.4	37.3	7.8	255.3	31.2	1.9	158.2	111.0	114.8	1.59	120
1952	345.4	3.0	48.8	8.0	271.8	33.0	1.7	164.1	113.5	111.6	1.67	124
1953	363.2	0.3	51.5	7.9	286.0	35.3	1.6	170.7	114.4	110.1	1.77	134
1954	360.7	−2.3	43.0	7.0	287.3	37.6	3.2	170.7	114.8	110.3	1.81	125
1955	390.9	4.2	41.2	6.1	306.1	43.0	2.7	185.5	114.5	110.7	1.88	139
1956	412.4	3.5	41.6	7.3	325.2	44.3	2.6	191.5	116.2	114.3	1.98	143
Monthly												
1955—Oct.	401.9	6.1	40.6	6.8	311.6	4.0	2.1	15.8	114.9	111.6	1.91	143
Nov.					314.5	3.7	2.4	15.8	115.0	111.2	1.93	143
Dec.					317.5	3.3	2.4	15.8	114.7	111.3	1.93	144
1956—Jan.	403.4	4.1	40.5	6.6	316.7	2.9	2.9	15.7	114.6	111.9	1.93	143
Feb.					317.1	2.8	2.9	15.3	114.6	112.4	1.93	143
Mar.					318.6	3.1	2.8	15.7	114.7	112.8	1.95	141
Apr.	408.3	3.5	40.7	7.4	321.7	3.4	2.6	15.5	114.9	113.6	1.96	143
May					322.8	3.8	2.6	15.9	115.4	114.4	1.97	141
June					324.9	4.1	2.9	16.0	116.2	114.2	1.97	141
July	413.8	2.0	41.9	7.4	324.3	4.2	2.8	16.0	117.0	114.0	1.97	136
Aug.					328.1	4.3	2.2	16.3	116.8	114.7	1.98	143†
Sept.					329.5	4.3	2.0	16.0	117.1	115.5	2.00	144†
Oct.	423.8	4.1	43.2	7.5	332.5	4.1	1.9	16.1	117.7	115.6	2.02	146
Nov.					333.5	3.8	2.5	16.4	117.8	115.9	2.03	146
Dec.					334.0	3.4	2.5	16.5	118.0	116.3	2.05	147
1957—Jan.					335.0†	3.1†	3.2[7]	16.4	118.2	116.9	2.05	146
Feb.					336.7	2.9	3.1	16.5	118.7	117.0	2.05	146

1. Includes stockpiling, atomic energy, and Mutual Defence Assistance in addition to strictly military programmes.
2. Seasonally adjusted annual rates.
3. Value of new work put in place.
4. Seasonally adjusted.
5. Production workers.
6. Quarterly averages for first four columns. Calendar year totals in the case of "Construction" and "Retail Sales".
7. New series starting Jan. 1957; not strictly comparable with earlier figures. Includes persons temporarily laid-off who were classed as employed prior to 1957. † Revised.

CANADIAN BALANCE OF INTERNATIONAL PAYMENTS: QUARTERLY

"Quarterly Estimates of the Canadian Balance of International Payments", Dominion Bureau of Statistics

Millions of Dollars

	1954	1955*				1956**			
	IV	I	II	III	IV	I	II	III	IV
					★				★
Current Receipts 1									
Merchandise exports (adjusted) 2	1,062	967	1,098	1,127	1,140	1,051	1,262	1,247	1,274
Gold production available for export	38	39	39	37	40	37	40	38	35
Travel expenditures	50	26	66	182	54	26	65	191	53
Interest and dividends	67	25	34	28	73	35	40	23	43
Freight and shipping	82	82	95	101	107	98	113	114	114
Inheritances and immigrants' funds	19	16	25	24	21	18	26	27	27
All other current receipts	80	78	105	106	104	95	107	106	103
Total Current Receipts	**1,398**	**1,233**	**1,462**	**1,605**	**1,539**	**1,360**	**1,653**	**1,746**	**1,649**
Current Payments 1									
Merchandise imports (adjusted) 2	984	971	1,148	1,163	1,258	1,241	1,541	1,347	1,439
Travel expenditures	88	78	119	156	96	90	132	173	102
Interest and dividends	156	121	108	93	155	114	118	126	172
Freight and shipping	94	77	106	110	115	99	132	128	130
Inheritances and emigrants' funds	25	22	24	28	27	23	28	29	27
Official contributions	3	5	4	8	7	9	10	4	6
All other current payments	128	133	127	136	136	142	139	157	148
Total Current Payments	**1,478**	**1,407**	**1,636**	**1,694**	**1,794**	**1,718**	**2,100**	**1,964**	**2,024**
Balance on merchandise trade	+78	−4	−50	−36	−118	−190	−279	−100	−165
Balance on other transactions (excluding "Official contributions")	−155	−165	−120	−45	−130	−159	−158	−114	−204
Official contributions	−3	−5	−4	−8	−7	−9	−10	−4	−6
Current Account Balance	**−80**	**−174**	**−174**	**−89**	**−255**	**−358**	**−447**	**−218**	**−375**
Capital Account 3									
Direct Investment									
Direct investment in Canada 4	+124	+87	+111	+101	+111	+105	+150	+120	+150
Direct investment abroad 4	−22	−8	−9	−12	−38	−50	−5	−25	−20
Canadian Securities									
Trade in outstanding issues	+18	−31	+7	−21	+28	+75	+48	+69	+16
New issues	+25	+109	+29	+16	+12	+106	+173	+202	+200
Retirements	−54	−85	−62	−18	−19	−69	−26	−24	−21
Foreign Securities									
Trade in outstanding issues	−5	+12	−8	+4	+8	−16	+10	+10	+24
New issues	−2	−5	−17	−4	−22	−1	−5	−3	−5
Retirements	+2	+3	-	+14	-	-	-	-	-
Loans by Government of Canada									
Repayment of post-war loans	+26	-	+10	+2	+27	-	+13	-	+26
Repayment of war loans	+8	+7	+8	+7	+8	+7	+8	+7	+8
Change in Canadian dollar holdings of foreigners	+28	+30	+39	+6	+14	−22	−5	−2	+5
Change in official holdings of gold and foreign exchange (minus sign denotes increase)	−45	+71	−56	−7	+36	+29	−30	−5	−27
Other capital movements 5	−23	−16	+122	+1	+90	+194	+116	−131	+19
Net Capital Movement	**+80**	**+174**	**+174**	**+89**	**+255**	**+358**	**+447**	**+218**	**+375**

★ The current account balances in 4th Qtr. of 1955 and 1956 with the United States were: −320 and −465; with the United Kingdom: +91 and +86; with all other countries: −26 and +4.

1. Mutual Aid to NATO countries is not included in either current receipts or current payments.
2. As used in the balance of payments, merchandise trade is adjusted to exclude such non-commercial items as settlers' effects, and tourist purchases which are covered elsewhere in the accounts.
3. A minus sign indicates an outflow of capital from Canada.
4. Exclusive of undistributed profits.
5. This item includes mainly short-term capital movements in the form of changes in international open account commercial indebtedness, private and chartered bank holdings of exchange (including interest arbitrage investments), and loans between private unrelated parties. It also includes the balancing item representing unrecorded capital movements and errors and omissions. Includes changes in holdings of International Monetary Fund and International Bank for Reconstruction and Development.

* Subject to revision.

** Preliminary.

NOTE: For data back to 1952 see page 72–73 in the "Financial Supplement 1955".

EXTERNAL TRADE AND TRADE INDEXES

Millions of Dollars — *Compiled from "Trade of Canada", Dominion Bureau of Statistics*

TOTAL EXPORTS (EXCLUDING GOLD) TO 1

	U.S.A.	U.K.	Other Sterling Area 2	Western Europe & Colonies 3	Central and South America	All Other	Total All Countries	New Gold Production Available for Export ‡	Export Indexes 4 1948=100: Total Value	Price	Physical Volume
Calendar Yrs.											
1951	2,334	636	267	364	217	145	**3,963**	150	127.3	123.0	103.5
1952	2,349	751	291	468	281	216	**4,356**	150	139.9	121.8	114.9
1953	2,463	669	252	367	207	215	**4,173**	144	133.9	118.3	113.2
1954	2,367	658	208	349	196	169	**3,947**	155	126.2	115.1	109.6
1955	2,612	774	254	379	172	160	**4,351**	155	139.2	117.7†	118.3†
1956	2,880	818	257	473	188	248	**4,864**	150	155.7	121.3†	128.4†
12 Mths. ending Jan. 1957	2,882	809	261	498	197	256	**4,903**	151			
Monthly											
1955–Aug.	243.3	63.3	25.6	27.7	14.2	13.4	**387.5**	13.1	148.9	118.1†	126.1†
Sept.	230.2	72.2	30.3	32.5	15.2	8.9	**389.3**	12.2	149.8	118.5†	126.4†
Oct.	237.5	61.6	21.1	33.1	14.0	13.9	**381.2**	11.7	145.9	119.2†	122.4†
Nov.	240.1	64.2	18.1	43.3	13.2	13.3	**392.2**	15.0	150.7	119.1†	126.5†
Dec.	230.1	62.3	19.3	35.6	15.5	18.1	**380.9**	13.4	146.6	119.4	122.8
1956–Jan.	217.3	72.9	19.9	26.5	14.1	14.7	**365.4**	12.4	140.4	119.3†	117.7†
Feb.	216.0	58.8	19.5	31.4	12.4	14.8	**352.9**	12.7	135.7	119.9†	113.2†
Mar.	208.4	49.2	21.0	28.6	12.0	14.0	**333.2**	12.0	127.8	120.8†	105.8†
Apr.	236.6	65.6	19.9	30.7	15.0	20.4	**388.2**	12.5	149.3	121.4†	123.0†
May	261.8	59.3	25.4	42.4	16.3	30.1	**435.3**	14.4	167.1†	122.0†	137.0†
June	233.6	65.7	28.5	50.6	17.1	33.9	**429.3**	12.9	165.3	122.1†	135.4†
July	237.5	75.9	22.1	46.6	16.4	31.8	**430.3**	11.1	165.6	121.7†	136.1†
Aug.	267.5	69.1	19.2	37.2	13.6	20.2	**426.7**	14.5	164.1†	121.9†	134.6†
Sept.	235.8	75.7	19.9	42.1	15.3	20.6	**409.4**	12.2	157.5	122.0†	129.1†
Oct.	286.1	67.3	17.9	47.0	21.2	17.1	**456.6**	12.3	175.2†	122.4†	143.1†
Nov.	243.7	83.9	22.7	44.9	16.4	14.6	**426.2**	12.3	163.4	122.5†	133.4†
Dec.	235.9	75.0	20.8	45.1	18.4	15.4	**410.6**	10.4	157.5	122.2†	128.9†
1957–Jan.	219.0	63.8	23.8	51.3	22.6	23.6	**404.1**	13.9	154.9*	122.2*	126.8*
Feb. *	214.2	52.2					**346.9**				

TOTAL IMPORTS (EXCLUDING GOLD) FROM

	U.S.A.	U.K.	Other Sterling Area 2	Western Europe & Colonies 3	Central and South America	All Other	Total All Countries	Excess of Merchandise Exports over Merchandise Imports	Import Indexes 4 1948=100: Total Value	Price	Physical Volume
Calendar Yrs.											
1951	2,813	421	309	181	275	86	**4,085**	−122	154.8	126.2	122.7
1952	2,977	360	186	157	285	65	**4,030**	326	152.3	110.4	138.0
1953	3,221	453	172	179	291	67	**4,383**	−210	165.2	109.4	151.0
1954	2,961	392	183	199	286	72	**4,093**	−146	154.4	109.5	141.0
1955	3,452	401	211	234	320	94	**4,712**	−360	177.1	110.5	160.3
1956	4,167	485	222	328	363	145	**5,710**	−846	214.9*	113.1*	190.0*
Monthly											
1955–July	274.4	33.5	16.3	17.8	23.6	7.0	**372.6**	−15.7	167.6	109.1	153.6
Aug.	301.7	45.4	18.4	21.6	32.7	10.0	**429.8**	−42.3	191.2	109.6	174.5
Sept.	302.4	31.7	23.1	22.0	27.3	7.7	**414.2**	−24.9	187.6	111.3	168.6
Oct.	331.1	38.6	21.4	23.5	31.3	10.8	**456.7**	−75.5	207.1	112.1	184.7
Nov.	303.5	40.3	24.7	32.8	31.7	10.7	**443.7**	−51.5	194.2†	112.8	172.2†
Dec.	289.9	28.1	11.6	21.3	26.0	8.9	**385.8**	−4.9	175.1	113.6	154.1
1956–Jan.	294.5	33.1	13.0	18.2	33.2	11.7	**403.7**	−38.3	183.2	113.3	161.7
Feb.	305.3	30.9	13.1	16.5	30.4	8.8	**405.0**	−52.1	183.5	113.7	161.4
Mar.	361.7	33.8	13.2	17.4	27.9	9.5	**463.5**	−130.4	210.0	114.3	183.7
Apr.	400.3	50.0	14.0	27.6	30.8	9.7	**532.4**	−144.2	240.0	113.8	210.9
May	397.7	49.5	26.5	32.9	32.4	11.0	**550.0**	−114.7	248.0	113.1	219.3
June	357.8	41.4	18.4	29.4	28.2	15.4	**490.6**	−61.3	221.6	113.5	195.2
July	341.7	45.9	22.5	28.8	29.8	13.9	**482.6**	−52.3	218.1	112.4	194.0
Aug.	329.7	42.8	21.6	30.9	35.1	13.6	**473.7**	−47.0	212.9	112.4	189.4
Sept.	309.9	35.8	21.2	29.0	28.4	13.4	**437.7**	−28.3	196.2	111.9	175.3
Oct.	394.6	43.7	21.6	38.5	28.0	16.5	**542.8**	−86.2	245.3	112.8	217.5
Nov.	372.3	48.5	26.4	35.8	30.7	11.4	**525.1**	−98.9	237.8	113.1	210.3
Dec.	301.3	29.3	11.3	22.7	28.1	10.8	**403.3**	+7.3	181.7*	113.2*	160.5*
1957–Jan. *	348.4	35.6					**459.9**	−55.8			
Feb. *	332.7	34.6					**433.6**	−86.7			

1. Includes exports of foreign produce. Excludes defence equipment transferred by Canada to North Atlantic Treaty countries which in 1951, 1952, 1953, 1954, 1955 and 1956 amounted to 109.1, 100.9, 182.0, 202.4, 165.9 and 96.8 respectively.
2. Consists of U.K. Dependencies, Union of South Africa, Ireland, India, Pakistan, Burma, Australia, New Zealand, Iceland, Jordan, Libya, Ceylon and Iraq.
3. Excludes Spain, but includes Greece and Turkey.
4. Excludes exports of foreign produce. Price indexes are based largely on unit values derived from the Customs' entries.

‡ See footnote ‡ to "Canadian Gold Statistics" table on page 53.

† Revised. * Preliminary.

NOTE: For the years 1952–1955 see pages 76–77 in the "Financial Supplement 1955".

MERCHANDISE EXPORTS : COMMODITY CLASSIFICATION BY VOLUME[1]

Compiled from "Trade of Canada—Exports", Dominion Bureau of Statistics

	Wheat	Wheat Flour [2]	Oats, Barley, Rye	Live Cattle	Beef	Bacon and Hams	Cheese	Milk (powdered condensed evaporated)	Fish (fresh and frozen)	Fish (canned and salted etc.)	Planks and Boards	Pulpwood
	mm. bus.	*mm. cwt.*	*mm. bus.*	*Thous.*	*Thous. cwt.*	*mm. lbs.*	*mm. lbs.*	*mm. lbs.*	*mm. lbs.*	*mm. lbs.*	*mm. bd. ft.*	*Thous. cord*
Calendar Yr												
1951	237	24	110	239	934	6	31	41	253	286	3,436	2,676
1952	336	26	193	15	668	4	2	69	279	263	3,329	2,329
1953	290	22	207	70	255	7	16	57	270	252	3,370	1,623
1954	208	20	126	89	186	8	5	33	294	281	4,034	1,645
1955	190	17	86	68	87	10	14	29	258	257	4,603	1,695
1956	302	17	102	57	128	8	12	32	283	226	3,936	1,777
12-mths ending Jan. 1957	305	17	107	56	131	8	12	32	284	221	3,881	1,763
Monthly												
1955–Aug.	18.2	1.2	4.9	4.9	10.3	0.9	0.8	2.7	25.2	18.9	469.6	208.6
Sept.	14.7	1.5	3.6	3.6	10.1	0.6	1.0	3.3	33.6	20.9	398.9	223.3
Oct.	14.6	1.5	7.7	4.2	9.8	0.8	1.5	2.1	30.3	28.0	431.1	215.6
Nov.	16.3	1.3	9.4	3.8	9.4	0.9	3.3	1.8	21.0	25.4	319.8	123.8
Dec.	14.6	1.3	7.8	3.9	10.9	0.9	2.1	1.9	18.3	25.1	315.9	115.2
1956–Jan.	16.3	1.2	3.3	3.2	6.8	0.7	1.4	1.2	17.4	19.9	309.4	149.8
Feb.	20.3	1.5	3.3	3.9	7.6	0.8	0.5	2.2	20.8	19.4	302.1	179.8
Mar.	17.6	1.4	1.7	4.3	7.7	0.6	0.4	1.7	21.3	17.8	320.7	122.1
Apr.	26.1	1.4	7.8	4.8	8.8	0.7	0.2	2.1	15.0	15.3	337.9	53.9
May	33.9	1.6	6.3	9.8	10.6	0.8	0.8	2.9	15.6	16.7	299.2	64.0
June	39.2	1.3	11.5	6.3	7.3	0.6	0.8	2.8	19.3	18.2	362.5	89.4
July	34.9	1.6	11.6	5.1	8.8	0.7	0.4	4.0	23.8	18.2	371.5	153.7
Aug.	23.7	1.5	12.6	5.0	10.1	0.7	2.1	3.1	35.3	12.6	367.0	229.9
Sept.	23.7	1.2	6.3	4.4	14.0	0.5	1.0	3.9	30.6	19.5	335.6	224.5
Oct.	24.1	1.5	13.8	4.1	15.7	0.5	0.9	2.7	46.7	24.0	369.2	230.8
Nov.	22.6	1.4	8.6	3.3	18.4	0.7	2.5	2.7	22.4	23.1	316.9	146.7
Dec.	20.0	1.3	15.5	2.2	12.7	0.6	1.3	2.7	14.3	21.2	244.1	132.7
1957–Jan.	19.3	1.5	7.8	2.5	9.1	0.4	0.7	1.4	19.1	15.5	253.9	135.9

	Wood Pulp	News-print	Autos and Trucks	Aluminum (unmanufactured)	Copper (unmanufactured)	Lead (unmanufactured)	Zinc (unmanufactured)	Nickel (unmanufactured)	Silver (unmanufactured)	Asbestos (unmanufactured)	Fertilizer	New Gold Production Available for Export ‡
	Thous. tons	*Thous. tons*	*Thous.*	*Thous. tons*	*Thous. tons*	*Thous. tons*	*Thous. tons*	*Thous. tons*	*Thous. fine oz.*	*Thous. tons*	*Thous. tons*	*Thous. fine oz.*
Calendar Yr												
1951	2,243	5,112	60	375	152	127	305	131	17,795	942	623	4,080
1952	1,941	5,327	80	441	168	159	352	142	18,475	902	746	4,310
1953	1,950	5,375	45	491	200	165	355	145	20,319	879	712	4,167
1954	2,180	5,522	11	500	223	177	391	159	23,139	888	709	4,556
1955	2,366	5,763	18	538	230	151	410	174	22,472	1,002	*	4,506
1956	2,374	5,967	19	526	240	130	389	177	21,266	964	*	4,379
12-mths ending Jan. 1957	2,397	5,965	20	525	245	135	390	176	20,788	962	*	4,438
Monthly												
1955–Aug.	217.7	510.2	0.4	40.8	19.8	11.2	36.6	14.9	1,898.1	92.9	*	382.5
Sept.	205.7	464.7	7.5	48.3	22.6	15.1	27.7	14.6	2,044.0	87.0	*	354.7
Oct.	204.1	502.9	1.1	41.3	19.6	13.5	39.3	13.6	2,228.0	81.6	*	336.2
Nov.	214.8	506.3	0.1	39.8	21.4	11.1	39.6	13.1	1,376.3	90.9	*	430.0
Dec.	189.9	492.8	0.3	41.0	20.4	10.8	31.3	14.7	2,237.2	106.9	*	384.2
1956–Jan.	179.8	499.3	0.2	46.0	21.4	7.4	32.8	15.1	1,802.8	65.7	*	357.5
Feb.	200.9	441.2	1.3	36.0	15.6	5.8	26.3	13.9	1,534.0	60.8	*	364.6
Mar.	180.0	465.8	2.1	22.0	17.9	6.3	21.1	16.2	1,307.9	67.5	*	356.3
Apr.	201.3	503.0	1.5	41.7	19.5	10.5	29.7	14.5	1,747.9	73.2	*	359.9
May	214.1	545.2	3.9	39.7	18.3	9.8	25.8	14.7	1,442.7	106.2	*	417.9
June	202.7	456.9	1.5	43.1	15.9	9.5	29.1	16.4	1,562.9	83.4	*	377.0
July	198.2	524.5	1.4	47.7	21.4	20.4	48.6	11.1	1,675.8	81.3	*	324.5
Aug.	215.2	546.0	0.9	42.3	19.6	9.3	30.1	18.5	2,525.0	88.6	*	423.6
Sept.	195.4	443.1	1.1	37.9	22.5	15.8	34.7	13.8	1,719.4	80.6	*	359.2
Oct.	229.9	542.1	2.8	47.4	19.2	15.7	36.2	12.8	1,999.9	82.7	*	362.2
Nov.	176.4	521.5	0.9	66.5	24.3	12.1	40.2	14.1	1,684.9	82.0	*	365.9
Dec.	180.1	478.6	1.3	55.1	24.9	7.3	34.0	15.6	2,263.0	92.0	*	310.8
1957–Jan.	203.1	496.9	1.6	45.5	26.0	12.2	34.4	14.3	1,324.2	64.1	*	416.1

1. Where quantity is shown in tons, a short ton of 2000 lbs. has been used. 2. Data prior to 1956 has been converted at the rate of 1.96 cwt. per barrel.
* Series discontinued. ‡ See footnote ‡ to "Canadian Gold Statistics" table on page 53.

MERCHANDISE IMPORTS : COMMODITY CLASSIFICATION BY VOLUME[1]

Compiled from "Trade of Canada—Imports", Dominion Bureau of Statistics

	Bananas	Oranges	Fresh Vegetables	Sugar	Coffee	Tea	Cocoa	Distilled Beverages	Cotton (raw and unmanufactured)	Cotton (thread, yarns and fabrics)	Wool (raw and unmanufactured)	Wool (yarns, fabrics and worsteds)
	Thous. cwt.	*Thous. cu. ft.*	*mm. lbs.*	*Thous. cwt.*	*mm. lbs.*	*mm. lbs.*	*mm. lbs.*	*Thous. gals.*	*mm. lbs.*	*mm. lbs.*	*mm. lbs.*	*mm. lbs.*
Calendar Yr												
1949	2,997	8,336	366	12,446	98	43	46	2,632	221	52	45	15
1950	2,843	8,467	562	12,782	83	55	46	2,257	246	42	51	13
1951	2,666	9,902	517	10,926	88	42	28	3,099	215	50	45	12
1952	2,819	11,024	777	11,864	98	46	34	3,995	181	51	32	12
1953	3,001	12,146	714	11,389	107	46	39	3,868	175	57	40	16
1954	2,954	11,598	858	13,095	95	45	36	3,369	167	48	26	12
1955	2,953	11,453	952	13,516	104	43	33	3,585	197	55	34	13
1956	3,074	11,201	959	14,319	110	46	34	3,630	215	63	37	17
Monthly												
1955–May	309.8	1,048.3	143.4	1,561.8	9.0	4.4	2.3	210.6	18.3	4.7	3.2	1.1
June	312.9	998.8	135.0	1,538.3	7.0	3.3	5.5	288.8	16.5	4.0	2.9	0.8
July	297.4	880.8	59.0	1,094.2	7.5	2.2	0.9	261.0	10.5	3.7	2.9	1.4
Aug.	310.3	815.2	36.2	1,284.3	8.8	3.2	2.8	315.6	14.3	4.8	3.0	1.4
Sept.	258.1	709.2	31.5	1,890.1	8.7	4.4	1.6	391.2	15.5	4.4	2.1	0.9
Oct.	226.7	723.3	42.6	1,825.5	10.3	2.9	3.1	411.2	17.9	4.4	2.5	1.0
Nov.	210.0	733.7	48.5	1,735.9	10.9	4.7	2.6	356.3	17.5	5.2	2.5	1.2
Dec.	182.6	1,651.4	68.6	357.2	8.6	2.8	2.2	270.7	17.8	4.8	1.7	1.1
1956–Jan.	180.8	911.4	71.1	573.3	9.5	3.9	1.4	255.9	24.8	6.5	2.6	1.2
Feb.	213.6	920.5	77.3	596.3	9.5	2.2	2.7	190.1	17.4	6.1	4.9	1.2
Mar.	234.1	1,059.2	86.2	507.1	10.5	3.2	1.9	310.4	21.0	5.7	3.5	1.1
Apr.	266.7	956.4	110.0	834.7	8.9	5.7	2.1	264.8	21.8	6.0	3.6	1.7
May	299.2	1,087.7	123.2	1,768.5	11.3	5.4	4.0	342.5	16.9	5.5	4.7	1.6
June	346.5	1,023.1	136.3	1,269.4	8.2	3.2	5.3	300.3	8.8	4.3	3.6	1.7
July	331.0	790.6	94.8†	1,554.9	8.8	3.6	2.7	241.6	8.5	4.5	3.0	1.9
Aug.	330.3	718.9	22.4	1,330.5	8.5	3.2	7.1	265.1	19.2	4.2	2.7	1.6
Sept.	240.9	634.9	41.3	1,640.3	7.5	3.0	1.4	231.1	12.6	3.8	2.0	1.1
Oct.	248.1	672.1	73.9	1,830.9	9.5	5.1	2.4	490.3	19.1	5.4	2.2	1.4
Nov.	190.5	769.7	57.0	2,136.7	9.6	6.0	2.2	349.2	26.9	6.0	2.6	1.6
Dec.	192.0	1,655.9	65.7	276.7	7.9	1.7	0.8	388.6	18.1	5.1	1.8	1.1

	Crude Rubber	Iron Ore	Pigs, Ingots, Blooms & Billets	Bars, Rods and Rails	Sheets and Plates	Structural Iron	Autos and Trucks	Bauxite Ore	Tin	Coal	Crude Petroleum	Gasoline, Kerosene and Fuel Oils
	mm. lbs.	*Thous. tons*	*Thous. tons*	*Thous. tons*	*Thous. tons*	*Thous. tons*	*Thous.*	*Thous. tons*	*Thous. cwt.*	*mm. tons*	*mm. gals.*	*mm. gals.*
Calendar Yr												
1949	90	2,517	84	118	601	221	39	1,794	82	22	2,649	584
1950	104	3,071	60	98	551	189	89	1,862	108	27	2,805	832
1951	108	3,831	148	197	757	382	48	2,402	137	27	2,949	911
1952	81	4,268	156	179	673	339	39	2,455	88	25	2,897	1,043
1953	93	4,168	57	117	585	310	58	2,689	83	23	2,857	1,059
1954	96	3,035	37	80	369	345	43	2,962	86	19	2,761	1,066
1955	111	4,539	29	108	500	360	58	3,092	97	20	3,038	1,119
1956	103	5,069	38	202	811	660	89	2,590	85	23	3,733	1,100
Monthly												
1955–May	13.1	439.3	2.3	8.2	40.6	29.5	6.3	317.5	7.5	1.8	263.5	97.3
June	8.9	705.1	3.2	7.3	41.8	22.8	4.5	446.3	8.7	2.0	274.7	80.1
July	6.1	714.3	1.9	6.8	37.7	22.1	4.9	317.0	8.4	1.5	251.0	93.7
Aug.	7.9	772.8	3.2	7.1	44.9	28.6	6.9	424.1	6.0	2.0	323.8	148.3
Sept.	10.1	691.0	1.4	10.2	52.0	32.5	4.5	446.4	9.9	1.8	262.6	107.5
Oct.	9.2	698.8	4.2	11.2	49.3	38.3	3.9	336.4	9.9	2.1	302.3	136.1
Nov.	9.9	460.9	1.9	14.7	63.3	47.6	4.4	386.1	15.9	1.9	279.7	147.9
Dec.	9.3	47.8	4.1	11.4	55.9	42.7	5.3	235.7	4.8	1.5	213.2	92.7
1956–Jan.	11.5	38.8	2.9	13.1	61.2	38.9	6.5	11.8	3.6	1.3	311.1	85.7
Feb.	7.2	1.7	1.7†	11.5	57.1	38.6	8.7	41.7	3.4	1.4	245.9	57.3†
Mar.	7.7	2.9	2.2	12.9	58.5†	43.2	18.3	26.0	7.3	1.2	223.2	52.3
Apr.	6.6	55.5	2.3	24.8	89.1	59.5	14.9	60.7	6.7	1.8	242.1	74.7
May	9.1	665.1	3.5†	18.7†	95.4	77.9	8.7	186.5	12.2	2.1	294.2	103.3
June	5.7	674.3	5.3	19.4	73.1	71.9	5.8	298.1	5.6	2.3	304.1	84.3
July	7.7	635.8	1.9†	17.2	50.0	56.3	4.7	562.3	9.3	2.2	332.1	92.9
Aug.	8.3	415.4	2.6†	19.1†	42.9†	40.7†	2.9	346.3	7.2	2.3	407.6	131.0
Sept.	9.9	910.3	3.3	14.8	67.2	54.1	3.9	470.9	6.6	2.0	349.9	93.6
Oct.	8.6	898.6	4.6	21.2	77.2	67.0	4.4	428.6	9.2	2.4	377.4	109.1
Nov.	10.9	529.8	4.3	15.6	84.2	72.0	5.7	68.3	9.7	2.2	343.3	118.2
Dec.	9.8	240.7	3.6	13.3	55.5	40.0	4.7	88.4	4.0	1.5	301.9	97.3

1. Includes imports from Newfoundland until March 31, 1949 and imports into Newfoundland from other countries thereafter. Where quantity is shown in tons, a short ton of 2000 lbs. has been used. † Revised.

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MONTH-END AND WEEKLY SERIES

Millions of Dollars

	ASSETS																				LIABILITIES										
	Government of Canada Direct and Guaranteed Securities																				Notes in Circulation			Canadian Dollar Deposits							
		Other Maturities																			Held by										
	Treasury Bills	2 yrs. and under	Over 2 yrs. to 5 yrs.	Over 5 yrs. to 10 yrs.	Over 10 yrs.	Total	Total	*Of which held under Purchase and Resale Agreements*	Provincial Govt. Securities	Advances to Govt. of Canada	Advances to Chartered & Savings Banks	Foreign Currency Assets 1	Investment in IDB 2	All Other Accounts 3	Total Assets or Liabilities	Chartered Banks	Others	Total	Govt. of Canada	Chartered Banks	Other	Foreign Currency Liabilities	All Other Accounts 4	
As at Dec. 31																															**As at Dec. 31**
1951	186.4	955.3	1,049.3			2,004.7	**2,191.1**	–	–	–	–	204.2	27.8	21.0	**2,444.1**	273.1	1,191.1	**1,464.2**	94.9	619.0	66.1	155.6	44.4	1951
1952	282.9	1,176.9	767.2			1,944.1	**2,227.0**	–	–	–	–	84.5	30.8	39.2	**2,381.4**	272.5	1,288.7	**1,561.2**	16.2	626.6	44.5	82.9	50.0	1952
1953	374.5	1,002.1	893.7			1,895.7	**2,270.2**	*21.8*	–	–	–	67.2	36.3	63.5	**2,437.2**	263.8	1,335.3	**1,599.1**	51.5	623.9	29.5	63.8	69.3	1953
1954	168.5	1,193.0	410.8	297.3	152.5	2,053.6	**2,222.0**	–	–	–	–	66.4	35.6	76.9	**2,400.8**	261.6	1,361.9	**1,623.5**	56.3	529.6	30.5	63.1	97.9	1954
1955	262.6	1,021.2	354.5	516.6	212.5	2,104.9	**2,367.5**	–	–	–	2.0	114.7	35.1	100.9	**2,620.2**	289.4	1,449.0	**1,738.5**	89.2	551.0	34.0	98.0	109.5	1955
1956	505.2	519.7 [5]	629.7 [5]	507.2 [5]	232.0 [5]	1,888.7 [5]	**2,393.9** [5]	–	–	–	–	77.7	48.0	28.1	**2,547.7**	370.9	1,497.8	**1,868.7**	38.8	511.5	31.2	62.2	35.4	1956
End of																															**End of**
1956—Apr.	323.5	440.6	569.6	725.1	231.6	1,966.8	**2,290.3**	–	–	–	–	94.4	36.9	54.3	**2,475.9**	271.0	1,415.4	**1,686.3**	54.1	564.9	30.6	83.5	56.6	Apr.—1956
May	392.4	673.3	643.1	328.7	206.4	1,851.5	**2,243.9**	–	–	–	15.7	104.1	37.0	53.6	**2,454.3**	280.9	1,425.2	**1,706.1**	30.2	542.8	29.9	82.7	62.6	May
June	456.1	585.3	798.9	328.8	148.8	1,861.8	**2,317.8**	–	–	–	–	96.7	38.3	131.0	**2,583.9**	235.3	1,499.6	**1,734.9**	51.1	574.7	32.2	87.2	103.8	June
July	453.0	576.5	828.0	335.7	138.1	1,878.4	**2,331.4**	–	–	–	–	91.7	39.9	48.2	**2,511.2**	304.6	1,457.7	**1,762.3**	49.8	500.0	39.6	82.0	77.4	July
Aug.	495.1	524.2	849.8	354.4	131.3	1,859.7	**2,354.8**	–	–	–	–	74.4	40.8	143.3	**2,613.4**	249.6	1,515.0	**1,764.6**	65.4	580.6	35.6	64.4	102.8	Aug.
Sept.	535.3	506.0	672.7	447.5	215.6	1,841.8†	**2,377.1**	–	–	–	–	74.8	42.2	108.0†	**2,602.1**	255.8	1,513.7	**1,769.5**	46.0	564.0	45.2	64.9	112.4	Sept.
Oct.	557.5	473.8	669.7	451.5	221.4	1,816.4	**2,374.0**	–	–	–	–	68.5	42.8	85.9	**2,571.1**	309.1	1,471.8	**1,780.9**	55.0	575.3	30.7	56.4	72.9	Oct.
Nov.	553.5	467.7	672.7	466.4	222.5	1,829.2	**2,382.8**	–	–	–	–	77.9	43.7	116.9	**2,621.3**	250.5	1,542.9	**1,793.5**	7.4	624.9	31.7	68.2	95.7	Nov.
Dec.	505.2	519.7 [5]	629.7 [5]	507.2 [5]	232.0 [5]	1,888.7 [5]	**2,393.9** [5]	–	–	–	–	77.7	48.0	28.1	**2,547.7**	370.9	1,497.8	**1,868.7**	38.8	511.5	31.2	62.2	35.4	Dec.
1957—Jan.	413.5	678.2	438.8	510.3	229.2	1,856.5	**2,270.0**	*2.1*	–	–	–	75.1	48.9	66.9	**2,460.9**	294.1	1,444.8	**1,738.9**	57.8	524.0	34.3	65.4	40.5	Jan.—1957
Feb.	436.6	616.1	620.4	318.9	224.9	1,780.4	**2,217.0**	*1.2*	–	–	–	84.8	50.1	69.6	**2,421.5**	260.6	1,457.3	**1,717.9**	52.7	497.5	27.2	75.0	51.4	Feb.
Mar.	477.2	627.9	612.4	314.4	223.5	1,778.4	**2,255.6**	*0.7*	–	–	–	75.2	50.9	167.0	**2,548.7**	224.5	1,500.0	**1,724.6**	78.3	519.5	25.1	65.4	135.8	Mar.
Apr.	498.1	659.9	617.2	321.0	224.8	1,822.8	**2,320.9**	–	–	–	0.3	71.9	52.2	72.3	**2,517.7**	*	*	**1,756.3**	62.9	546.9	22.5	62.2	67.0	Apr.
Average of Wednesdays																															**Average of Wednesdays**
1956—Apr.	410.2	472.9	1,395.3			1,868.2	**2,278.4**	–	–	–	11.5	97.0	36.9	48.3	**2,472.0**	318.4	1,366.8	**1,685.2**	48.3	556.0	31.0	87.5	64.0	Apr.—1956
May	353.7	723.6	1,195.5			1,919.2	**2,272.9**	*0.2*	–	–	5.1	101.1	36.9	51.3	**2,467.4**	320.4	1,384.4	**1,704.8**	52.4	537.2	28.9	88.7	55.4	May
June	447.9	641.4	1,230.1			1,871.6	**2,319.5**	–	–	–	5.7	95.7	37.2	53.1	**2,511.1**	335.9	1,386.0	**1,721.9**	55.7	550.2	32.1	85.7	65.4	June
July	456.3	588.3	1,286.7			1,875.0	**2,331.3**	*0.8*	–	–	20.3	90.8	38.3	47.5	**2,528.3**	339.6	1,417.6	**1,757.2**†	47.9	531.5	32.9	81.0	77.7	July
Aug.	482.7	541.4	1,325.3			1,866.7	**2,349.3**	*0.9*†	–	–	6.4	79.4	39.9	56.0	**2,531.0**	332.2	1,434.5	**1,766.7**	51.9	545.6	30.2	69.7	66.8	Aug.
Sept.	505.1	514.9	1,335.0			1,859.9	**2,365.0**	*1.4*	–	–	–	70.7	41.0	42.5	**2,519.3**	342.2	1,430.8	**1,772.9**	47.7	542.8	31.4	60.7	63.7	Sept.
Oct.	526.3	500.7	1,342.1			1,842.8	**2,369.1**	*1.4*	–	–	6.4	70.5	42.2	55.0	**2,543.2**	335.0	1,447.5	**1,782.5**	59.3	538.3	31.4	60.4	71.3	Oct.
Nov.	536.9	455.7	1,352.3			1,808.0	**2,344.9**	*3.8*	–	–	21.3	77.0	42.8	63.6	**2,549.5**	349.9	1,444.1	**1,794.1**	45.0	531.4	30.2	67.3	81.6	Nov.
Dec.	525.9	493.4	1,369.4			1,862.8	**2,388.7**	*0.4*	–	–	13.6	75.9	43.7	49.3	**2,571.3**	356.7	1,481.5	**1,838.2**	32.6	548.5	30.7	61.6	59.7	Dec.
1957—Jan.	466.4	687.6 [5]	1,178.3 [5]			1,866.0 [5]	**2,332.4** [5]	*1.2*	–	–	6.0	72.6	48.1	55.3	**2,514.3**	380.2†	1,421.9†	**1,802.2**	57.5	524.5	27.9	63.0	39.3	Jan.—1957
Feb.	402.6	646.2	1,174.1			1,820.3	**2,222.9**	*7.0*	–	–	–	73.8	49.0	60.6	**2,406.3**†	326.7†	1,399.4†	**1,726.0**	64.3	478.3	28.0	64.1	45.5	Feb.
Mar.	484.3	610.9	1,149.4			1,760.3	**2,244.5**	*0.1*	–	–	5.4	75.4	50.1	54.0	**2,429.4**	316.9	1,407.8	**1,724.7**	51.0	513.8	28.6	65.3	45.9	Mar.
Apr.	479.7	650.8	1,154.5			1,805.3	**2,285.0**	*7.9*	–	–	12.8	75.2	51.1	68.1	**2,492.1**	314.5	1,432.4	**1,746.9**	47.5	550.6	25.1	65.5	56.6	Apr.
As at																															**As at**
1956—Nov. 7	549.0	451.4	1,345.6			1,797.0	**2,346.0**	–	–	–	–	72.5	42.7	86.3	**2,547.6**	335.6	1,455.9	**1,791.4**	43.9	528.0	29.3	62.7	92.2	7 Nov.—1956
14	529.0	452.1	1,344.7			1,796.8	**2,325.8**	–	–	–	25.0	81.3	42.7	59.4	**2,534.2**	348.6	1,448.0	**1,796.6**	44.8	508.6	28.1	71.7	84.4	14
21	540.6	452.9	1,357.5			1,810.5	**2,351.1**	*15.1*	–	–	10.0	70.2	42.7	72.2	**2,546.2**	355.3	1,441.7	**1,796.9**	41.7	525.5	31.9	60.5	89.7	21
28	528.8	466.3	1,361.5			1,827.7	**2,356.5**	–	–	–	50.0	83.8	43.1	36.8	**2,570.1**	360.3	1,431.0	**1,791.3**	49.5	563.6	31.4	74.1	60.1	28
Dec. 5	536.7	468.4	1,363.9			1,832.3	**2,369.0**	–	–	–	–	66.3	43.7	52.4	**2,531.3**	329.2	1,479.0	**1,808.2**	50.2	529.2	29.4	56.9	57.4	5 Dec.
12	543.3	481.1	1,370.1			1,851.2	**2,394.6**	*1.4*	–	–	–	77.9	43.7	51.1	**2,567.3**	369.3	1,457.6	**1,826.9**	39.9	542.1	27.9	65.8	64.8	12
19	508.3	511.9	1,368.5			1,880.3	**2,388.7**	–	–	–	44.5	79.9	43.6	47.5	**2,604.1**	361.0	1,491.6	**1,852.7**	18.6	581.0	27.9	62.1	61.8	19
26	515.3	512.0	1,375.2			1,887.3	**2,402.5**	–	–	–	10.0	79.7	43.8	46.2	**2,582.3**	367.2	1,497.8	**1,865.0**	21.5	541.7	37.8	61.4	54.9	26
1957—Jan. 2	493.3	707.1 [5]	1,177.0 [5]			1,884.2 [5]	**2,377.4** [5]	–	–	–	–	67.5	48.0	86.3	**2,579.2**	386.2	1,480.6	**1,866.8**	72.9	511.1	31.0	58.0	39.4	2 Jan.—1957
9	484.1	678.8	1,178.7			1,857.5	**2,341.6**	*6.0*	–	–	30.0	75.2	48.0	71.8	**2,566.6**	423.9	1,414.5	**1,838.4**	60.5	528.6	29.1	65.5	44.5	9
16	484.2	682.1	1,179.7			1,861.9	**2,346.1**	–	–	–	–	75.8	48.1	39.4	**2,509.4**	373.2	1,427.5	**1,800.7**	50.2	524.9	26.9	66.1	40.5	16
23	454.0	685.8	1,177.6			1,863.4	**2,317.4**	–	–	–	–	73.2	48.3	39.1	**2,477.9**	377.5	1,386.4	**1,763.9**	51.7	534.8	26.9	63.4	37.2	23
30	416.5	684.3	1,178.5			1,862.8	**2,279.3**	–	–	–	–	71.3	48.3	39.7	**2,438.6**	340.3†	1,400.7†	**1,741.0**	52.1	523.1	25.5	62.0	35.0	30
Feb. 6	383.3	672.4	1,183.8			1,856.2	**2,239.5**	–	–	–	–	82.6	48.9	56.4	**2,427.5**	328.5†	1,408.7†	**1,737.2**	60.1	481.0	31.4	72.9	45.0	6 Feb.
13	391.5	654.9	1,182.6			1,837.5	**2,229.0**	*7.8*	–	–	–	69.9	48.9	41.1	**2,388.9**	339.4†	1,390.5†	**1,729.9**	50.2	469.9	29.4	60.3	49.2	13
20	401.1	638.6	1,161.9			1,800.5	**2,201.6**	*20.4*	–	–	–	69.2	48.9	47.4	**2,367.1**	330.8†	1,390.5†	**1,721.3**	48.6	466.8	25.6	59.4	45.5	20
27	434.4	619.0	1,168.1			1,787.1	**2,221.4**	–	–	–	–	73.4	49.3	97.5	**2,441.7**	308.1	1,407.7	**1,715.8**	98.4	495.6	25.6	63.8	42.4	27
Mar. 6	471.4	604.4	1,147.8			1,752.1	**2,223.5**	*0.5*	–	–	0.4	77.0	50.1	84.0	**2,435.0**	304.5	1,421.2	**1,725.7**	58.9	508.8	26.1	67.0	48.5	6 Mar.
13	487.1	609.9	1,149.7			1,759.6	**2,246.6**	–	–	–	11.0	78.9	50.1	42.7	**2,429.3**	323.3	1,403.0	**1,726.3**	40.2	512.0	36.8	68.5	45.5	13
20	498.8	611.5	1,149.6			1,761.1	**2,259.9**	–	–	–	–	73.7	50.1	48.3	**2,432.1**	317.8	1,406.7	**1,724.4**	57.9	513.9	27.4	63.5	45.0	20
27	479.8	617.9	1,150.4			1,768.3	**2,248.0**	–	–	–	10.0	72.0	50.1	41.0	**2,421.2**	322.0	1,400.2	**1,722.2**	47.2	520.7	24.2	62.3	44.6	27
Apr. 3	465.0	628.5	1,151.4			1,780.0	**2,245.0**	–	–	–	30.0	72.4	50.6	91.9	**2,489.9**	289.9	1,443.3	**1,733.2**	54.2	560.1	25.0	62.7	54.7	3 Apr.
10	466.0	645.3	1,151.9			1,797.2	**2,263.1**	*3.7*	–	–	–	76.9	51.1	87.7	**2,478.8**	320.3	1,420.6	**1,740.9**	49.8	543.2	24.7	67.2	53.0	10
17	487.1	666.9	1,157.2			1,824.0	**2,311.2**	*27.9*	–	–	–	72.8	51.4	51.4	**2,486.7**	302.7	1,453.5	**1,756.2**	42.5	533.7	26.0	63.1	65.3	17
24	500.7	662.6	1,157.5			1,820.1	**2,320.8**	–	–	–	21.0	78.6	51.4	41.4	**2,513.1**	345.2	1,412.2	**1,757.4**	43.6	565.4	24.5	68.8	53.4	24

1. Foreign exchange and foreign securities exceeding market values" to amortized values, and for this reason figures for Dec. 31 and later dates are not comparable with those for earlier dates. 2. Industrial Development Bank capital stock, bonds and debentures. 3. Bank premises and all other assets. * Not available. † Revised. 4. Capital, rest fund and all other liabilities. 5. On Dec. 31, 1956, the basis for the valuation of securities held by the Bank of Canada was changed from "not

NOTE: For data back to 1946 by month-end and to January 1953 by weeks for the majority of these series see pages 4–13 in the "Financial Supplement 1954" and the "Financial Supplement 1955".

CHARTERED BANKS

MONTHLY SERIES

Bank of Canada

Millions of Dollars

I. CANADIAN CASH RESERVES★

	Cash Reserves: Bank of Canada Deposits	Cash Reserves: Bank of Canada Notes	Cash Reserves: Total	Canadian Dollar Deposit Liabilities	Average Cash Reserve Ratio 1
Averages					
1951	567	225	**792**	7,759	10.2
1952	606	239	**844**	8,110	10.4
1953	627	256	**883**	8,624	10.2
1954 1st Half	634	260	**894**	8,820	10.1
1954 2nd Half★	525	286	**811**	9,097	8.9
1955	541	293	**834**	9,915	8.4
1956	548	325	**873**	10,527	8.3
1955–Oct.	556	301	**857**	10,314	8.3
Nov.	549	313	**861**	10,383	8.3
Dec.	552	312	**863**	10,487	8.2
1956–Jan.	568	310	**877**	10,515	8.4
Feb.	504	354	**858**	10,448	8.2
Mar.	542	299	**841**	10,285	8.2
Apr.	561	294	**855**	10,357	8.3
May	545	310	**856**	10,409	8.2
June	560	318	**878**	10,597	8.3
July	544	332	**876**	10,608	8.3
Aug.	563	338	**900**	10,649	8.5
Sept.	549	328	**877**	10,563	8.3
Oct.	544	340	**885**	10,607	8.3
Nov.	539	341	**881**	10,591	8.3
Dec.	553	338	**890**	10,704	8.3
1957–Jan.	523	355	**878**	10,660	8.2
Feb.	475	390	**865**	10,525	8.2
Mar.	514	335	**848**	10,371	8.2
Apr.*	542	313	**856**	10,487	8.2

II. LIABILITIES

	Advances from Bank of Canada	Govt. of Canada	Provincial Governments	Canadian Dollar Deposits: Personal Savings	Other Notice	Other Banks 2	Public Demand	Total	Foreign Currency Deposits	Acceptances, Guarantees, & Letters of Credit	All Other Liabilities	Shareholders Equity 3	Total Liabilities
As at Dec. 31													
1951	–	88	185	4,296	316	95	2,993	**7,973**	878	225	7	375	**9,458**
1952	–	49	214	4,600	325	75	3,373	**8,636**	905	199	7	381	**10,128**
1953	–	473	166	4,756	278	69	3,368	**9,111**	963	155	8	419	**10,656**
1954	–	176	190	5,218	397	104	3,597	**9,683**	1,030	155	43	521	**11,433**
1955	2	517	181	5,633	464	139	3,915	**10,848**	1,056	203	26	567	**12,702**
1956	–	246	169	6,007	444	116	4,180	**11,162**	1,369	210	34	653	**13,428**
End of													
1955—Oct.	15	165	158	5,839	526	156	3,924	**10,768**	1,048	200	39	560	**12,629**
Nov.	2	543	143	5,615	477	136	3,735	**10,650**	1,098	211	30	567	**12,557**
Dec.	2	517	181	5,633	464	139	3,915	**10,848**	1,056	203	26	567	**12,702**
1956—Jan.	–	501	148	5,676	469	117	3,596	**10,507**	1,070	216	28	567	**12,387**
Feb.	–	493	152	5,721	476	123	3,483	**10,449**	1,118	226	21	567	**12,380**
Mar.	5	488	223	5,791	466	125	3,316	**10,408**	1,148	229	21	568	**12,380**
Apr.	–	355	162	5,919	480	124	3,766	**10,805**	1,185	220	27	569	**12,806**
May	16	494	168	5,844	485	110	3,554	**10,655**	1,203	216	24	587	**12,700**
June	–	413	172	5,881	459	118	3,817	**10,860**	1,236	217	23	609	**12,944**
July	–	279	143	5,923	472	115	3,773	**10,706**	1,315	210	27	619	**12,878**
Aug.	–	275	123	5,941	477	110	3,731	**10,658**	1,354	226	24	628	**12,889**
Sept.	–	281	117	6,020	476	110	3,812	**10,816**	1,315	223	23	631	**13,008**
Oct.	–	153	154	6,098	453	155	3,846	**10,859**	1,334	216	48	647	**13,104**
Nov.	–	417	103	5,974	439	123	3,821	**10,877**	1,376	221	38	652	**13,164**
Dec.	–	246	169	6,007	444	116	4,180	**11,162**	1,369	210	34	653	**13,428**
1957—Jan.	–	254	138	6,039	438	110	3,499	**10,479**	1,409	209	41	653	**12,791**
Feb.	–	391	142	6,090	454	103	3,445	**10,625**	1,506	236	36	656	**13,058**
Mar.	–	377	191	6,153	444	105	3,496	**10,765**	1,450	232	36	667	**13,150**

III. ASSETS

	Bank of Canada Deposits and Notes	Cdn. Day-to-Day Loans	Treasury Bills	Government of Canada Direct and Guaranteed Bonds 6: 2 yrs. and under	Over 2 years	Total	Other Canadian Securities 6: Provincial 7, 8	Municipal 8	Corporate	Total	Ins. Res. Mtges.	Loans 9 In Canada: Call and Short 9: To Stock-Brokers 11	To Others	Provincial 8	Municipal 8	Grain Dealers 10, 11	C.S.B. 11, 12	Sub-Total 11	General Loans 11 †	Total Loans †	Total of Foregoing Assets †	Canadian Dollar Items in Transit (Net)	Foreign Cash Items Securities & Loans: Cash Items 13	Foreign Sec.	Loans Outside Canada	Customers' Liability Under Acceptances, Guarantees, & Letters of Credit	All Other Assets 14 †	Total Assets
As at Dec. 31																												
1951	892	–	236	499	2,019	2,518	321	167	393	881	–	78	30	68	94	177	137	583	2,588	3,172	**7,699**	512	254	206	409	225	153	**9,458**
1952	899	–	138	869	1,777	2,647	304	159	370	834	–	73	82	79	97	257	146	734	2,787	3,520	**8,038**	752	283	262	435	199	159	**10,128**
1953	888	–	244	482	2,034	2,516	280	152	341	773	–	61	92	65	96	391	165	871	3,236	4,106	**8,527**	751	280	244	540	155	159	**10,656**
1954	791	68	360	636	2,318	2,953	264	177	353	794	74	68	75	61	103	404	147	859	3,237	4,096	**9,137**	827	332	322	488	155	172	**11,433**
1955	840	81	427	475	2,157	2,632	322	218	482	1,022	294	112	67	83	124	361	163	910	3,981	4,891	**10,187**	1,002	327	282	518	203	183	**12,702**
1956	882	74	740	406	1,269	1,675	269	185	510	964	493	90	62	95	177	373	169	966	4,432	5,398	**10,226**	1,330	356	375	720	210	211	**13,428**
End of																												
1955–Oct.	858	86	337	646	2,484	3,130	338	219	469	1,027	236	94	52	51	125	369	7	699	3,891	4,589	**10,263**	835	301	300	546	200	185	**12,629**
Nov.	852	54	327	564	2,364	2,928	336	218	479	1,034	264	99	48	83	121	368	185	904	3,957	4,860	**10,320**	677	309	297	561	211	182	**12,557**
Dec.	840	81	427	475	2,157	2,632	322	218	482	1,022	294	112	67	83	124	361	163	910	3,981	4,891	**10,187**	1,002	327	282	518	203	183	**12,702**
1956–Jan.	819	59	512	436	2,047	2,482	317	213	480	1,009	317	113	52	60	143	360	144	872	4,031	4,903	**10,101**	736	297	291	554	216	191	**12,387**
Feb.	759	82	564	406	1,993	2,400	308	210	489	1,007	331	116	56	54	166	356	129	877	4,087	4,964	**10,107**	677	301	293	585	226	191	**12,380**
Mar.	725	75	593	398	1,922	2,319	298	210	485	993	345	109	53	6	200	354	114	836	4,235	5,071	**10,121**	629	310	295	607	229	189	**12,380**
Apr.	836	43	756	350	1,695	2,045	295	211	489	995	361	120	56	16	223	319	97	831	4,353	5,184	**10,219**	936	314	314	611	220	191	**12,806**
May	824	64	767	558	1,424	1,982	297	208	504	1,010	377	118	73	33	215	312	76	828	4,461	5,289	**10,313**	717	296	326	632	216	200	**12,700**
June	810	97	772	557	1,398	1,955	291	206	510	1,007	393	121	57	27	157	340	60	763	4,536	5,299	**10,333**	920	294	339	641	217	200	**12,944**
July	805	109	742	511	1,383	1,893	292	202	511	1,005	412	127	58	36	150	350	45	765	4,543	5,308	**10,274**	836	314	380	657	210	205	**12,878**
Aug.	830	68	814	522	1,325	1,847	291	200	520	1,010	432	123	37	57	145	358	34	753	4,570	5,323	**10,325**	697	334	355	750	226	203	**12,889**
Sept.	820	114	786	526	1,322	1,848	286	197	519	1,003	448	110	38	81	167	341	22	759	4,523	5,281	**10,300**	859	313	396	711	223	206	**13,008**
Oct.	884	85	791	464	1,320	1,784	295	197	516	1,008	471	104	39	83	168	359	4	756	4,610	5,367	**10,390**	843	381	371	701	216	202	**13,104**
Nov.	875	64	743	485	1,280	1,765	265	192	518	975	489	89	36	124	152	361	193	955	4,577	5,532	**10,443**	878	314	395	712	221	201	**13,164**
Dec.	882	74	740	406	1,269	1,675	269	185	510	964	493	90	62	95	177	373	169	966	4,432	5,398	**10,226**	1,330	356	375	720	210	211	**13,428**
1957–Jan. 5	818	86	800	503 4	1,232 4	1,735 4	284 4	178	501 5	963	500	86	40	60	201	359	148†	895†	4,410 5	5,305 5	**10,209 5**	715	311	370	763 5	209	215	**12,791**
Feb.	758	101	809	545	1,223	1,768	288	178	499	964	507	90	63	74	218	355	132†	931†	4,427	5,359	**10,266**	814	352	395	780	236	215	**13,058**
Mar.	744	162	805	538	1,227	1,764	260	178	501	940	508	85	65	40	250	391	115	945	4,446	5,392	**10,314**	907	330	357	793	232	217	**13,150**

★ For periods prior to July 1954 all figures in this section are daily averages. From July 1954, in accordance with section 71 of the Bank Act of 1954, Bank of Canada deposits are averages of the juridical days in the month shown while Bank of Canada notes and Canadian dollar deposit liabilities are averages of the 4 consecutive Wednesdays ending with the second last Wednesday in the previous month.

1. Prior to July 1st, 1954, the statutory minimum requirement was 5 per cent for each day; since that date it has been a monthly average of 8 per cent, calculated as described in footnote★.
2. Mainly deposits of foreign banks.
3. Capital, rest fund, and undivided profits as at the latest fiscal year-end.
4. Beginning January 31, 1957, month-end figures for chartered bank holdings of Government of Canada and provincial government securities are based on "amortized value" and are therefore not directly comparable with figures for preceding month-ends, which are based on "not exceeding market value".
5. Beginning January 31, 1957, figures for certain chartered bank asset items are not strictly comparable with those for earlier dates, owing to the reallocation of inner reserves consequent upon the securities valuation change referred to in footnote 4. Investment reserves which became redundant were reallocated to apply against other asset items, mainly general loans, loans outside Canada and corporate securities.
6. Including issues payable in foreign currency.
7. Includes securities guaranteed by provincial governments.
8. Securities purchased direct from issuer with a term of less than one year at time of issue are classified as loans.
9. Excluding Canadian day-to-day loans.
10. Loans to grain dealers and exporters.
11. "Call & Short loans to Stockbrokers", "Grain Dealers", "Canada Savings Bonds" and "General Loans" are Research Department estimates.
12. Loans to finance the purchase of Canada Savings Bonds at time of issue.
13. Includes deposits with other banks in foreign currencies, foreign bank notes, gold and coin outside Canada and foreign currency items in transit (net).
14. Includes bank premises, shares of and loans to controlled corporations, gold and coin in Canada, Canadian dollar deposits with other banks and other assets.

† Revised to include non-current loans in "General Loans" rather than in "All Other Assets". * Preliminary.

NOTE: FOR DATA BACK TO 1946 SEE PAGES 14–21 IN THE "FINANCIAL SUPPLEMENT 1954" AND PAGES 14–17 IN THE "FINANCIAL SUPPLEMENT 1955".

CHARTERED BANKS

ESTIMATED WEEKLY SERIES

Bank of Canada

Millions of Dollars

	Bank of Canada Deposits & Notes ★	Cdn. Day-to-Day Loans	Treasury Bills	Govt. of Canada Bonds 1	Other Canadian Securities: Provincial 1, 3, 4	Municipal 4	Corporate	Total	Insured Residential Mortgages	Call & Short 2: To Stock-Brokers	To Others	Provincial 4	Municipal 4
Average of Wednesdays 1955—Apr.	817	87	388	3,172	294	189	388	872	114	115		8	160
May	817	93	419	3,210	296	198	394	888	124	78	54	10	151
June	803	111	409	3,229	313	204	409	926	138	83	63	23	130
July	854	114	391	3,268	312	203	435	950	152	94	88	17	132
Aug.	848	80	416	3,270	315	211	437	964	173	95	52	16	115
Sept.	852	54	379	3,210	334	211	443	988	196	95	40	32	123
Oct.	859	50	363	3,127	336	213	449	997	221	94	52	38	130
Nov.	854	53	298	3,051	336	215	473	1,024	250	99	55	66	117
Dec.	879	57	375	2,721	329	217	482	1,029	281	106	56	94	121
1956—Jan.	921	55	442	2,541	320	214	478	1,012	303	107	53	67	126
Feb.	796	80	542	2,432	312	211	482	1,005	324	114	53	54	147
Mar.	841	61	570	2,352	297	208	482	987	339	117	48	33	179
Apr.	874	17	640	2,184	295	208	480	984	352	119	57	11	213
May	858	59	759	1,994	294	207	489	990	368	126	65	24	216
June	886	78	760	1,932	289	206	504	1,000	385	119	62	39	188
July	871	77	739	1,906	288	202	509	999	400	128	58	25	151
Aug.	878	62	790	1,871	290	200	514	1,004	420	127	41	41	145
Sept.	885	78	798	1,850	289	197	516	1,002	438	120	35	61	153
Oct.	873	76	785	1,826	293	195	517	1,005	459	107	40	69	167
Nov.	881†	79	771	1,773	280	191	515	987	480	95	36	108	142
Dec.	905†	70	747	1,706	267	186	510	964	493	88	53	124	159
1957—Jan.	905	80	766	1,629	265	179	506	950	496	89	47	67†	186
Feb.	805†	113	813	1,658 7	270 7	179	504	952 7	502	87	48	72	199
Mar.	831	116	816	1,762	259	176	498	932	507	88	58	60	231
As at 1956—Sept. 5	857	59	810	1,848	287	198	515	1,000	432	122	33	54	145
12	887	90	784	1,850	290	198	515	1,003	436	122	34	58	146
19	906	67	796	1,854	290	197	517	1,005	441	122	37	63	157
26	890	95	803	1,848	289	197	516	1,002	445	114	37	67	165
Oct. 3	853	68	797	1,854	292	195	518	1,005	449	111	42	57	163
10	886	76	792	1,852	292	195	518	1,005	452	106	38	64	164
17	850	79	778	1,829	292	195	514	1,001	458	109	44	69	167
24	893	71	763	1,811	293	195	519	1,007	463	107	38	70	171
31	884	85	791	1,784	295	197	516	1,008	471	104	39	83	168
Nov. 7	864	70	790	1,784	291	191	518	1,000	473	98	40	92	144
14	857	69	795	1,775	284	191	515	990	478	96	33	99	138
21	881	80	761	1,762	281	192	515	987	482	93	35	121	140
28	924†	97	738	1,772	265	191	514	971	486	91	35	122	145
Dec. 5	858	51	753	1,756	264	186	513	963	490	90	48	134	151
12	911†	63	750	1,722	270	187	512	969	493	87	50	128	156
19	942†	92	737	1,682	268	185	509	962	497	87	57	118	161
26	909	75	749	1,665	268	185	507	961	494	89	57	113	169
1957—Jan. 2	897	69	753	1,660	265	182	506	953	493	89	59	86	175
9	953	68	753	1,639	265	180	505	950	494	90	45	67	180
16	898	76	762	1,624	265	178	506	948	498	90	48	59	184
23	912	101	762	1,615	266	178	506	950	496	88	42	60	191
30	863	86	804	1,608	265	178	507	950	499	86	39	60	201
Feb. 6	809	110	818	1,607	264	180	507	951	499	85	40	67	187
13	809†	115	814	1,626	264	179	506	950	501	86	37	72	195
20	798†	117	812	1,642	266	178	505	950	503	85	55	74	204
27 7	804	112	808	1,758 7	285 7	176	497	958 7	506	91	62	74	211
Mar. 6	813	86	829	1,766	258	176	496	930	506	91	64	71	221
13	835	117	822	1,767	259	175	499	934	506	87	53	64	228
20	832	109	813	1,765	259	176	498	932	506	89	57	61	236
27	843	152	802	1,749	259	176	498	933	508	87	59	42	240
Apr. 3	850	93	819	1,755	268	173	496	938	504	90	84	22	252
10	864	95	806	1,733	268	173	498	939	504	91	81	24	254
17	836	76	778	1,735	268	173	498	939	506	96	70	29	260

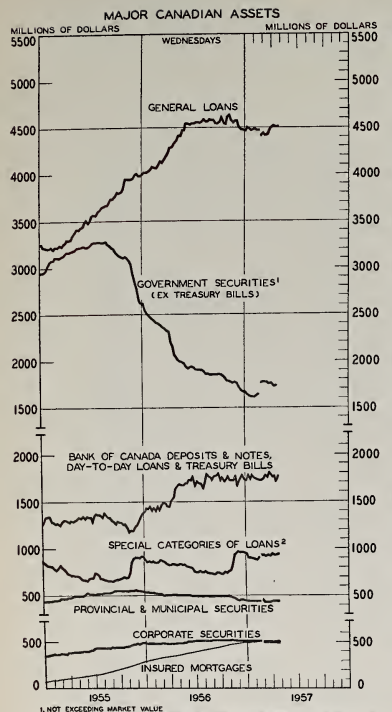
	Loans 2 in Canada: Grain Dealers 5	C.S.B. 6	Sub-Total	General Loans	Total Loans	Total of Foregoing Assets	Estimated Items in Transit (net)	Canadian Dollar Deposits: Personal Savings	Govt. of Canada Deposits	All Other	Total	
Average of Wednesdays Apr.—1955	343	89	716	3,308	4,024	9,475	467	5,453	69	4,148	9,669	
May	321	74	688	3,408	4,096	9,647	506	5,500	122	4,254	9,876	
June	317	60	676	3,486	4,162	9,778	561	5,529	158	4,374	10,061	
July	337	48	716	3,570	4,286	10,016	516	5,599	200	4,456	10,255	
Aug.	351	36	665	3,653	4,318	10,068	491	5,670	182	4,433	10,285	
Sept.	353	24	665	3,737	4,402	10,083	506	5,727	165	4,421	10,313	
Oct.	361	12	687	3,817	4,504	10,120	546	5,775	124	4,492	10,392	
Nov.	369	112	817	3,948	4,766	10,295	558	5,655	443	4,421	10,520	
Dec.	359	174	909	3,988	4,897	10,237	605	5,603	541	4,351	10,495	
1956—Jan.	361	153	868	4,015	4,884	10,157	562	5,651	510	4,228	10,390	Jan.—1956
Feb.	358	136	863	4,069	4,932	10,110	539	5,693	495	4,136	10,324	Feb.
Mar.	355	119	852	4,156	5,008	10,158	511	5,754	530	4,057	10,342	Mar.
Apr.	331	103	834	4,287	5,121	10,172	591	5,822	367	4,234	10,423	Apr.
May	313	85	830	4,427	5,256	10,285	654	5,859	437	4,298	10,595	May
June	321	66	794	4,537	5,331	10,371	622	5,867	488	4,275	10,630	June
July	340	53	753	4,552	5,305	10,297	721	5,898	296	4,428	10,623	July
Aug.	355	39	747	4,571	5,319	10,343	613	5,918	307	4,338	10,563	Aug.
Sept.	341	26	737	4,563	5,300	10,351	669	5,982	312	4,342	10,635	Sept.
Oct.	347	11	740	4,571	5,312	10,335	700	6,047	184	4,413	10,644	Oct.
Nov.	357	130	867	4,581	5,449	10,420	674†	5,992	370	4,299	10,661	Nov.
Dec.	361	178	963	4,512	5,475	10,361	718†	5,960	341	4,355	10,655	Dec.
1957—Jan.	361	157†	907	4,482	5,389	10,216	683†	5,992	242	4,258†	10,492†	Jan.—1957
Feb.	355	138†	899†	4,463†	5,363	10,207†	612†	6,063	335	4,011	10,408†	Feb.
Mar.	365	121	923	4,447	5,369	10,333	587	6,102	436	3,953	10,490	Mar.
As at 1956—Sept. 5	349	31	734	4,581	5,315	10,321	721	5,972	304	4,379	10,656	5 Sept.—1956
12	340	28	728	4,581	5,308	10,358	613	5,953	341	4,289	10,584	12
19	341	25	745	4,546	5,291	10,359	654	6,002	307	4,315	10,624	19
26	336	22	741	4,542	5,284	10,366	689	5,998	295	4,385	10,678	26
Oct. 3	336	18	727	4,563	5,290	10,317	727	6,046	191	4,419	10,656	3 Oct.
10	342	15	729	4,612	5,340	10,404†	597	6,032	215	4,337	10,585	10
17	348	11	748	4,539	5,287	10,283	703	6,033	175	4,387	10,595	17
24	349	7	742	4,534	5,276	10,285†	628	6,023	187	4,316	10,526	24
31	359	4	756	4,609	5,365	10,388†	843	6,098	153	4,608	10,859	31
Nov. 7	354	36	765	4,627	5,392	10,372†	666†	6,048	293	4,296	10,636	7 Nov.
14	356	97	819	4,577	5,397	10,360	647†	5,995	297	4,284	10,576	14
21	356	193	938	4,549	5,487	10,440	726†	5,969	488	4,289	10,745	21
28	361	193	947	4,572	5,519	10,506†	656†	5,955	404	4,326	10,685	28
Dec. 5	357	187	967	4,570	5,538	10,409†	697†	5,984	371	4,334	10,689	5 Dec.
12	359	181	961	4,509	5,470	10,378†	619†	5,946	385	4,255	10,586	12
19	366	175	965	4,483	5,448	10,361†	788†	5,954	330	4,399	10,682	19
26	363	169	960	4,485	5,445	10,297	770†	5,956	279	4,431	10,665	26
1957—Jan. 2	364	165	939	4,472	5,411	10,236	1,030†	6,009	164	4,704	10,877	2 Jan.—1957
9	361	161†	904†	4,500†	5,404	10,261	553†	5,985	233	4,176	10,394	9
16	363	157†	901†	4,486†	5,387	10,193	698†	5,985	262	4,234	10,481	16
23	360	153†	895†	4,474†	5,369	10,205	550†	5,984	295	4,070	10,349	23
30	359	148†	894†	4,480†	5,374	10,183†	582†	5,998	257	4,106†	10,360†	30
Feb. 6	358	144†	880†	4,491†	5,372	10,166†	584†	6,066	332	3,947†	10,345†	6 Feb.
13	354	140†	884†	4,476†	5,360	10,174†	570†	6,054	324	3,959†	10,337†	13
20	356	136†	909†	4,474†	5,383	10,204†	641†	6,061	340	4,040†	10,441†	20
27 7	355	132†	925†	4,413† 7	5,338 7	10,284	654†	6,071	344	4,096	10,511	27
Mar. 6	356	127†	930†	4,448†	5,379	10,309	570†	6,102	442	3,918	10,463	6 Mar.
13	363	123†	919†	4,422†	5,341	10,322	554†	6,094	455	3,882	10,432	13
20	366	119†	928†	4,436†	5,364	10,321	641†	6,102	425	4,014	10,541	20
27	370	115	914	4,479	5,393	10,380	582	6,108	419	3,999	10,526	27
Apr. 3	373	111	933	4,508	5,441	10,400	653	6,163	307	4,099	10,569	3 Apr.
10	373	107	929	4,523	5,452	10,392	542	6,144	320	4,021	10,485	10
17	375	102	932	4,506	5,438	10,308	658	6,149	309	4,071	10,528	17

★ For data on cash reserves, see section 1 of table on page 107. 1. Valued at "not exceeding market value". 2. Excluding Canadian day-to-day loans. 3. Includes securities guaranteed by provincial governments. 4. Securities purchased direct from issuer with a term of less than 1 year at time of issue are classified as loans. 5. Loans to grain dealers and exporters. 6. Loans to finance the purchase of Canada Savings Bonds at time of issue. 7. Beginning with the weekly statistics for Feb. 27 the chartered banks' holdings of Government of Canada and provincial government securities are valued at "amortized value" rather than at "not exceeding market value" as previously. Because of this change in valuation procedure and the consequent reallocation of inner reserves most of the asset figures for Feb. 27 and subsequent dates, particularly holdings of the securities in question and general loans, are not directly comparable with those of previous weeks. † Revised.

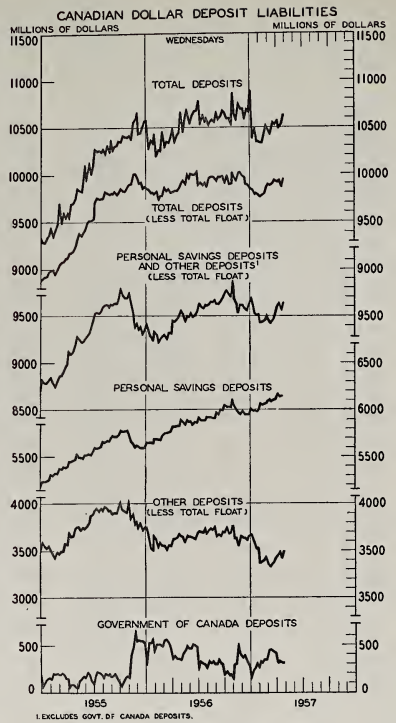
NOTE: For data back to August 1953 see pages 22–25 in the "Financial Supplement 1954" and pages 18–23 in the "Financial Supplement 1955".

CHARTERED BANKS

ASSETS AND LIABILITIES



1. NOT EXCEEDING MARKET VALUE
2. LOANS TO PROVINCIAL GOVERNMENTS AND MUNICIPALITIES, SPECIALLY SECURED LOANS TO GRAIN DEALERS, INVESTMENT DEALERS AND STOCKBROKERS AND TO FINANCE THE PURCHASE OF CANADA SAVINGS BONDS



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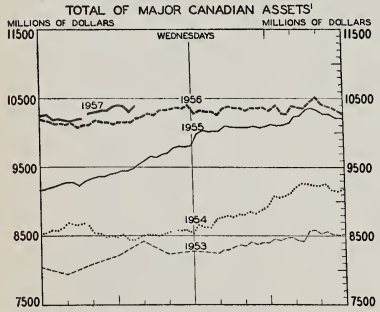
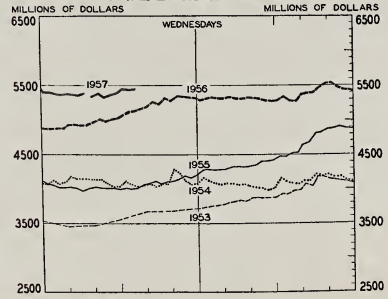


1. BANK OF CANADA NOTES & DEPOSITS, DAY-TO-DAY LOANS, TREASURY BILLS, GOVT OF CANADA SECURITIES, OTHER CANADIAN SECURITIES, INSURED MORTGAGES AND LOANS IN CANADA



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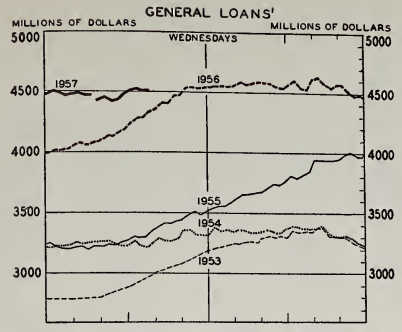
CHARTERED BANKS

SELECTED ASSETS



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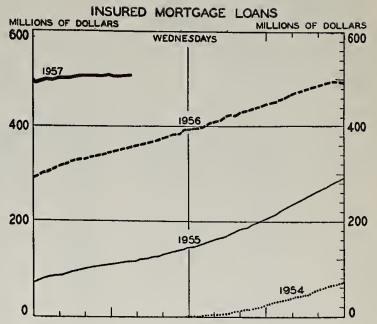

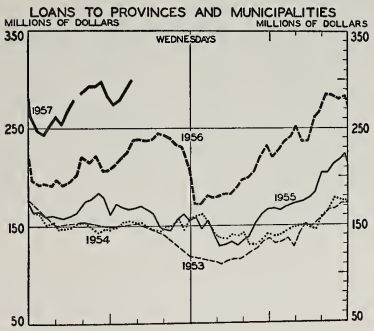

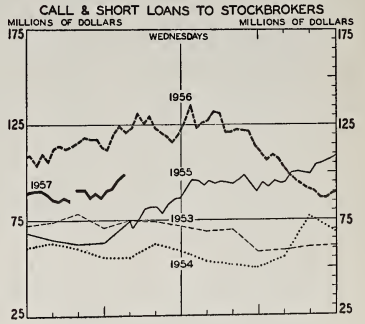

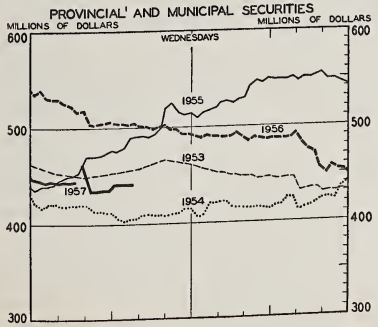

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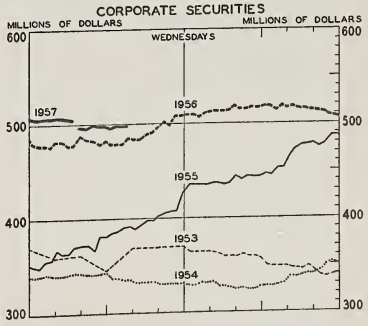

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CHARTERED BANKS

Quarterly Classification of Loans in Canada [1,2]

Department of Finance, Bank of Canada

Millions of Dollars

As at end of	1955 Mar.	1955 Dec.	1956 Mar.	1956 June	1956 Sept.	1956 Dec.	1957 Mar. [8]
General Loans [2]							
Personal							
To individuals, fully secured by marketable bonds and stocks [3]	262.6	338.9	363.2	367.7	355.4	323.6	299.6
Home improvement loans [4]	1.7	23.9	25.8	31.3	36.2	37.9	39.4
To individuals, not elsewhere classified	357.3	440.6	442.5	454.6	444.3	435.1	415.8
Total Personal	621.6	803.4	831.5	853.6	835.9	796.6	754.8
Farmers	302.8	366.1	331.8	338.0	367.6	356.7	309.1
Industry							
Chemical and rubber products	62.3	61.9	74.4	68.2	67.6	66.7	74.1
Electric apparatus and supplies	32.2	47.7	60.3	72.5	77.1	62.9	58.9
Food, beverages and tobacco	169.9	195.3	182.0	171.4	182.4	210.5	194.9
Forest products	138.4	140.7	175.1	188.2	195.6	197.5	237.4
Furniture	18.8	19.2	22.5	22.9	22.3	22.7	22.5
Iron and steel products	100.5	99.2	140.4	168.4	157.0	152.8	197.0
Mining and mine products	67.7	63.4	67.2	79.6	101.2	103.4	121.5
Petroleum and products	79.8	97.5	123.0	139.1	134.0	144.7	136.5
Textiles, leather and clothing	152.4	143.8	174.0	176.5	185.8	157.6	171.0
Transportation equipment	48.8	49.3	54.4	54.1	42.9	48.4	60.9
Other products	54.7	58.0	63.2	68.0	70.1	60.0	63.3
Total Industry	925.5	976.1	1,136.5	1,208.9	1,236.1	1,227.3	1,338 0
Merchandisers	570.5	635.3	703.6	739.1	721.0	647.4	687.6
Instalment and other finance companies [5]	207.3	345.0	324.9	399.0	377.7	443.2	397.5
Trust, mortgage, investment and insurance companies and other financial institutions	79.8	96.2	118.2	169.7	135.8	120.0	121.1
Construction contractors	195.7	278.3	299.1	341.8	343.8	312.8	299.2
Public utilities, transportation and communications	71.2	140.5	125.9	113.8	137.7	152.2	178.2
Other business	222.3	267.9	287.5	293.5	284.4	285.7	277.7
Religious, educational, health and welfare institutions	61.5	71.7	76.2	78.8	82.5	90.3	82.9
Total General Loans	**3,258.2**	**3,980.5**	**4,235.2**	**4,536.2**	**4,522.5**	**4,432.2**	**4,446.2**
Other Loans [2]							
Provincial governments [6]	7.1	82.9	5.7	27.1	81.0	95.0	40.0
Municipal governments and school districts [6]	156.7	123.9	200.3	157.3	166.7	176.6	249.9
Stockbrokers [7]	62.9	111.9	109.2	121.2	109.6	89.7	85.3
Investment dealers [1,7]	65.7	67.4	53.3	57.3	38.3	62.1	64.5
Loans to finance the purchase of Canada Savings Bonds	98.3	162.7	113.6	60.0	21.8	169.4	114.9
Grain dealers and exporters	354.0	361.3	353.5	339.7	341.3	372.9	390.6
Total Other Loans	**744.7**	**910.1**	**835.6**	**762.6**	**758.7**	**965.7**	**945.3**
TOTAL LOANS IN CANADA [1,2]	**4,002.9**	**4,890.6**	**5,070.8**	**5,298.9**	**5,281.3**	**5,398.1**	**5,391.5 [8]**

1. Excludes day-to-day loans.
2. Figures include non-current loans and are net of provision for estimated loss.
3. Excludes loans to finance the purchase of Canada Savings Bonds.
4. Loans under Part IV of the National Housing Act, 1954.
5. Includes small loan companies.
6. Securities purchased direct from issuer with a term of less than one year at time of issue are included in loans.
7. The division of call and short loans between stockbrokers and investment dealers is estimated by Bank of Canada Research Department.
8. Figures for end-March 1957 are not strictly comparable with those for end-1956 and earlier dates owing to the reallocation of inner reserves consequent upon the securities valuation change referred to in footnote 4 on page 107.

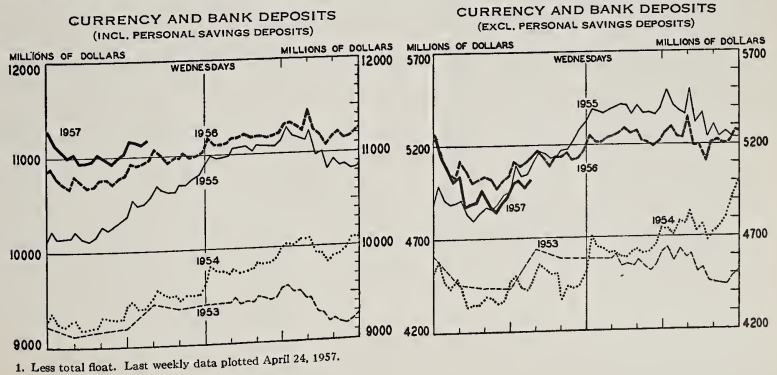
CANADIAN DOLLAR CURRENCY AND BANK DEPOSITS HELD BY THE GENERAL PUBLIC

Millions of Dollars — *Bank of Canada*

	Currency Outside Banks			Chartered Bank Deposits			Total Currency and Chartered Bank Deposits [1]	
	Notes	Coin	Total	Personal Savings Deposits	Other Deposits [1]	Total [1]	Excluding Personal Savings Deposits	Including Personal Savings Deposits
As at Dec. 31								
1952	1,289	88	1,377	4,600	3,281	7,881	4,658	9,258
1953	1,335	94	1,429	4,756	3,129	7,885	4,558	9,314
1954	1,362	96	1,458	5,218	3,462	8,680	4,920	10,137
1955	1,449	101	1,550	5,633	3,697	9,330	5,248	10,881
1956	1,498	108	1,605	6,007	3,580	9,587	5,185	11,192
End of								
1955—July	1,413	98	1,511	5,630	3,886	9,516	5,397	11,027
Aug.	1,374	97	1,471	5,696	3,931	9,627	5,402	11,098
Sept.	1,436	99	1,535	5,757	3,853	9,610	5,388	11,145
Oct.	1,397	100	1,497	5,839	3,929	9,768	5,426	11,265
Nov.	1,395	100	1,495	5,615	3,815	9,430	5,310	10,925
Dec.	1,449	101	1,550	5,633	3,697	9,330	5,248	10,881
1956—Jan.	1,358	98	1,457	5,676	3,593	9,269	5,049	10,726
Feb.	1,375	99	1,474	5,721	3,557	9,278	5,031	10,753
Mar.	1,458	102	1,561	5,791	3,501	9,292	5,062	10,853
Apr.	1,415	102	1,517	5,919	3,596	9,514	5,113	11,031
May	1,425	102	1,527	5,844	3,600	9,444	5,127	10,972
June	1,500	104	1,604	5,881	3,646	9,527	5,250	11,131
July	1,458	103	1,561	5,923	3,668	9,591	5,229	11,152
Aug.	1,515	106	1,621	5,941	3,745	9,686	5,366	11,306
Sept.	1,514	106	1,620	6,020	3,656	9,676	5,276	11,295
Oct.	1,472	106	1,578	6,098	3,764	9,862	5,342	11,440
Nov.	1,543	108	1,651	5,974	3,607	9,582	5,258	11,233
Dec.	1,498	108	1,605	6,007	3,580	9,587	5,185	11,192
1957—Jan.	1,445	104	1,549	6,039	3,470	9,509	5,019	11,058
Feb.	1,457	105	1,562	6,090	3,329	9,419	4,892	10,982
Mar.	1,500	107	1,607	6,153	3,328	9,481	4,935	11,088

1. Less total float, i.e. cheques and other items in transit (net). Excludes Government of Canada deposits.

CURRENCY AND CHARTERED BANK DEPOSITS[1] HELD BY THE GENERAL PUBLIC



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CLASSIFICATION OF GOVERNMENT OF CANADA DIRECT AND GUARANTEED SECURITIES

Millions of Dollars, Par Value — *Bank of Canada*

	Direct Funded Debt Outstanding							Guaranteed Funded Debt	Total Outstanding
	Treasury Bills	Treasury Notes	Deposit Certificates	Other Unmatured Market Issues	Matured and Outstanding Market Issues	Non-market Issues 1	Total		2
As at Dec. 31									
1952	450	750	200	11,995	19	1,250	14,664	522	**15,186**
1953	650	750	–	12,066	19	1,632	15,117	520	**15,637**
1954	780	750	–	10,854	74	2,090	14,547	918	**15,465**
1955	1,225	500	–	10,952	30	2,433	15,140	860	**16,000**
1956	1,575	–	–	10,298	27	2,541	14,441	793	**15,234**
End of									
1956—Jan.	1,300	500	–	10,903	34	2,420	15,157	860	**16,017**
Feb.	1,430	500	–	10,903	32	2,405	15,270	793	**16,063**
Mar.	1,600	500	–	10,903	30	2,387	15,420	793	**16,213**
Apr.	1,650	500	–	10,903	30	2,363	15,446	793	**16,239**
May	1,690	–	–	10,903	28	2,327	14,948	793	**15,741**
June	1,690	–	–	10,848	35	2,293	14,866	793	**15,659**
July	1,700	–	–	10,448	34	2,264	14,446	793	**15,238**
Aug.	1,710	–	–	10,448	30	2,237	14,425	793	**15,218**
Sept.	1,730	–	–	10,448	29	2,210	14,417	793	**15,210**
Oct.	1,720	–	–	10,448	28	2,199	14,395	793	**15,188**
Nov.	1,625	–	–	10,448	26	2,593	14,692	793	**15,485**
Dec.	1,575	–	–	10,298	27	2,541	14,441	793	**15,234**
1957—Jan.	1,565	–	–	10,298	23	2,508	14,394	793	**15,187**
Feb.	1,605	–	–	10,298	21	2,475	14,399	793	**15,192**
Mar.	1,625	–	–	10,298	20	2,436	14,379	793	**15,172**

For footnotes see table below.

DISTRIBUTION OF GOVERNMENT OF CANADA DIRECT AND GUARANTEED SECURITIES

Millions of Dollars, Par Value — *Bank of Canada*

	Bank of Canada	Chartered Banks 3	Government of Canada Accounts			General Public			Total Outstanding
			Securities Investment Account 4	Unemployment Insurance Fund	Other	Market Issues 3	Non-market Issues 1	Total 3	2
As at Dec. 31									
1952	2,271	2,905	47	859	195	7,659	1,250	8,909	**15,186**
1953	2,322	2,862	119	919	276	7,507	1,632	9,139	**15,637**
1954	2,267	3,375	–	892	312	6,529	2,090	8,619	**15,465**
1955	2,416	3,132	200	884	407	6,528	2,433	8,961	**16,000**
1956	2,426	2,534	160	924	434	6,215	2,541	8,756	**15,234**
End of									
1956—Jan.	2,276	3,067	345	884	400	6,625	2,420	9,045	**16,017**
Feb.	2,246	3,027	475	867	410	6,633	2,405	9,038	**16,063**
Mar.	2,290	2,978	695	853	401	6,609	2,387	8,996	**16,213**
Apr.	2,346	2,872	810	838	413	6,597	2,363	8,960	**16,239**
May	2,299	2,815	350	841	415	6,694	2,327	9,021	**15,741**
June	2,374	2,797	341	850	415	6,589	2,293	8,882	**15,659**
July	2,387	2,717	80	862	414	6,514	2,264	8,778	**15,238**
Aug.	2,428	2,750	105	880	418	6,400	2,237	8,637	**15,218**
Sept.	2,453	2,732	105	895	422	6,393	2,210	8,603	**15,210**
Oct.	2,454	2,675	165	909	421	6,365	2,199	8,564	**15,188**
Nov.	2,478	2,624	190	919	430	6,251	2,593	8,844	**15,485**
Dec.	2,426	2,534	160	924	434	6,215	2,541	8,756	**15,234**
1957—Jan.	2,302	2,538	182	917	437	6,303	2,508	8,811	**15,187**
Feb.	2,249	2,580	182	899	442	6,365	2,475	8,840	**15,192**
Mar.	2,288	2,573	182	878	429	6,386	2,436	8,822	**15,172**

1. Refundable Tax, War Savings Certificates and Canada Savings Bonds, and since May 1, 1954, Canada Savings Bonds only.
2. Foreign pay issues are converted at the rate of £1 = $2.80 U.S. = $2.80 Cdn. Excludes sinking fund and government account "N" holdings of Newfoundland sterling securities guaranteed by the Government of Canada. For details by issue at March 31, 1957, see table on page 74.
3. Chartered bank holdings are shown at estimated par value; the figures for general public holdings are residuals obtained by deducting all other holdings from the total outstanding.
4. Market issues only, i.e., excludes holdings of Canada Savings Bonds being purchased on the payroll plan by Government employees, which are included under general public holdings of non-market issues.

GOVERNMENT OF CANADA THEORETICAL BOND YIELDS[1]

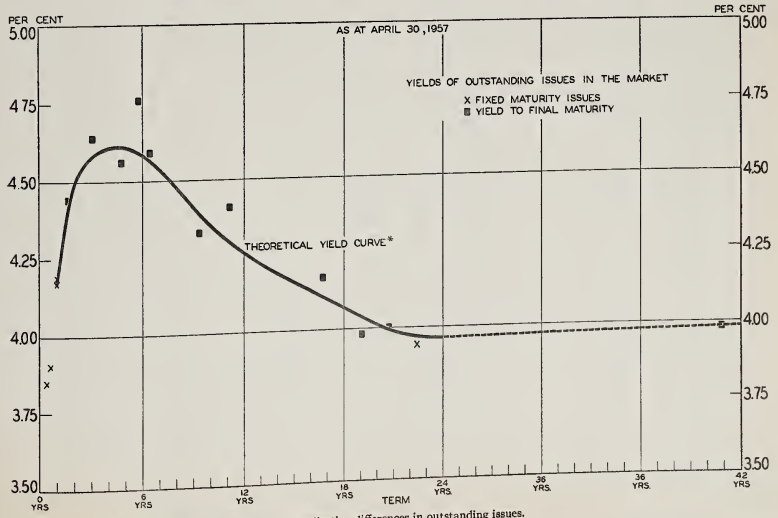
Percent per Annum — *Bank of Canada*

	1 Year	2 Years	3 Years	5 Years	10 Years	15 Years	20 Years	25 Years
1956—Jan. 13	3.02	3.25	3.35	3.41	3.32	3.35	3.39	3.42
31	2.73	2.97	3.09	3.19	3.24	3.27	3.31	3.35
Feb. 15	2.70	2.90	3.05	3.20	3.26	3.28	3.29	3.31
29	2.72	2.94	3.07	3.21	3.25	3.27	3.29	3.31
Mar. 15	2.82	3.05	3.16	3.29	3.28	3.31	3.34	3.38
Apr. 3	2.82	3.07	3.22	3.39	3.35	3.38	3.40	3.43
13	3.17	3.38	3.49	3.58	3.49	3.50	3.51	3.52
30	3.40	3.56	3.64	3.67	3.58	3.59	3.61	3.62
May 15	3.34	3.51	3.61	3.65	3.54	3.56	3.58	3.60
31	2.98	3.35	3.56	3.66	3.51	3.52	3.52	3.53
June 15	2.98	3.32	3.49	3.54	3.43	3.42	3.41	3.41
29	2.70	3.12	3.33	3.46	3.39	3.38	3.39	3.40
July 13	2.97	3.30	3.43	3.56	3.48	3.46	3.45	3.44
31	3.20	3.44	3.56	3.68	3.58	3.59	3.60	3.61
Aug. 15	3.69	3.93	3.97	3.95	3.78	3.76	3.75	3.74
31	3.57	3.86	3.89	3.88	3.78	3.77	3.76	3.76
Sept. 15	3.87	3.94	3.96	3.91	3.79	3.78	3.78	3.78
29	3.80	3.95	4.01	4.05	3.87	3.88	3.88	3.88
Oct. 15	3.82	3.97	4.03	4.05	3.86	3.85	3.84	3.84
31	4.03	4.12	4.17	4.19	3.94	3.90	3.87	3.85
Nov. 15	4.11	4.24	4.35	4.41	4.02	3.93	3.90	3.89
30	4.32	4.46	4.50	4.51	4.13	3.98	3.93	3.92
Dec. 14	4.32	4.48	4.51	4.51	4.08	3.97	3.95	3.94
31	4.41	4.56	4.60	4.60	4.10	4.01	4.00	3.99
1957—Jan. 15	4.62	4.84	4.84	4.67	4.23	4.13	4.10	4.08
31	4.74	4.80	4.81	4.79	4.28	4.18	4.16	4.13
Feb. 15	4.43	4.49	4.52	4.54	4.05	4.03	4.02	4.01
28	4.08	4.26	4.38	4.45	4.03	4.00	3.98	3.97
Mar. 15	4.07	4.21	4.29	4.35	4.05	4.01	3.97	3.95
29	4.18	4.29	4.37	4.41	4.13	4.06	3.99	3.95
Apr. 15	4.14	4.34	4.43	4.49	4.20	4.10	4.00	3.94
30	4.18	4.49	4.58	4.61	4.35	4.16	4.01	3.96

1. Obtained as indicated by chart below.

NOTE: For data back to 1952 see pages 38–39 in the "Financial Supplement 1955".

GOVERNMENT OF CANADA THEORETICAL BOND YIELDS



* Free-hand curve which takes into account certain qualitative differences in outstanding issues.

MONEY MARKET STATISTICS
WEEKLY SERIES
Bank of Canada

	Bank of Canada [1]			Chartered Banks					Treasury Bills [2]								Distribution of Govt. of Canada Direct and Gtd. Securities [2] (Including Treasury Bills)								
	Outstanding Advances to Chartered and Savings Banks	Can. Govt. Securities Held Under Purchase & Resale Agreements		Cash Ratio Statutory Basis		Day-to-Day Loans			Distribution				Weekly Tender on Thurs. following Wed. date shown				Total	Bank of Canada	Chartered Banks [3]	Government Accounts	General Public				
		At Date	Maximum During Week	At Date	Average: Month to Date	Closing Rate	Wkly Av. of Daily Closing Rates	Amount Outstanding	Total	Bank of Canada	Chartered Banks	Other	Average Yield		Amount Sold						Canada Savings Bonds	Matured & Outstanding Market Issues	Other Unmatured	Total	
													3 Month Bills	9 Month Bills	3 Month Bills	9 Month Bills									
	Millions of Dollars			*Percent*				*mm. of $*	*Par Value in Millions of Dollars*				*Percent*		*Millions of Dollars*		*Par Value in Millions of Dollars*								
Wednesdays																									**Wednesdays**
1955—Mar. 30	–	–	–	8.6	8.6	¾	.85	70	890	166	437	287	1.09	1.29	35	15	15,437	2,185	3,641	1,235	2,032	54	6,290	8,376	30 Mar.—1955
Apr. 27	–	–	–	8.7	8.4	¾	.98	69	930	236	368	326	1.25	1.52	40	15	15,453	2,256	3,605	1,218	2,012	50	6,312	8,374	27 Apr.
May 25	–	–	–	8.1	8.4	1	.94	117	970	196	424	350	1.30	1.61	40	15	15,440	2,204	3,690	1,199	1,988	46	6,313	8,347	25 May
June 29	–	–	4	8.4	8.3	1 ⅛	1.20	104	1,020	275	375	370	1.44	1.71	40	15	15,410	2,298	3,667	1,207	1,961	41	6,236	8,238	29 June
July 27	–	–	–	8.1	8.4	1 ⅛	1.08	109	1,050	282	407	361	1.43	1.72	40	15	15,519	2,301	3,741	1,247	1,942	40	6,248	8,230	27 July
Aug. 31	–	–	8	8.1	8.3	1 ½	1.53	90	1,075	242	419	414	1.70	1.95	40	15	15,519	2,314	3,735	1,279	1,921	37	6,233	8,191	31 Aug.
Sept. 28	–	–	–	8.4	8.2	1 ⅝	1.80	41	1,095	251	364	480	1.83	2.10	40	15	15,520	2,357	3,611	1,360	1,902	35	6,255	8,192	28 Sept.
Oct. 26	16	4	12	8.4	8.3	2 ⅛	2.13	53	1,145	303	317	525	2.20	–	60	–	15,582	2,347	3,498	1,434	1,917	33	6,353	8,303	26 Oct.
Nov. 30	4	–	2	8.4	8.3	2 ¼	2.25	54	1,170	303	328	539	2.58	–	60	–	15,974	2,422	3,323	1,334	2,461	31	6,403	8,895	30 Nov.
Dec. 28	–	–	–	8.2	8.2	2 ⅜	2.38	56	1,205	264	416	525	2.56	–	75	–	15,982	2,423	3,108	1,492	2,435	30	6,494	8,959	28 Dec.
1956—Jan. 25	–	–	–	8.3	8.4	2 ¼	2.33	54	1,275	234	480	561	2.53	–	100	–	15,989	2,303	3,038	1,604	2,415	35	6,595†	9,044	25 Jan.—1956
Feb. 29	–	6	6	8.1	8.2	2 ½	2.50	82	1,430	341	564	525	2.56	–	115	–	16,063	2,246	3,027†	1,752	2,405	32	6,601†	9,038†	29 Feb.
Mar. 28	–	–	3	7.9	8.2	2 ⅝	2.58	62	1,575	444	573	558	2.64	–	115	–	16,188	2,296	2,957	1,935	2,387	30	6,583	9,000	28 Mar.
Apr. 25	10	–	–	8.3	8.2	2 ⅝	2.68	13	1,640	336	727	577	2.89	–	125	–	16,229	2,329	2,856	2,067	2,363	30	6,584	8,976†	25 Apr.
May 30	26	–	–	8.2	8.2	2 ¾	2.73	63	1,690	394	759	537	2.72	–	130	–	15,737	2,302	2,802	1,604	2,323	28	6,678	9,029	30 May
June 27	5	–	–	8.3	8.3	2 ⅜	2.48	62	1,690	465	795	430	2.52	–	130	–	15,658	2,392	2,795	1,606	2,293	35	6,538†	8,865	27 June
July 25	12	–	–	8.1	8.3	2 ⅝	2.63	81	1,695	467	735	493	2.65	–	130	–	15,236	2,398	2,699†	1,352	2,266	35	6,487†	8,787†	25 July
Aug. 29	–	–	–	8.2	8.4	2 ¼	2.40	32	1,705	494	835	376	2.90	–	135	–	15,214	2,422	2,762†	1,403	2,237	31	6,360†	8,627†	29 Aug.
Sept. 26	–	–	–	8.2	8.3	2 ¾	2.88	95	1,725	521	806	398	3.16	–	135	–	15,205	2,441	2,739	1,424	2,210	29	6,362	8,601	26 Sept.
Oct. 31	–	–	26	8.6	8.3	2 ¾	2.90	85	1,720	560	794	366	3.34	–	115	–	15,187†	2,454	2,675	1,496	2,199	28	6,336	8,562†	31 Oct.
Nov. 28	50	–	–	8.5	8.2	2 ⅞	3.03	97	1,645	532	741	372	3.52	–	115	–	15,494	2,451	2,610	1,540	2,582	26	6,285	8,893	28 Nov.
Dec. 26	10	–	–	8.2	8.3	3 ¼	3.25	75	1,585	519	752	314	3.67	–	125	–	15,233†	2,506	2,530	1,447	2,530	28	6,193	8,750†	26 Dec.
1957—Jan. 30	–	–	–	8.2	8.2	3	3.00	86	1,565	418	807	340	3.70	–	125	–	15,178	2,312	2,530	1,536	2,500	23†	6,278†	8,800	30 Jan.—1957
Feb. 27	–	–	12	8.4	8.2	3 ½	3.55	112	1,605	437	811	357	3.76	–	125	–	15,187	2,254	2,570	1,520	2,470	21	6,352	8,844	27 Feb.
Mar. 27	10	–	14	8.2	8.2	3 ⅝	3.70	152	1,625	482	805	338	3.70	–	125	–	15,169	2,280	2,554	1,501	2,433	20	6,380	8,833	27 Mar.
Apr. 24	21	–	5	8.4	8.1	3 ¾	3.71	96	1,625	503	769	353	3.75	–	125	–	15,131	2,353	2,506	1,477	2,396	20	6,380	8,796	24 Apr.
Weekly																									**Weekly**
1956—Nov. 7	–	–	–	8.2	8.4	2 ¾	2.75	70	1,705	552	793	361†	3.33	–	115	–	15,299	2,426	2,672	1,526	2,326	27	6,321†	8,675	7 Nov.—1956
14	25	–	2	8.0	8.2	2 ¾	2.73	69	1,685	532	798	355	3.32	–	115	–	15,344	2,412	2,669	1,529	2,391	27	6,315†	8,734	14
21	10	15	20	8.2	8.2	3 ¼	3.05	80	1,665	544	764	357	3.44	–	115	–	15,532	2,444	2,623	1,536	2,599	27	6,303	8,929	21
28	50	–	–	8.5	8.2	2 ⅞	3.03	97	1,645	532	741	372	3.52	–	115	–	15,494	2,451	2,610	1,540	2,582	26	6,285	8,893	28
Dec. 5	–	–	–	8.1	8.3	2 ¾	2.80	51	1,625	539	756	330	3.53	–	115	–	15,474	2,466	2,609	1,539	2,583	26	6,251	8,860	5 Dec.
12	–	1	1	8.2	8.2	3 ½	3.15	63	1,605	546	753	306	3.59	–	125	–	15,427	2,492	2,571	1,540	2,556	26	6,242	8,824	12
19	45	–	–	8.6	8.3	3 ½	3.50	92	1,595	511	740	343†	3.64	–	125	–	15,263	2,489	2,519	1,446	2,541	36	6,231†	8,809	19
26	10	–	–	8.2	8.3	3 ¼	3.25	75	1,585	519	752	314	3.67	–	125	–	15,233†	2,506	2,530	1,447	2,530	28	6,193	8,751	26
1957—Jan. 2	–	–	–	8.1	8.1	3	3.25	69	1,575	495	756	324	3.65	–	125	–	15,233	2,410	2,529	1,518	2,540	27	6,209	8,777	2 Jan.—1957
9	30	6	10	8.3	8.1	3 ⅜	3.35	68	1,565	486	756	323	3.71	–	125	–	15,210	2,374	2,508	1,542	2,528	26	6,232	8,786	9
16	–	–	1	8.2	8.2	3 ¼	3.40	76	1,565	486	765	314	3.72	–	125	–	15,196	2,379	2,502	1,543	2,516	25	6,232†	8,773	16
23	–	–	–	8.3	8.2	3	3.35	101	1,565	456	765	344	3.72	–	125	–	15,186	2,350	2,493	1,541	2,506	24	6,273†	8,803	23
30	–	–	–	8.2	8.2	3	3.00	86	1,565	418	807	340	3.70	–	125	–	15,178	2,312	2,530	1,536	2,500	23	6,278†	8,800	30
Feb. 6	–	–	4	8.3	8.4	3 ¼	3.25	110	1,575	385	821	369	3.72	–	125	–	15,188	2,272	2,544	1,531	2,500	22	6,319	8,841	6 Feb.
13	–	8	8	8.2	8.2	3 ⅜	3.40	115	1,585	393	817	375	3.75	–	125	–	15,184	2,261	2,559	1,531	2,487	22	6,324	8,832	13
20	–	20	22	8.1	8.2	3 ¾	3.70	117	1,595	403	815	377	3.81	–	125	–	15,186	2,233	2,572	1,530	2,479	21	6,350	8,850	20
27	–	–	12	8.4	8.2	3 ½	3.55	112	1,605	437	811	357	3.76	–	125	–	15,187	2,254	2,570	1,520	2,470	21	6,352	8,844	27
Mar. 6	–	1	10	8.1	8.0	3 ¾	3.50	86	1,615	474	832	309	3.72	–	125	–	15,192	2,253	2,598	1,516	2,466	21	6,339	8,826	6 Mar.
13	11	–	17	8.2	8.1	3 ¾	3.75	117	1,625	490	825	311	3.73	–	125	–	15,187	2,279	2,592	1,510	2,451	21	6,335	8,807	12
20	–	–	–	8.2	8.1	3 ½	3.65	109	1,625	501	816	308	3.69	–	125	–	15,177	2,292	2,581	1,508	2,441	21†	6,336	8,797	20
27	10	–	14	8.2	8.2	3 ⅝	3.70	152	1,625	482	805	338	3.70	–	125	–	15,169	2,280	2,554	1,501	2,433	20	6,380	8,833	27
Apr. 3	30	–	–	8.3	8.1	3 ⅝	3.55	93	1,625	467	822	336	3.69	–	125	–	15,165	2,277	2,577	1,490	2,430	20	6,372	8,822	3 Apr.
10	–	4	49	8.2	8.1	3 ¾	3.73	95	1,625	468	809	348	3.71	–	125	–	15,148	2,295	2,542	1,485	2,413	20	6,394	8,827	10
17	–	28	28	8.1	8.1	3 ¾	3.75	76	1,625	490	781	355	3.73	–	125	–	15,138	2,344	2,516	1,481	2,402	20	6,376	8,798	17
24	21	–	5	8.4	8.1	3 ¾	3.71	96	1,625	503	769	353	3.75	–	125	–	15,131	2,353	2,506	1,477	2,396	20	6,380	8,796	24

1. Bank Rate, the minimum rate at which the Bank of Canada will make temporary loans or advances, stood at 2% from October 1950 to February 14, 1955 when it was reduced to 1¾%. The rate was raised to 2% on August 5, 1955, to 2¼% on October 12, 1955, to 2¾% on November 18, 1955, to 3% on April 4, 1956, to 3¼% on August 9, 1956, and to 3½% on October 17, 1956. Since November 1, 1956, Bank Rate has been ¼ of 1% above the latest weekly average tender rate for 91-day Treasury Bills.
2. This table has been revised to show all holdings of Government of Canada direct and guaranteed securities at par value, and for this reason the figures for Bank of Canada and chartered bank holdings differ from those appearing on pages 105, 107 and 109. Foreign-pay issues are valued at uniform exchange rates of £1 = $2.80 U.S. = $2.80 Cdn.
3. Estimated par value. † Revised.

TREASURY BILL RATES, GOVERNMENT BOND PRICES[1] AND MARKET YIELDS[2]

SELECTED ISSUES[3]

CANADA, UNITED STATES, UNITED KINGDOM

Bank of Canada

	Weighted Average of Tender Rates on 3 Month Treasury Bills[4]			Canada								United States						United Kingdom				
				3% Sept. 1/61–66		2¾% June 15/67–68		3¾% Jan. 15/75–78		3¼% Oct. 1/79		2½% Dec. 15/63–68		2½% Dec. 15/67–72		3¼% June 15/78–83		3% Apr. 15/59–69		3% Aug. 15/65–75		
	Canada	U.S.	U.K.	Price	Yield	Price	Yield	Price	Yield	Price	Yield	Price	Yield	Price	Yield	Price	Yield	Price	Yield	Price	Yield	
Wednesdays				*Cdn. $*		*Cdn. $*		*Cdn. $*		*Cdn. $*		*U.S. $*		*U.S. $*		*U.S. $*		£		£		**Wednesdays**
1955—Apr. 27	1.25	1.70	3.90	101 3/4	2.70	98 3/4	2.86	107 3/4	3.22	101 3/8	3.17	96 27/32	2.78	96 5/16	2.77	106 9/16	2.86	89 25/32	3.96	85 25/32	4.03	27 Apr.—1955
May 25	1.30	1.47	3.92	101 5/8	2.72	98 1/2	2.89	108	3.20	101 3/8	3.17	97 9/32	2.74	96 5/8	2.74	106 3/4	2.85	86 11/16	4.28	83 13/16	4.19	25 May
June 29	1.44	1.40	3.97	102	2.65	98 1/2	2.89	108	3.20	101 1/2	3.16	96 3/32	2.84	95 3/4	2.81	106	2.89	85 5/8	4.40	82 17/32	4.30	29 June
July 27	1.43	1.72	3.97	101 1/2	2.73	97 7/8	2.95	107 1/2	3.23	100 7/8	3.20	95 7/32	2.93	94 9/32	2.94	104 7/8	2.96	83 13/32	4.65	80 5/32	4.51	27 July
Aug. 31	1.70	2.09	4.07	99 3/4	3.03	96 3/4	3.06	105 3/4	3.34	99 3/4	3.27	95 7/16	2.92	94 19/32	2.90	104 1/4	2.99	79 1/4	5.14	76 1/2	4.85	31 Aug.
Sept. 28	1.83	2.12	4.07	99 1/2	3.08	96 3/8	3.10	105 1/2	3.36	99 5/8	3.27	96	2.86	95 9/32	2.85	104 3/4	2.96	81 3/4	4.85	78	4.71	28 Sept.
Oct. 26	2.20	2.23	4.07	99 1/4	3.08	95 3/4	3.16	105 1/2	3.36	99 5/8	3.27	96 7/8	2.78	95 27/32	2.81	105 3/4	2.90	84 1/32	4.60	80 21/32	4.48	26 Oct.
Nov. 30	2.58	2.45	4.07	97 1/2	3.28	94 3/8	3.30	105	3.39	97 3/4	3.39	96 3/8	2.83	94 27/32	2.89	105 1/4	2.93	82 15/16	4.74	79	4.64	30 Nov.
Dec. 28	2.56	2.69	4.07	97 1/4	3.31	93 1/2	3.39	103 3/4	3.48	97 3/8	3.41	95 3/4	2.89	94 13/16	2.89	105 1/32	2.94	82 1/32	4.85	78 3/8	4.69	28 Dec.
1956—Jan. 25	2.53	2.25	4.07	98	3.22	94 1/2	3.29	104 1/2	3.43	98 3/8	3.35	96 7/32	2.83	95 3/4	2.82	105 3/4	2.90	80 13/32	5.04	77	4.83	25 Jan.—1956
Feb. 29	2.56	2.41	5.20	98	3.23	95	3.25	105 1/4	3.37	99 1/8	3.30	96 15/32	2.83	95 31/32	2.83	105 11/16	2.90	80 3/8	5.06	76 7/8	4.85	29 Feb.
Mar. 28	2.64	2.17	5.17	97 7/8	3.33	93 1/2	3.40	103 1/2	3.49	97 3/8	3.41	94 23/32	3.00	93 15/16	2.96	104 3/32	3.00	79 3/32	5.23	75 3/32	5.03	28 Mar.
Apr. 25	2.89	2.79	5.01	94 3/4	3.61	92 1/2	3.51	100 3/4	3.69	94 1/2	3.60	93 23/32	3.10	92 25/32	3.06	102 1/8	3.12	80 13/32	5.08	75 13/16	4.96	25 Apr.
May 30	2.72	2.57	5.01	95 5/8	3.51	92 5/8	3.51	102	3.60	95 7/8	3.51	95 13/16	2.90	95 1/4	2.86	104 5/16	2.98	79	5.27	74 3/4	5.07	30 May
June 27	2.52	2.54	5.14	96 3/8	3.42	93 5/8	3.40	103 3/4	3.47	98	3.37	95 7/8	2.96	94 9/16	2.92	104 1/4	2.99	77 19/32	5.45	73 5/32	5.24	27 June
July 25	2.65	2.30	4.98	95 3/8	3.55	92 1/2	3.53	101 1/2	3.64	95 1/8	3.55	93 31/32	3.09	93 9/32	3.03	102 1/16	3.12	77 27/32	5.43	72 1/16	5.36	25 July
Aug. 29	2.90	2.83	5.02	93 7/8	3.74	90	3.81	99 1/2	3.78	93 1/8	3.69	91 15/16	3.35	90 15/16	3.22	100 3/32	3.25	79 1/4	5.28	74 1/4	5.14	29 Aug.
Sept. 26	3.16	2.99	5.09	92 7/8	3.87	89 1/2	3.88	98	3.89	91 1/3	3.81	92 5/16	3.27	91 13/16	3.15	100 1/8	3.24	77 13/32	5.51	72 5/32	5.37	26 Sept.
Oct. 31	3.34	2.89	5.00	92 1/4	3.96	89	3.94	98	3.89	91 1/4	3.84	91 11/16	3.34	90 23/32	3.24	99 3/16	3.30	78 3/4	5.37	72 3/8	5.35	31 Oct.
Nov. 28	3.52	3.17	5.02	91 1/8	4.11	88 3/4	3.97	97	3.96	90 3/4	3.86	90 3/32	3.42	89 19/32	3.34	98 1/4	3.35	77 3/4	5.49	71 1/4	5.47	28 Nov.
Dec. 26	3.67	3.22	4.86	90 7/8	4.16	88 3/4	3.98	96 3/4	3.98	90 1/4	3.90	90 15/32	3.48	88 9/16	3.44	97 1/2	3.39	78 13/32	5.43	72 13/32	5.36	26 Dec.
1957—Jan. 30	3.70	3.28	4.54	89 1/2	4.35	86 3/4	4.23	95	4.11	87	4.14	92 9/16	3.26	91 9/16	3.18	99 1/4	3.29	83	4.86	77 5/8	4.84	30 Jan.—1957
Feb. 27	3.76	3.29	4.00	91 5/8	4.07	88 1/2	4.02	96 1/4	4.02	89 1/2	3.96	91 13/32	3.34	90 9/16	3.27	99 9/16	3.29	82 5/8	4.91	76 31/32	4.91	27 Feb.
Mar. 27	3.70	3.03	4.11	91 1/4	4.13	87 1/2	4.15	96 1/4	4.02	90	3.92	92 9/16	3.27	91 1/2	3.19	99 1/8	3.30	81 19/32	5.05	75 17/32	5.06	27 Mar.
Apr. 24	3.75	3.05	3.91	89 5/8	4.36	86	4.35	96 1/4	4.02	89 1/2	3.96	91 1/16	3.44	89 7/8	3.33	97 7/16	3.41	81 1/4	5.11	75	5.12	24 Apr.
Weekly																						**Weekly**
1956—Nov. 7	3.33	2.91	5.00	92 1/8	3.97	89 1/8	3.92	98 3/8	3.86	91 1/2	3.81	91 11/32	3.38	90 3/8	3.27	98 7/8	3.31	78 15/16	5.34	72 9/16	5.33	7 Nov.
14	3.32	2.98	5.00	91 5/8	4.05	89	3.94	97 1/2	3.92	91	3.85	91 11/16	3.34	90 23/32	3.25	99 1/8	3.30	78	5.46	72	5.39	14
21	3.44	3.04	5.01	91	4.13	88 3/4	3.97	97 1/4	3.94	91	3.85	91 7/16	3.37	90 5/16	3.28	99	3.31	77 15/16	5.47	71 9/16	5.44	21
28	3.52	3.17	5.02	91 1/8	4.11	88 3/4	3.97	97	3.96	90 3/4	3.86	90 21/32	3.42	89 19/32	3.34	98 7/8	3.35	77 3/4	5.49	71 1/4	5.47	28
Dec. 5	3.53	3.10	5.04	90 1/2	4.20	88 1/2	4.01	96 1/2	4.00	90 1/2	3.88	91 7/32	3.40	89 21/32	3.34	98 5/16	3.35	77 19/32	5.53	71 11/32	5.47	5 Dec.
12	3.59	3.27	4.96	91	4.13	88 1/2	4.01	96 1/2	4.00	90 1/2	3.88	91 9/32	3.39	89 17/32	3.35	98 7/16	3.34	77 29/32	5.49	71 25/32	5.42	12
19	3.64	3.33	4.91	90 7/8	4.16	88 3/4	3.98	96 3/4	3.98	90 1/2	3.88	90 3/8	3.49	88 15/32	3.45	97 5/8	3.39	77 29/32	5.49	71 25/32	5.41	19
26	3.67	3.22	4.86	90 5/8	4.16	88 3/4	3.98	96 3/4	3.98	90 1/4	3.90	90 15/32	3.48	88 9/16	3.44	97 1/2	3.39	78 13/32	5.43	72 13/32	5.36	26
1957—Jan. 2	3.65	3.26	4.79	90 7/8	4.16	88 1/4	4.05	95 1/2	4.07	88 1/4	4.04	89 19/32	3.58	87 3/4	3.51	96 31/32	3.46	79 11/32	5.31	73 15/32	5.25	2 Jan.—1957
9	3.71	3.20	4.77	90	4.27	87 3/4	4.11	95	4.11	87 3/4	4.08	89 7/8	3.55	88 3/8	3.46	96 9/16	3.45	79 25/32	5.25	74 11/16	5.13	9
16	3.72	3.22	4.66	90	4.27	87 3/4	4.11	95 1/4	4.09	87 1/2	4.10	91 7/16	3.38	90 1/4	3.29	97 13/16	3.38	80 3/4	5.14	75 5/8	5.03	16
23	3.72	3.09	4.55	89 5/8	4.33	87 1/4	4.16	94 3/4	4.13	86 3/4	4.16	92 3/8	3.28	91 5/8	3.17	99 1/8	3.30	82 3/16	4.96	76 5/16	4.90	23
30	3.70	3.28	4.54	89 1/2	4.35	86 3/4	4.23	95	4.11	87	4.14	92 9/16	3.26	91 9/16	3.18	99 1/4	3.29	83	4.86	77 7/8	4.84	30
Feb. 6	3.72	3.13	4.23	89 1/4	4.39	86 3/4	4.23	94 3/4	4.13	86 3/4	4.16	93 1/8	3.20	92 1/16	3.15	100 7/16	3.22	83 5/16	4.83	77 5/16	4.87	6 Feb.
13	3.75	3.06	4.28	91 5/8	4.06	88	4.08	95 1/4	4.09	88 1/4	4.05	93 5/8	3.15	92 7/16	3.11	99 7/8	3.26	83 1/2	4.81	77 3/32	4.89	13
20	3.81	3.18	4.15	90 3/4	4.19	88 1/4	4.05	95 3/8	4.08	88 3/4	4.01	92 7/16	3.28	91 3/16	3.21	99 7/16	3.28	82 13/16	4.89	76 21/32	4.94	20
27	3.76	3.29	4.00	91 5/8	4.07	88 1/2	4.02	96 1/4	4.02	89 1/2	3.96	91 13/16	3.34	90 9/16	3.27	99 5/16	3.29	82 5/8	4.91	76 31/32	4.91	27
Mar. 6	3.72	3.25	4.02	91 1/4	4.12	88	4.09	95 3/4	4.05	89 3/4	3.94	91 5/16	3.40	90 5/16	3.29	99 9/16	3.27	82 7/32	4.96	76 31/32	4.91	6 Mar.
13	3.73	3.24	4.12	91 5/8	4.07	88 1/4	4.06	96	4.04	90	3.92	91 13/16	3.35	90 7/8	3.24	99 11/16	3.27	82 21/32	4.92	76 27/32	4.93	13
20	3.69	3.04	4.13	91 1/4	4.13	87 1/2	4.15	96 1/4	4.02	90	3.92	92 3/8	3.29	91 3/16	3.22	99 1/2	3.28	81 11/32	5.09	75 3/32	5.10	20
27	3.70	3.03	4.11	91 1/4	4.13	87 1/2	4.15	96 1/4	4.02	90	3.92	92 9/16	3.27	91 1/2	3.19	99 1/8	3.30	81 19/32	5.05	75 17/32	5.06	27
Apr. 3	3.69	3.05	4.15	91	4.16	87 1/4	4.19	96 1/4	4.02	90	3.92	92 7/16	3.29	91 3/8	3.20	98 13/16	3.32	81 17/32	5.07	75 5/8	5.06	3 Apr.
10	3.71	3.15	4.04	90 3/4	4.20	87	4.22	96 1/2	4.00	89 3/4	3.94	92 3/8	3.32	91	3.24	98 11/16	3.33	81 9/32	5.10	75 1/2	5.07	10
17	3.73	3.19	3.94	90 3/8	4.26	86 1/2	4.28	96 3/8	4.01	89 3/4	3.94	91 1/2	3.43	89 7/8	3.33	98 1/8	3.36	80 19/32	5.19	74 3/8	5.18	17
24	3.75	3.05	3.91	89 5/8	4.36	86	4.35	96 1/4	4.02	89 1/2	3.96	91 1/16	3.44	89 7/8	3.33	97 5/16	3.41	81 1/4	5.11	75	5.12	24

1. Government bond prices are closing bids at the Wednesday date for Canadian and United States issues. Prices of the United Kingdom Apr. 15/59–69 issue are closing transactions at the Wednesday date and of the United Kingdom Aug. 15/65–75 issue are approximate mid-market transactions at the Wednesday date. All prices exclude accrued interest.
2. Market yields are based on the prices shown and are expressed as per cent per annum to maturity date if at a discount and to earliest call date if at a premium.
3. On Jan. 1st, 1957 the amounts outstanding for the four Canadian bond issues were $1,692 million, $350 million, $100 million, and $400 million respectively; for the three United States bond issues, $7,824 million, $3,785 million, and $1,606 million respectively; and for the two United Kingdom bond issues £296 million and £1,073 million respectively.
4. Treasury Bill tender rates are at the date nearest the Wednesday shown. In Canada tenders are received on Thursday, in the United States on Monday, and in the United Kingdom on Friday.

NOTE: For data back to 1950 see pages 52–55 in the "Financial Supplement 1954" and pages 46–49 in the "Financial Supplement 1955".

SECURITY ISSUES AND RETIREMENTS★

Bank of Canada

Par Values in Millions of Canadian Dollars

Total Provincial, Municipal, Corporate & Other Securities

	Gross New Issues			Retirements			Net New Issues		
	Canadian Dollars Only	Other Currencies 2	Total	Canadian Dollars Only	Other Currencies 2	Total	Canadian Dollars Only	Other Currencies 2	**Total**
Calendar Years									
1952	1,242	299	1,541	393	55	448	849	244	**1,093**
1953	1,129	354	1,483	385	58	443	744	296	**1,040**
1954	1,572	260	1,832	521	121	642	1,051	139	**1,190**
1955	1,877	93	1,970	641	120	761	1,236	−27	**1,209**
1956	2,098	556	2,654	387	54	441	1,711	502	**2,213**
1955—I	544	84	628	142	37	179	402	47	**449**
II	560	–	560	153	40	193	407	−40	**367**
III	302	9	311	157	24	181	145	−15	**130**
IV	471	–	471	189	19	208	282	−19	**263**
1956—I	469	118	587	103	10	113	366	108	**474**
II	546	132	678	108	12	120	438	120	**558**
III	524	166	690	76	6	82	448	160	**608**
IV	559	140	699	100	26	126	459	114	**573**
1957—I	527	207	734	134	47	181	393	160	**553**

Municipal Direct and Guaranteed Securities 3

	Gross New Issues			Retirements			Net New Issues		
	Canadian Dollars Only	Other Currencies	Total	Canadian Dollars Only 4	Other Currencies	Total	Canadian Dollars Only	Other Currencies	**Total**
Calendar Years									
1952	189	49	238	81	8	89	108	41	**149**
1953	221	72	293	86	17	103	135	55	**190**
1954	340	31	371	89	20	109	251	11	**262**
1955	293	40	333	101	22	123	192	18	**210**
1956	234	109	343	112	24	136	122	85	**207**
1955—I	47	40	87	24	3	27	23	37	**60**
II	86	–	86	25	6	31	61	−6	**55**
III	55	–	55	26	3	29	29	−3	**26**
IV	105	–	105	26	10	36	79	−10	**69**
1956—I	43	4	47	27	3	30	16	1	**17**
II	101	32	133	28	4	32	73	28	**101**
III	32	61	93	28	2	30	4	59	**63**
IV	58	12	70	29	15	44	29	−3	**26**
1957—I	61	33	94	30	3	33	31	30	**61**

★ Figures for the last twelve months are preliminary and are subject to revision as additional information becomes available. Series include all publicly announced issues and some private placements not publicly announced. Figures include all serial issues, and other issues with an original term to maturity of more than one year. New issues are based on delivery rather than offering dates. Foreign currencies have been converted to Canadian dollars at market noon rates on the date of delivery. In the case of optional-pay issues the option most favourable to the lender has been taken.

Details of Government of Canada Direct and Guaranteed Securities are shown on pages 73–74.

1. Excludes payments into sinking funds.
2. Includes Canadian stock issues with dividends payable in U.S. dollars.
3. Excludes issues guaranteed by provinces which are already included in "Provincial Direct and Guaranteed". Also excludes issues sold directly to provinces which are estimated to be as follows:

	Gross New Issues	Retirements	Net New Issues
1952	22	1	21
1953	43	3	40
1954	40	9	31
1955	45	7	38
1956	57	10	47

Par Values in Millions of Canadian Dollars

Provincial Direct and Guaranteed Securities

Gross New Issues			Retirements 1			Net New Issues			
Canadian Dollars Only	Other Currencies	Total	Canadian Dollars Only	Other Currencies	Total	Canadian Dollars Only	Other Currencies	**Total**	
									Calendar Years
355	93	448	102	35	137	253	58	**311**	1952
251	140	391	91	28	119	160	112	**272**	1953
380	116	496	133	69	202	247	47	**294**	1954
372	–	372	111	50	161	261	−50	**211**	1955
393	215	608	64	21	85	329	194	**523**	1956
159	–	159	21	19	40	138	−19	**119**	I—1955
77	–	77	34	13	47	43	−13	**30**	II
114	–	114	40	15	55	74	−15	**59**	III
22	–	22	16	3	19	6	−3	**3**	IV
79	92	171	10	3	13	69	89	**158**	I—1956
75	50	125	26	6	32	49	44	**93**	II
85	39	124	14	2	16	71	37	**108**	III
154	34	188	14	10	24	140	24	**164**	IV
115	63	178	75	5	80	40	58	**98**	I—1957

Corporate and "Other" Securities 5

Gross New Issues			Retirements			Net New Issues			
Canadian Dollars Only	Other Currencies 2	Total	Canadian Dollars Only	Other Currencies 2	Total	Canadian Dollars Only	Other Currencies 2	Total	
									Calendar Years
698	157	855	210	12	222	488	145	**633**	1952
657	142	799	208	13	221	449	129	**578**	1953
852	113	965	299	32	331	553	81	**634**	1954
1,212	53	1,265	429	48	477	783	5	**788**	1955
1,471	232	1,703	211	9	220	1,260	223	**1,483**	1956
338	44	382	97	15	112	241	29	**270**	I—1955
397	–	397	94	21	115	303	−21	**282**	II
133	9	142	91	6	97	42	3	**45**	III
344	–	344	147	6	153	197	−6	**191**	IV
347	22	369	66	4	70	281	18	**299**	I—1956
370	50	420	54	2	56	316	48	**364**	II
407	66	473	34	2	36	373	64	**437**	III
347	94	441	57	1	58	290	93	**383**	IV
351	111	462	29	39	68	322	72	**394**	I—1957

4. No information is available on retirements of Canadian dollar municipal bonds on a quarterly basis and annual estimates have been prorated over the four quarters.
5. For detail see table on page 123.

CORPORATE AND "OTHER" SECURITY ISSUES AND RETIREMENTS★

Bank of Canada

Par Values in Millions of Canadian Dollars

	Corporate Bonds and Debentures [1]								
	Gross New Issues			Retirements			Net New Issues		
	Canadian Dollars Only	Other Currencies	Total	Canadian Dollars Only	Other Currencies	Total	Canadian Dollars Only	Other Currencies	Total
Calendar Years									
1952	419	157	576	191	12	203	228	145	**373**
1953	393	114	507	148	13	161	245	101	**346**
1954	579	112	691	220	32	252	359	80	**439**
1955	673	9	682	331	45	376	342	−36	**306**
1956	784	232	1,016	194	9	203	590	223	**813**
1955—I	189	–	189	83	15	98	106	−15	**91**
II	208	–	208	74	21	95	134	−21	**113**
III	71	9	80	64	3	67	7	6	**13**
IV	205	–	205	110	6	116	95	−6	**89**
1956—I	230	22	252	63	4	67	167	18	**185**
II	184	50	234	49	2	51	135	48	**183**
III	172	66	238	29	2	31	143	64	**207**
IV	198	94	292	53	1	54	145	93	**238**
1957—I	262	111	373	28	6	34	234	105	**339**

	"Other" Bonds and Debentures [2]			Preferred Stocks			Common Stocks		
	Gross New Issues	Retirements	Net New Issues	Gross New Issues [3]	Retirements [4]	Net New Issues	Gross New Issues [3, 5]	Retirements	Net New Issues
Calendar Years									
1952	27	6	**21**	29	13	**16**	223	–	**223**
1953	3	7	**−4**	83	32	**51**	206	21	**185**
1954	35	12	**23**	92	66	**26**	147	1	**146**
1955	52	27	**25**	170	74	**96**	361	–	**361**
1956	13	9	**4**	183	8	**175**	491	–	**491**
1955—I	1	2	**−1**	60	12	**48**	132	–	**132**
II	35	6	**29**	34	14	**20**	120	–	**120**
III	–	15	**−15**	4	15	**−11**	58	–	**58**
IV	16	4	**12**	72	33	**39**	51	–	**51**
1956—I	4	2	**2**	33	1	**32**	80	–	**80**
II	3	2	**1**	82	3	**79**	101	–	**101**
III	1	2	**−1**	34	3	**31**	200	–	**200**
IV	5	3	**2**	34	1	**33**	110	–	**110**
1957—I	9	1	**8**	19	33	**−14**	61	–	**61**

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1. Includes issues of Canadian corporations (including CNR issues not guaranteed by the Government of Canada) payable in Canadian dollars or other currencies except in those few cases where issues are sold abroad in foreign currencies and the proceeds are used outside Canada. Also includes Canadian dollar issues of foreign corporations when the proceeds are used in Canada. No liabilities of trust and loan companies are included.
2. Consists of issues of Canadian religious and other institutions and Canadian dollar issues of Australia and I.B.R.D. New issues of Australia amounted to $15 in 1955 and those of I.B.R.D. amounted to $15 million in 1952, $25 million in 1954, and $15 million in 1955 and retirements to $15 million in 1955. These are all Canadian dollar issues.
3. At offering prices.
4. Includes retirement of $3 million stock in third quarter 1955 and $33 million stock in first quarter 1957 having dividends payable in U.S. dollars.
5. Includes stock issues having dividends payable in U.S. dollars of $28 million in 1953, $1 million in 1954, and $44 million in the first quarter of 1955.

STOCK MARKET STATISTICS

Toronto, Montreal and Canadian Stock Exchanges; Dominion Bureau of Statistics

	Brokers' Loans [1] (Millions of Dollars)	Market Transactions [1]		Index Numbers of Common Stock Prices [2] (1935–39 = 100)						
		Volume (Millions of Shares)	Value (Millions of Dollars)	Investors' Total	Industrials			Total Utilities	Golds	Base Metals
					Total	Pulp & Paper	Oils			
1955—Feb.	69.4	119.3	279.6	214.7	219.2	873.6	162.0	184.0	69.3	191.3
Mar.	70.0	219.2	374.8	213.7	218.0	864.5	158.5	185.2	69.0	189.6
Apr.	79.8	219.8	336.6	216.5	222.0	911.0	157.5	185.6	71.1	199.8
May	90.0	124.4	324.1	222.1	227.8	991.4	154.0	191.7	72.8	209.0
June	97.0	195.8	436.0	237.1	244.4	1,044.7	163.6	202.9	75.9	226.0
July	108.3	148.0	355.0	246.5	252.8	1,069.8	169.2	208.9	75.0	241.8
Aug.	102.9	138.8	340.4	245.3	252.3	1,066.9	164.7	207.0	76.3	250.0
Sept.	98.8	144.3	333.6	255.9	265.9	1,098.2	174.1	211.2	75.3	252.0
Oct.	102.2	104.8	287.4	239.9	248.9	1,044.9	164.1	200.6	71.0	224.2
Nov.	107.6	94.0	264.5	245.6	255.3	1,062.5	168.8	201.4	71.2	230.2
Dec.	120.3	101.0	256.9	247.6	257.0	1,073.3	170.8	204.2	72.6	233.0
1956—Jan.	121.5	139.3	247.1	248.5	257.0	1,070.0	175.5	206.5	75.8	238.1
Feb.	123.2	219.1	304.4	249.2	258.1	1,077.3	182.6	204.1	76.7	235.8
Mar.	117.1	212.9	439.3	267.9	280.3	1,153.0	205.2	210.2	79.4	260.2
Apr.	131.3	258.1	479.6	273.0	286.2	1,123.9	210.0	209.3	78.8	269.7
May	129.6	148.1	399.6	268.5	282.9	1,192.5	211.7	204.2	78.8	268.5
June	133.4	103.3	259.4	267.0	283.0	1,146.0	219.4	199.8	76.7	273.1
July	139.3	104.6	309.0	282.4	299.0	1,185.8	234.9	207.9	79.5	291.5
Aug.	136.1	106.0	324.3	291.8	308.9	1,175.3	250.1	215.7	79.5	301.9
Sept.	123.7	81.6	213.3	278.9	294.4	1,077.2	243.7	209.2	74.1	282.2
Oct.	118.3	94.0	239.7	270.3	284.8	1,024.9	236.2	205.1	72.5	273.3
Nov.	103.6	80.4	255.4	262.3	276.0	994.2	239.2	200.3	68.6	262.2
Dec.	102.2	78.4	199.0	267.8	281.7	998.9	244.8	203.6	68.9	267.8
1957—Jan.	97.3	136.8	275.0	273.7	287.3	1,005.3	251.6†	207.5	70.6	265.7
Feb.	100.7	108.3	200.3	263.2	276.0	946.4	244.8	203.6	69.3	243.2
Mar.	95.5	128.7	242.3	267.5	281.0	966.4	246.2	209.2	68.1	249.6
Apr.*	114.0	124.6		278.8	294.2	997.0	262.9	212.5	72.4	255.4

1. Toronto, Montreal and Canadian Stock Exchanges. Brokers' loan data are for the last business day of the month and include borrowings from chartered banks, trust companies and other sources. Customers' free credit balances are not included. 2. Calculated by the Dominion Bureau of Statistics from Montreal and Toronto exchange quotations. Monthly series is an average of Thursday closing prices during the month. † Revised. * Preliminary.

CANADIAN GOLD STATISTICS

Bank of Canada

Thousands of Fine Ounces

	New Gold Production Available for Export [1] ‡	Physical Movement		Net Change in Gold Held in Safekeeping		Net Sales to Foreigners	Net Change in Official Holdings [4]
		Exports [2]	Imports [3]	Foreign-owned Gold in Canada	Canadian-owned Gold Abroad		
	1	2	3	4	5	6 (2−3+4−5)	
Calendar Yrs.							
1951	**4,080**	347	12,104	+8,472	+143	**−3,427**	**+7,507**
1952	**4,310**	19,246	24	−18,723	−2,565	**3,064**	**+1,246**
1953	**4,167**	1,181	163	+105	−143	**1,266**	**+2,901**
1954	**4,556**	751	138	+1,317	−143	**2,072**	**+2,484**
1955	**4,506**	2,451	–	+890	+578	**2,763**	**+1,743**
1956	**4,380**	3,100	59	+1,468	−578	**5,088**	**−863**
Quarters							
1954—III	**1,146**	171	–	+428	–	**599**	**+547**
IV	**1,133**	200	88	+451	–	**563**	**+570**
1955—I	**1,131**	190	–	+402	–	**592**	**+538**
II	**1,140**	175	–	+571	–	**746**	**+394**
III	**1,085**	247	–	+86	–	**333**	**+752**
IV	**1,150**	1,838	–	−169	+578	**1,091**	**+59**
1956—I	**1,078**	1,017	9	+427	−40	**1,474**	**−396**
II‡	**1,155**	1,445	8	+290†	+93	**1,634†**	**−544†**
III	**1,107**	210	3	+428	−285	**921**	**+139**
IV	**1,039**	428	39	+323	−347	**1,059**	**−62**
1957—I*	**1,153**	1,451	**	**	+431	**	**−61**

1. Newly mined gold sold by the Mint (excl. sales for industrial purposes) plus exports of raw gold or concentrates direct from the mines for refining abroad plus commercial sales of gold abroad by mines beginning November 1, 1951. Beginning November 1, 1951, the series excludes increases in commercial gold stocks held in safekeeping by the Mint for the account of the mines.
2. Excluding the gold content of exports of jewellers' sweepings and precious metals scrap which are shown in the export returns.
3. Excluding small amounts of unmanufactured gold, scrap and manufactured forms which are shown under various headings in the import returns.
4. Holdings of the Exchange Fund and the Bank of Canada.

‡ Since March 21, 1956, mines not receiving aid under the Emergency Gold Mining Assistance Act have been allowed to sell their gold to private residents and non-residents, either for export or for safekeeping in Canada. Such sales, commencing in the second quarter of 1956, are included in the figures for "New Gold Production Available for Export."

† Revised.
** Not available.
* Preliminary.

NOTE: For data back to 1948 see page 66 in the Financial Supplement 1954" and page 58 in the "Financial Supplement 1955".

CANADIAN INVESTMENT TRANSACTIONS OF TWELVE LIFE INSURANCE COMPANIES[1]

Millions of Dollars

Net Investment in:—		Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	3 Month Total*	Apr.	May	June	July	Aug.	Sept.	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.	Annual Total*
Govt. of Canada Bonds[2]	1954	−6.2	8.0	−14.6	−12.7	−10.6	−30.0	−1.1	−11.4	−0.6	−10.4	7.6	−12.3	−15.2	−96.7
	1955	7.4	−2.6	−11.4	−6.5	15.8	−10.4	−15.1	−8.4	1.3	3.8	5.0	−2.7	−22.2	−39.4
	1956	−10.7	−11.4	−17.9	−40.0	−26.7	−9.1	−24.7	−21.5	−7.6	5.3	−6.3	−6.3	−11.1	−147.8
	1957	−10.1	3.2	−5.2	−12.0										
Provincial Bonds[2]	1954	2.7	3.7	4.1	10.5	1.1	18.3	−2.5	2.9	−6.4	−3.8	1.2	−4.0	−2.2	15.1
	1955	−4.6	−2.0	16.2	9.6	−1.1	−0.6	−1.0	2.4	−7.9	−1.2	−0.9	−1.6	−0.3	−2.7
	1956	13.6	0.1	−8.5	5.2	0.4	12.0	−5.4	5.9	−3.6	−1.6	3.9	−1.2	2.1	17.7
	1957	1.7	4.5	0.3	6.5										
Municipal Bonds[2]	1954	0.3	0.9	3.0	4.2	2.9	1.1	0.9	3.1	1.2	1.3	1.1	0.6	0.4	16.8
	1955	2.6	2.1	0.9	5.6	−1.4	1.0	2.4	−0.7	3.2	0.7	1.4	2.1	8.1	22.6
	1956	1.7	3.7	0.7	6.1	2.8	1.9	9.7	3.1	0.7	−0.3	1.4	1.3	1.5	28.2
	1957	2.8	4.3	1.8	8.9										
Corporate & Other Bonds	1954	9.4	5.8	18.7	33.9	17.3	3.6	7.9	6.1	0.2	10.8	−4.7	15.9	1.6	92.5
	1955	1.3	−2.3	8.0	7.0	−6.3	23.0	8.6	−1.1	−4.2	−8.8	−2.2	7.6	11.0	34.7
	1956	31.2	17.2	30.9	79.2	21.2	2.3	6.9	−1.7	8.1	−5.9	3.4	2.6	12.4	128.4
	1957	15.0	7.9	7.7	30.5										
Pref. & Com. Stocks	1954	−0.5	−0.5	−0.5	−1.5	−0.4	−0.3	−0.1	−0.6	−0.7	−1.1	0.4	0.2	0.9	−3.2
	1955	0.3	0.3	0.4	0.9	0.5	−0.2	−1.5	−1.5	−0.6	−0.5	−0.5	0.2	4.3	1.1
	1956	0.1	0.5	–	0.5	0.1	0.2	1.3	0.7	−1.0	–	−0.3	−0.2	0.2	1.3
	1957	−0.2	0.7	0.9	1.4										
Mortgage Loans (Gross)[3]	1954	22.2	19.0	22.0	63.2	21.3	24.8	29.4	32.6	34.4	38.7	33.0	42.2	37.5	357.1
	1955	33.8	26.8	28.0	88.6	23.8	33.7	38.3	45.5	44.0	46.8	41.0	40.4	39.3	441.3
	1956	35.9	27.6	27.5	90.9	27.4	34.5	46.6	45.7	50.7	45.1	52.5	45.0	40.2	478.6
	1957	37.5	25.6	25.6	88.7										
Real Estate[4]	1954	1.0	1.2	0.8	3.0	1.8	2.0	3.4	3.0	1.7	2.6	2.5	2.5	4.7	27.1
	1955	0.7	4.6	5.0	10.3	1.2	1.9	1.9	2.6	3.7	0.9	0.1	2.0	0.4	24.8
	1956	2.5	0.4	1.9	4.8	0.5	6.5	0.9	1.1	1.2	1.5	1.5	1.0	5.1	24.0
	1957	1.2	1.2	1.6	3.9										
Policy Loans	1954	1.0	0.8	1.2	3.0	1.3	1.2	1.3	1.0	0.9	1.1	1.0	0.7	0.6	12.1
	1955	0.8	0.6	1.0	2.5	0.9	0.8	0.9	0.7	0.5	0.7	0.6	0.3	0.3	8.1
	1956	0.8	0.9	1.0	2.7	1.2	2.0	2.2	1.5	1.6	1.7	1.8	1.3	0.5	16.5
	1957	1.7	1.9	1.9	5.4										
Total[5]	1954	29.9	38.9	34.7	103.6	34.7	20.7	39.2	36.7	30.7	39.2	42.1	45.8	28.3	420.8
	1955	42.3	27.5	48.1	118.0	33.4	49.2	34.5	39.5	40.0	42.4	44.5	48.3	40.9	490.5
	1956	75.1	39.0	35.6	149.4	26.9	50.3	37.5	34.8	50.1	45.8	57.9	43.5	50.9	546.9
	1957	49.6	49.2	34.7	133.4										
Net Source of Funds:—															
Mortgage Repayments (Gross)[3]	1954	11.3	10.3	11.8	33.3	10.4	11.7	10.8	12.1	11.5	12.1	12.1	12.7	10.1	136.7
	1955	14.2	11.0	13.1	38.4	11.7	14.1	13.6	13.0	13.5	13.2	14.3	14.4	12.4	158.5
	1956	15.6	12.5	13.2	41.3	14.4	17.2	15.3	17.2	15.0	14.1	22.6	14.9	13.5	185.6
	1957	16.0	12.9	14.1	43.0										
Funds Transferred From Abroad	1954	−2.5	–	2.6	0.1	−0.7	2.1	2.4	3.2	2.3	2.6	3.9	2.6	4.4	22.8
	1955	1.6	0.1	3.4	5.0	−0.1	4.0	1.6	4.8	1.4	0.4	6.6	−1.1	12.7	35.5
	1956	17.0	7.2	3.3	27.5	−8.5	5.8	2.0	3.0	9.2	8.1	19.4	7.3	8.9	82.5
	1957	2.3	6.0	4.3	12.5										
Funds From Canadian Insurance Operations★	1954	21.1	28.6	20.3	70.2	25.0	6.9	26.0	21.4	16.9	24.5	26.1	30.5	13.8	261.3
	1955	26.5	16.4	31.6	74.6	21.8	31.1	19.3	21.7	25.1	28.8	23.6	35.0	15.8	296.5
	1956	42.5	19.3	19.1	80.6	21.0	27.3	20.2	14.6	25.9	23.6	15.9	21.3	28.5	278.8
	1957	31.3	30.3	16.3	77.9										

1. Data are based on cash transactions affecting ledger assets and taking place in Canadian dollars, by 12 companies whose net premium income in Canada in 1956 was 77.6% of the total for all companies registered under the federal Insurance Acts. Total Canadian assets of these 12 companies at December 31, 1950 to 1956 are shown on page 87. 2. Includes guaranteed bonds. 3. Includes sale agreements. 4. Includes real estate for the production of income. 5. Includes gross mortgage loans. * Figures rounded to the nearest $100,000. Due to rounding, totals may not equal the sum of the monthly components. ★ Balancing item in the table, representing mainly Canadian dollars available from insurance operations *plus* any reduction or *minus* any increase in Canadian dollar cash balances.

NOTE: For 1952 and 1953 data see page 56 in the "Financial Supplement 1955".

FOREIGN EXCHANGE RATES[1]

Canadian cents per unit — *Bank of Canada*

Business Days	U.S. Dollar: Spot Rates High	Low	Close	Average Noon Rates[2]: Spot	90-Day Forward Rate[2]	£ Sterling: Spot Rates High	Low	Close	Average Noon Rates[2]: Spot	90-Day Forward Rate[2]
1951	107 5/16	101 3/16	101 3/16	105.28	104.92	300 1/2	281 3/8	281 3/8	294.68	294.71
1952	101 1/8	95 7/8	97 3/32	97.89	98.09	281 1/4	266 3/4	272 9/16	273.40	272.26
1953	99 25/32	96 3/4	97 3/8	98.34	98.66	280 15/16	272 3/8	273 5/8	276.66	277.02
1954	98 3/4	96 11/32	96 13/32	97.32	97.65	278 5/16	269	269	273.39	274.19
1955	100 1/16	96 15/32	99 23/32	98.63	98.62	280 7/16	268 3/4	280 3/32	275.35	274.23
1956	99 31/32	95 21/32	95 31/32	98.41	98.64	280 11/16	266 3/16	267 7/16	275.16	274.13
1956—Feb.	99 31/32	99 27/32	99 29/32	99.91	99.94	280 11/16	280 3/16	280 11/16	280.43	279.00
Mar.	99 15/16	99 13/16	99 7/8	99.87	99.91	280 5/8	279 15/16	280 3/32	280.17	278.39
Apr.	99 7/8	99 7/32	99 15/32	99.68	99.75	280 3/8	278 1/2	279 7/32	279.93	278.31
May	99 15/32	98 7/8	98 15/16	99.18	99.30	279 15/16	277 3/16	277 13/32	278.49	277.27
June	99 1/16	98	98 9/32	98.53	98.75	277 5/8	274	274 15/32	276.16	275.25
July	98 13/32	97 27/32	98 5/32	98.18	98.45	275 3/32	273 3/16	273 1/4	274.30	273.51
Aug.	98 1/16	97 27/32	98 3/32	98.12	98.38	273 15/16	272 1/2	272 23/32	273.11	272.39
Sept.	98 1/16	97 7/16	97 15/32	97.77	98.10	272 7/8	271 3/16	271 1/4	272.14	271.43
Oct.	97 5/8	96 21/32	97 1/4	97.32	97.69	271 7/8	268 23/32	270 5/8	271.06	270.54
Nov.	97 3/16	95 21/32	96 3/8	96.44	96.81	270 7/16	266 3/16	267 7/16	268.36	267.56
Dec.	96 25/32	95 25/32	95 31/32	96.05	96.66	268 5/8	266 13/16	267 7/16	267.54	266.62
1957—Jan.	96 11/32	95 27/32	95 7/8	96.07	96.57	269 1/4	267 11/16	268 1/4	268.63	268.65
Feb.	95 15/16	95 3/4	95 3/4	95.83	96.24	268 1/2	267 13/16	267 13/16	268.21	268.39
Mar.	95 13/16	95 1/2	95 21/32	95.61	96.06	267 27/32	266 1/2	266 21/32	267.10	267.47
Apr.	96 7/32	95 11/16	95 25/32	95.97	96.21	268 11/32	266 5/8	267 13/32	267.71	267.58

1. Rates are as reported on transactions between banks in the exchange market. Noon rates prior to May 6, 1954 are not available and closing rates have been used. 2. The 90-day forward rates are the averages of approximate rates at noon.

NOTE: For data back to 1939 see page 59 in the "Financial Supplement 1954" and page 51 in the "Financial Supplement 1955".

OFFICIAL HOLDINGS OF GOLD AND U.S. DOLLARS[1]

$ mm. U.S. — *Dept. of Finance*

End of Period	Gold	U.S. Dollars	Total
1951	841.7	936.9	**1,778.6**
1952	885.0	975.2	**1,860.2**
1953	986.1	832.4	**1,818.5**
1954	1,072.7	869.9	**1,942.6**
1955	1,133.9	766.9	**1,900.8**
1956	1,103.3	832.9	**1,936.2**
1955—Oct.	1,140.8	755.4	**1,896.2**
Nov.	1,143.4	746.5	**1,889.9**
Dec.	1,133.9	766.9	**1,900.8**
1956—Jan.	1,129.5	749.4	**1,878.9**
Feb.	1,122.2	755.5	**1,877.7**
Mar.	1,120.1	751.3	**1,871.4**
Apr.	1,106.1	759.0	**1,865.1**
May	1,100.4	785.0	**1,885.4**
June	1,100.6	798.9	**1,899.5**
July	1,104.8	788.5	**1,893.3**
Aug.	1,105.9	777.8	**1,883.7**
Sept.	1,105.5	798.0	**1,903.5**
Oct.	1,109.8	803.2	**1,913.0**
Nov.	1,114.2	818.4	**1,932.6**
Dec.	1,103.3	832.9	**1,936.2**
1957—Jan.	1,105.9	824.7	**1,930.6**
Feb.	1,101.5	818.2	**1,919.7**
Mar.	1,101.2	822.4	**1,923.6**
Apr.	1,105.7	796.1	**1,901.8**

1. Gold, U.S. dollars and short-term securities of the U.S. Gov't. held by the Exchange Fund Account, other Gov't. accounts, and the net holdings of the Bank of Canada.

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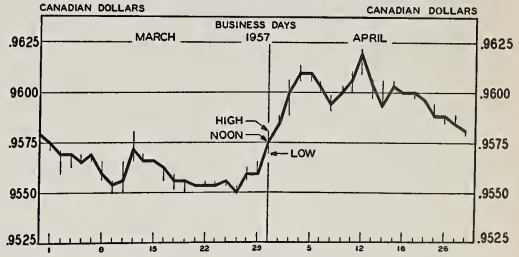

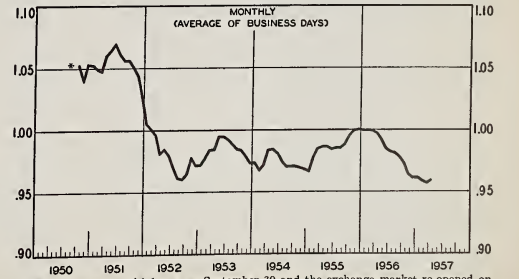

* Official rates were withdrawn on September 30 and the exchange market re-opened on October 2.

NOTE: For data back to 1945 see pages 60–61 in the "Financial Supplement 1954".

INSTALMENT FINANCE COMPANIES: RETAIL FINANCING[1]

Dominion Bureau of Statistics

Millions of Dollars

	Consumers' Goods									Commercial and Industrial Goods									Total Retail			
	Paper Purchased			Estimated Repayments [2]			Balances Outstanding (end of period)			Paper Purchased			Estimated Repayments [2]			Balances Outstanding (end of period)						
	Passenger Cars [3]	Other	Total	Passenger Cars [3]	Other	Total	Passenger Cars [3]	Other	Total	Comm. Vehicles [3]	Other	Total	Comm. Vehicles [3]	Other	Total	Comm. Vehicles [3]	Other	Total	Paper Purchased	Est. Repayments [2]	Balances Outstanding (end of period)	
Calendar Years																						**Calendar Years**
1951	255	45	300	262	55	317	161	24	185	128	40	168	99	32	131	95	33	128	467	447	313	1951
1952	477	114	591	339	64	403	299	74	373	162	66	228	137	52	189	120	47	167	819	592	540	1952
1953	574	145	719	462	114	576	411	105	516	153	76	229	150	62	212	123	61	184	948	787	701	1953
1954	507	124	631	524	131	655	394	98	492	111	63	174	130	64	194	104	60	164	805	850	656	1954
1955	600	155	755	519	133	652	475	120	595	120	94	214	121	69	190	103	85	188	970	843	783	1955
1956	736	174	910	593	156	749	618	138	756	158	158	316	128	111	239	133	132	265	1,227	988	1,022	1956
Quarterly																						**Quarterly**
1953—I	122	39	161	89	21	110	332	92	424	31	16	47	39	13	52	112	50	162	208	162	586	I—1953
II	188	42	230	104	28	132	416	106	522	50	27	77	38	15	53	124	62	186	307	185	708	II
III	149	34	183	126	31	157	439	109	548	38	18	56	36	17	53	126	63	189	239	210	737	III
IV	115	30	145	143	34	177	411	105	516	34	15	49	37	17	54	123	61	184	194	230	701	IV
1954—I	104	25	129	123	30	153	392	100	492	25	11	36	34	15	49	114	57	171	165	203	663	I—1954
II	166	28	194	136	32	168	422	96	518	34	20	54	31	15	46	117	62	179	248	214	697	II
III	142	31	173	135	33	168	429	94	523	28	17	45	32	16	48	113	63	176	218	216	699	III
IV	95	40	135	130	36	166	394	98	492	24	15	39	33	18	51	104	60	164	174	217	656	IV
1955—I	100	33	133	107	28	135	387	103	490	19	15	34	33	17	50	90	58	148	167	185	638	I—1955
II	195	33	228	130	35	165	452	101	553	35	27	62	30	13	43	95	72	167	291	209	720	II
III	184	41	225	141	33	174	495	109	604	37	26	63	29	18	47	103	80	183	288	222	786	III
IV	121	48	169	141	37	178	475	120	595	29	26	55	29	21	50	103	85	188	224	227	783	IV
Monthly																						**Monthly**
1956—Jan.			51			56			590			10			15			183	60	71	772	Jan.—1956
Feb.			45			54			581			20			18			185	65	71	766	Feb.
Mar.			64			56	466	123	589			18			17	100	86	186	83	73	776	Mar.
I	122	38	160	131	35	166				25	23	48	28	22	50				208	215		I
Apr.			89			58			620			26			18			194	114	76	814	Apr.
May			96			57			659			42			23			213	139	81	872	May
June			102			65	568	128	696			29			14	117	111	228	131	78	925	June
II	243	44	287	141	39	180				49	48	97	32	23	55				384	235		II
July			98			68			727			33			16			246	131	84	972	July
Aug.			93			66			754			34			22			258	127	87	1,012	Aug.
Sept.			74			60	634	133	768			29			28	130	129	259	103	88	1,026	Sept.
III	220	44	265	154	39	194				46	50	96	33	32	66				361	259		III
Oct.			79			72			774			29			25			263	108	97	1,037	Oct.
Nov.			66			69			771			26			24			265	92	93	1,036	Nov.
Dec.			54			69	618	138	756			20			20	133	132	265	74	88	1,022	Dec.
IV	151	48	198	167	43	210				38	37	75	35	34	69				274	279		IV
1957—Jan.			52			70			738			17			14			268	69	85	1,006	Jan.—1957
Feb.			53			60			731			17			22			263	70	81	995	Feb.
Mar.			67			68	598	131	730			20			21	129	134	263	87	89	992	Mar.
I	140	31	172	160	38	198				30	24	54	35	22	57				226	255		I

1. Does not include wholesale financing of instalment financing companies. Wholesale balances were in excess of $175 million at the end of 1956. 2. Repayments are estimated by subtracting the net change in balances outstanding during a period from the paper purchased. The figure will also include cancellations and any other adjustments to the two reported series. 3. Consists of both new and used vehicles.

INSTALMENT FINANCE COMPANIES: RETAIL FINANCING

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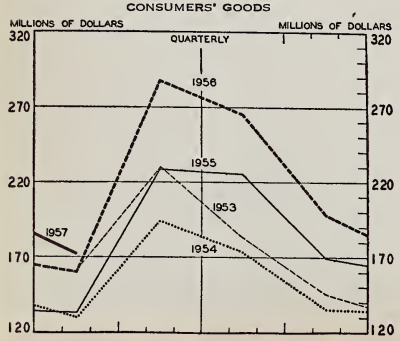

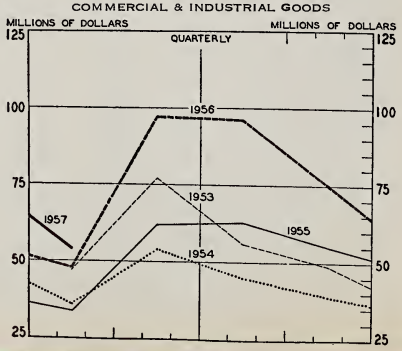

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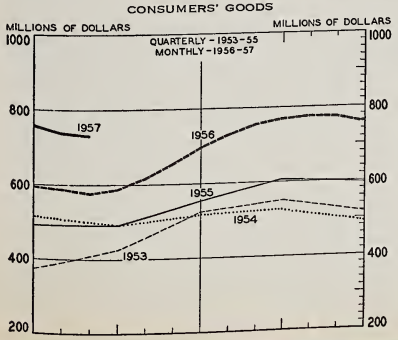
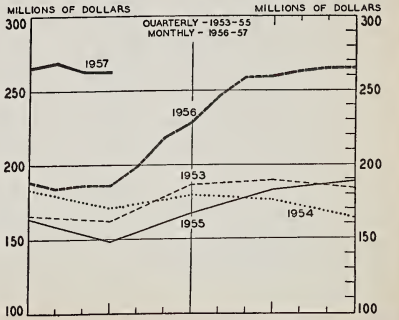




PRICE INDEXES

"Prices and Price Indexes", Dominion Bureau of Statistics

WHOLESALE PRICES

	GENERAL			CONSTRUCTION	FARM 1	
	Total Index (Mid-Month)	Raw and Partly Manufactured	Fully & Chiefly Manufactured	Non-Residential Building Materials	Grains	Livestock
	1935–39 = 100			1949 = 100	1935–39 = 100	
Average of Mths.						
1951	**240.2**	237.9	242.4	118.6	217.3	407.8
1952	**226.0**	218.7	230.7	123.2	206.2	316.4
1953	**220.7**	207.0	228.8	124.4	201.0	288.1
1954	**217.0**	204.8	224.2	121.8	187.2	283.3
1955	**218.9**	209.7	224.5	123.4	188.0	263.2
1956	**225.6**	215.8†	231.5†	128.0†	188.4†	265.6
Monthly						
1955—Dec.	**221.5**	212.6	226.7	126.0	183.8	252.0
1956—Jan.	**222.0**	212.9	227.4†	126.3†	184.9	248.6
Feb.	**222.2**	213.3†	227.6†	126.5†	186.6	245.1
Mar.	**223.3**	214.7	228.4†	127.0†	190.5†	240.4
Apr.	**224.6†**	216.3†	229.5†	127.1†	191.5†	241.5
May	**225.4†**	217.3	230.3	127.2†	192.0†	252.3
June	**226.5**	219.2	231.3	127.5	190.8†	272.8
July	**226.6**	219.0	231.6	127.2†	188.4	278.4
Aug.	**227.0**	217.0	233.2†	129.4†	188.9	280.8
Sept.	**227.4**	216.2	234.4†	129.2†	188.8	284.2
Oct.	**227.0†**	214.3†	234.7†	129.8†	187.6	277.3
Nov.	**226.6**	213.3†	234.6	129.5†	185.9	281.0
Dec.	**228.0†**	216.4	235.1†	129.7†	184.9	284.3
1957—Jan.	**229.4**	217.8	236.5	130.0	184.6	287.7
Feb.	**228.4**	214.9	236.8	130.1	182.3	287.6
Mar.	**228.4**	212.5	237.8	130.1	180.3	278.3
Apr.						

CONSUMER PRICES 2

	Total Index (1st of Month)	Food	Shelter	Clothing	Household Operation	Other Commodities & Services
	100	32	15	11	17	25
	1949 = 100					
Average of Mths.						
1951	**113.7**	117.0	114.4	109.8	113.1	111.5
1952	**116.5**	116.8	120.2	111.8	116.2	116.0
1953	**115.5**	112.6	123.6	110.1	117.0	115.8
1954	**116.2**	112.2	126.5	109.4	117.4	117.4
1955	**116.4**	112.1	129.4	108.0	116.4	118.1
1956	**118.1**	113.4	132.5	108.6	117.1	120.9
Monthly						
1955—Dec.	**116.9**	112.4	131.0	108.5	116.6	118.3
1956—Jan.	**116.8**	111.5	131.3	108.6	116.5	119.0
Feb.	**116.4**	109.9	131.5	108.6	116.7	119.3
Mar.	**116.4**	109.1	131.6	108.7	116.8	119.9
Apr.	**116.6**	109.7	131.9	108.7	116.6	120.1
May	**116.6**	109.3	132.1	108.8	116.5	120.5
June	**117.8**	112.5	132.6	108.6	116.7	120.6
July	**118.5**	114.4	132.7	108.6	116.7	121.1
Aug.	**119.1**	115.9	133.0	108.4	116.8	121.3
Sept.	**119.0**	115.5	133.1	108.4	117.1	121.4
Oct.	**119.8**	117.4	133.3	108.5	117.7	121.6
Nov.	**120.3**	117.9	133.4	108.4	118.1	122.8
Dec.	**120.4**	117.5	133.5	108.6	118.6	122.9
1957—Jan.	**120.3**	117.1	133.6	107.6	119.0	123.1
Feb.	**120.5**	117.2	133.8	107.4	119.1	123.8
Mar.	**120.5**	116.4	134.0	108.2	119.5	124.2
Apr.	**120.9**	116.7	134.0	108.5	119.4	125.1

1. Two sub-groups of the General Wholesale Price Index.
2. Components were selected and weighted on the basis of 1948 urban family incomes ranging from $1,650 to $4,050 with incomes between $2,000 and $3,000 most common. † Revised.

NOTE: For the years 1952–1955 see page 86 in the "Financial Supplement 1955".

LABOUR FORCE STATUS OF THE POPULATION[1]

Thousands of Persons *"The Labour Force", Dominion Bureau of Statistics; Department of National Defence*

Survey Week Ending	Persons With Jobs				Without Jobs and Seeking Work 3		Total Civilian Labour Force	Civilian Non-Institutional Population (14 years of age and over)	Armed Forces	Civilian Labour Force Participation Ratio 4		
	Agriculture	Non-Agricultural Industries	Total	*Of Which On Temporary Lay-off and Short-time 2*	Thousands	Percentage of Labour Force				Total	Male	Female
1955—July 23	989	4,599	5,588	*35*	150	2.6	5,738	10,543	117	54.4	84.8	24.2
Aug. 20	960	4,681	5,641	*46*	131	2.3	5,772	10,557	116	54.7	85.1	24.4
Sept. 17	844	4,651	5,495	*44*	138	2.4	5,633	10,574	117	53.3	82.4	24.3
Oct. 22	774	4,703	5,477	*40*	142	2.5	5,619	10,590	117	53.1	82.3	24.1
Nov. 19	728	4,691	5,419	*54*	162	2.9	5,581	10,602	117	52.6	81.2	24.3
Dec. 10	713	4,675	5,388	*67*	200	3.6	5,588	10,610	117	52.7	81.0	24.6
1956—Jan. 21	688	4,543	5,231	*74*	286	5.2	5,517	10,626	116	51.9	80.2	23.9
Feb. 18	678	4,538	5,216	*73*	308	5.6	5,524	10,635	117	51.9	80.3	23.9
Mar. 24	679	4,562	5,241	*66*	295	5.3	5,536	10,646	117	52.0	80.1	24.1
Apr. 21	764	4,562	5,326	*51*	257	4.6	5,583	10,663	117	52.4	80.7	24.3
May 19	817	4,682	5,499	*37*	165	2.9	5,664	10,680	116	53.0	81.9	24.4
June 23	804	4,843	5,647	*35*	117	2.0	5,764	10,699	116	53.9	83.1	24.9
July 21	897	4,892	5,789	*33*	102	1.7	5,891	10,714	116	55.0	85.3	25.0
Aug. 18	946	4,877	5,823	*36*	103	1.7	5,926	10,733	116	55.2	85.5	25.2
Sept. 22	841	4,835	5,676	*45*	97	1.7	5,773	10,752	117	53.7	82.7	25.0
Oct. 20	794	4,880	5,674	*39*	98	1.7	5,772	10,771	117	53.6	82.3	25.2
Nov. 17	693	4,937	5,630	*47*	135	2.3	5,765	10,791	117	53.4	81.7	25.5
Dec. 15	680	4,875	5,555	*59*	186	3.2	5,741	10,815	117	53.1	81.0	25.5
1957—Jan. 19	671	4,722	5,393	*74*	303	5.3	5,696	10,842	117	52.5	80.4	25.0
Feb. 16	654	4,708	5,362	*80*	323	5.7	5,685	10,861	117	52.3	80.4	24.6
Mar. 16	671	4,702	5,373	*87*	343	6.0	5,716	10,884	117	52.5	80.5	24.9

1. The estimates are based on a sample of about 30,000 households and are therefore subject to sampling error which is relatively larger the smaller the estimate. Data not seasonally adjusted.
2. Includes those laid off for part of the week or on lay-off during the entire week, with definite instructions to return to their jobs within 30 days of the date on which lay-off began, provided they did not look for work during the survey week.
3. Includes persons who, though having jobs, did not work during the entire week and looked for work or would have looked for work only they were temporarily ill, on indefinite or prolonged lay-off or believed no work was available.
4. Civilian labour force as a percentage of civilian non-institutional population 14 years of age and over.

NOTE: For the years 1946–1955 see pages 84–85 in the "Financial Supplement 1955".

EMPLOYMENT AND LABOUR INCOME

"Employment and Payrolls", "Man-Hours and Hourly Earnings" and "Estimates of Labour Income", Dominion Bureau of Statistics

	EMPLOYMENT INDEXES 1, 2		AVERAGE HOURS WORKED 1, 3		AVERAGE HOURLY EARNINGS 1, 3, 4		MONTHLY LABOUR INCOME 4			
	Manufacturing	Mining	Manufacturing	Mining	Manufacturing	Mining	Total 5	Manufacturing	Construction	All Other 6
	Index 1949 = 100		Hours per week		Cents		Millions of Dollars			
Monthly Average										
1951	108.0	110.6	41.8	43.1	116.8	133.4	810	272	52	486
1952	109.3	116.8	41.5	42.7	129.2	147.1	906	303	63	540
1953	113.3	111.7	41.3	42.7	135.8	153.8	976	329	70	577
1954	107.7	109.8	40.6	42.6	140.8	157.3	1,000	323	69	608
1955	109.3	113.4	41.0	43.2	144.5	161.1	1,068	342	78	648
1956	115.4	122.0	41.1	42.9	151.5	171.4	1,190	379	93	718
1955—Nov.	112.8	116.6	41.7	44.5	145.4	163.4	1,128	354	89	685
Dec.	112.3	116.5	41.6	44.2	146.1	165.2	1,117	357	78	682
1956—Jan.	109.8	114.4	39.0	42.0	147.5	165.1	1,077	349	71	657
Feb.	110.2	114.4	41.2	43.8	147.3	166.2	1,090	358	69	663
Mar.	112.3	115.9	41.3	44.0	148.5	166.8	1,094	365	70	659
Apr.	113.4	117.3	41.1	42.6	150.5	168.5	1,126	371	79	676
May	114.1	116.9	41.4	42.7	151.1	169.0	1,169	377	92	700
June	115.4	123.0	40.9	42.8	151.9	170.5	1,215	381	105	729
July	118.0	126.1	41.2	42.4	152.7	172.0	1,223	382	105	736
Aug.	117.9	128.2	40.8	42.6	152.4	172.7	1,236	382	108	746
Sept.	118.0	128.6	41.1	42.7	152.1	173.8	1,268	392	110	766
Oct.	118.6	126.5	41.5	43.6	153.3	176.2	1,273	394	114	765
Nov.	118.6	126.9	41.6	42.5	154.7	177.3	1,265	397	101	767
Dec.	118.0	125.4	41.5	43.1	155.5	179.0	1,248	397	90	761
1957—Jan.	114.8	122.7	37.9	40.7	158.0	181.6	1,197	384	76	737
Feb.	115.1	123.8*	40.9	42.9	157.5	181.6	1,205	389	74	742
Mar.	115.0*		41.0*	43.2*	157.6*	182.6*				

1. As reported by employers usually having 15 or more employees. Dated first of month and covering the last pay period in the previous month.
2. Coverage, including salaried and part time workers at Feb. 1, 1957, was Manufacturing, 1,197,176; Mining, 110,147.
3. Include hourly rated wage earners only.
4. Gross earnings before deductions for taxes, unemployment insurance, etc.
5. Wages and salaries and includes bonuses and commissions, food, clothing, shelter and contributions to insurance, pensions, etc. provided by employer.
6. Includes all supplementary labour income. * Preliminary.

NOTE: For the years 1952–1955 see page 83 in the "Financial Supplement 1955".

SELECTED HOUSING STATISTICS

Central Mortgage and Housing Corporation and Dominion Bureau of Statistics

	Dwellings in New Structures 1				Composite Indexes of Residential Building Costs			Residential Construction Expenditures 3, 6		
	Areas of 5,000 Population and over 2		All Areas 3		Residential Building Materials 4	Wage Rates of All Construction Workers 5	Residential Building Materials and Wage Rates 4	New Dwellings and Major Improvements	Repair and Maintenance	Total
	Starts	Completions	Starts	Completions						
	thousands of units				1949 = 100			millions of dollars		
Calendar Years										
1951	47.4	61.2	68.6	81.3	125.5	119.2	123.1	821.6	221.0	1,042.6
1952	63.4	54.3	83.2	73.1	124.9	129.5	126.6	825.6	203.2	1,028.8
1953	80.3	73.4	102.4	96.8	123.9	137.2	128.9	1,083.7	213.6	1,297.3
1954	89.8	80.6	113.5	102.0	121.7	141.1	129.0	1,178.0	221.8	1,399.8
1955	97.4†	93.9	138.3	127.9	124.3	146.6	132.7	1,499.3	238.0	1,737.3
1956	87.3	95.2	127.3	135.7	128.4	152.4	137.4	1,574.2	255.5	1,829.7
Monthly										
1955—Nov.	8.6	10.7	10.9	14.2	125.8	146.9	133.7	430.3	61.6	491.9
Dec.	4.8	9.3	6.2	12.1	126.1	146.9	133.9			
1956—Jan.	3.5	6.9	4.2	9.5	127.0	147.3	134.6			
Feb.	4.1	5.8	4.7	7.5	127.0	147.4	134.7	299.1	62.4	361.5
Mar.	4.5	7.3	5.6	8.7	128.0	147.5	135.3			
Apr.	7.6	7.4	10.4	9.1	128.7	147.8	135.9			
May	11.1	7.9	15.9	9.7	129.0	148.5	136.3	425.0	63.3	488.3
June	11.0	7.8	19.4	13.6	129.0	148.5	136.3			
July	11.1	7.4	15.9	9.7	128.9	148.9	136.4			
Aug.	9.0	7.4	14.0	10.7	128.9	150.5	137.0	442.4	64.4	506.8
Sept.	8.9	7.7	13.3	12.2	128.7	151.1	137.1			
Oct.	7.8	10.7	11.8	18.5	128.7	152.4	137.6			
Nov.	5.7	10.1	8.0	14.1	128.6	151.9	137.3	407.7	65.4	473.1
Dec.	3.2	8.7	4.1	12.5	128.4	153.0	137.6			
1957—Jan.	1.5	7.3	1.7	10.2	128.6	153.3	137.9			
Feb. *	1.8	6.1	2.0	7.5	128.7	153.4	138.0			
Mar. *	3.4	5.4	4.1	6.9	128.9	153.6	138.2			

1. Excludes conversions. From 1951 to 1956 these are estimated to have totalled approximately 3.5, 3.2, 3.8, 4.4, 4.3 and 3.6 thousand respectively. 2. Based on a complete enumeration. 3. In areas outside the centres of 5,000 population and over, information relating to starts and completions is based on a sample survey. In the latter part of 1954 the sample was redesigned and enlarged and some discontinuity with previous years resulted. There is probably an understatement of total starts and completions and of expenditures in 1954 and earlier years. Total number of starts in 1957 is subject to upward revision when the results of the June survey are available. 4. Calendar year figures are the averages of 12 months. 5. Index of average hourly wage rates including holiday pay allowances. Annual data refer to the month of October each year. 6. Expenditures on work put in place. † Revised. * Preliminary.

NOTE: For data back to 1952 see page 78 in the "Financial Supplement 1955".

SELECTED AGRICULTURAL STATISTICS[1]: QUARTERLY

Department of Agriculture, Board of Grain Commissioners and Dominion Bureau of Statistics

PRODUCTION

	Livestock: Inspected Slaughterings: Cattle and Calves	Hogs	Sheep and Lambs	Total	Exports (Dressed Weight): Cattle, Calves, Beef and Veal	Bacon and Ham	Field Crops: Wheat		Oats	Oats	Barley		Other Field Crops[2]		Dairying: Butter[3]	Cheddar Cheese	Concentrated Milk Products[4]	Total Milk[5]	Eggs[6]	D.B.S. Index of Physical Volume of Agricultural Production
	Thousands of Head				*Millions of lbs.*		*Mm. acres*	*Mm. bus.*	*Mm. acres*	*Mm. bus.*	*Mm. acres*	*Mm. bus.*	*Mm. acres*	*Mm. bus.*	*Millions of pounds*				*Thous. of cases*	*1935–39 = 100*
1953—IV	563	1,230	237	2,030	11	2									61	14	80	3,449	1,296	
Yearly Total	2,210	4,611	543	7,365	56	7	26	614	10	407	9	262	5	125	326	77	440	16,375	5,231	156.2
1954—I	570	1,152	86	1,808	19	2									40	7	68	2,889	1,539	
II	674	1,108	45	1,828	20	2									110	28	157	5,082	1,547	
III	614	1,000	189	1,803	10	2									124	35	146	5,359	1,295	
IV	598	1,419	242	2,259	8	2									61	15	79	3,488	1,501	
Yearly Total	2,456	4,679	563	7,697	57	8	24	309	10	307	8	176	4	112	335†	85	450	16,818	5,883	117.1[7]
1955—I	560	1,399	95	2,054	7	2									38	5†	70	2,883†	1,465	
II	693	1,377	57	2,127	12	3									112	27	156	5,207†	1,416	
III	653	1,191	192	2,036	9	2									123	33†	155	5,423†	1,176	
IV	625	1,576	248	2,449	8	3									65	15	92	3,700†	1,461	
Yearly Total	2,531	5,544	592	8,666	36	10	22	494	11	408	10	252	6†	134	339†	80†	475†	17,213†	5,518	150.1
1956—I	603	1,532	97	2,232	7	2									41	7	79	3,070†	1,531†	
II	745	1,476	62	2,283	11	2									110	20	156	5,090†	1,561	
III	708	1,177	182	2,068	9	2									120	35	161	5,445†	1,358	
IV*	710	1,363	258	2,331	9	2									72	18	87	3,589	1,594	
Yearly Total*	2,766	5,548	599	8,914	37	8	21	538	12	535	9	278	7	139	324‡	84‡	484	17,194	6,044	
1957—I*	607	1,336	96	2,038			20**		12**		10**		7**		33	7	68	2,985	1,794	

PRICES[8]

	D.B.S. Index of Farm Prices of Agricultural Products[9]	Wholesale Prices: Wheat[10] (No. 1 Northern): I.W.A.[11]	Class II	Steers (Good up to 1000 lbs., Toronto)	Hogs (Grade B1 Dressed, Toronto)	Butter[12]	Cheddar Cheese[13]
	1935–39 = 100	*Cents per bushel*		*Dollars per cwt.*		*Cents per pound*	
1953—IV	238.5	191.2	191.2	18.90	32.60	60.2	31.9
Yearly Total	250.4	184.7	205.7	20.28	30.40	59.6	30.3
1954—I	240.2	184.0	184.0	17.97	34.61	61.0	32.5
II	240.0	179.7	179.7	19.01	35.42	57.8	30.1
III	235.8	170.1	170.1	20.63	28.34	57.3	30.1
IV	223.1	170.1	170.1	20.46	25.68	59.3	30.2
Yearly Total	236.8	176.0	176.0	19.25	30.90	58.9	30.7
1955—I	229.3	173.8	173.8	19.56	25.22	61.0	30.3
II	236.5	176.0	176.0	19.62	25.66	56.7	29.7
III	230.0	175.7	175.7	19.61	26.85	57.3	29.3
IV	224.2†	172.2	172.2	19.59	22.88	57.3	29.9
Yearly Total	230.6†	174.4	174.4	19.60	25.15	58.1	29.8
1956—I	222.4†	173.7	173.7	17.84	22.53	57.6	31.3
II	230.1†	175.0	175.0	18.78	23.99	56.8	31.1
III	234.8†	173.2	173.2	21.17	27.53	56.2	33.3
IV*	226.0	170.2	170.2	19.84	29.90	57.4	34.0
Yearly Total*	228.3	173.0	173.0	19.41	25.99	57.0	32.5
1957—I*		168.7	168.7	18.99	30.76	57.6	31.3

FARM CASH AND NET INCOME FROM SALE OF FARM PRODUCTS

	By Products: Field Crops	Participation and Equalization Payments[14]	Livestock	Dairy Products, Poultry and Eggs	All Other	Total Cash Income	By Regions: Maritimes	Quebec and Ontario	Western Provinces	Total Cash Income (Incl. certain Govt. Pay'ts.)[15]	Total Net Income[16]
	Millions of Dollars										
1953—IV	298	88	186	186	57	814	33	297	485	815	
Yearly Total	1,103	172	657	687	156	2,776	107	1,114	1,555	2,778	1,697
1954—I	142	28	181	127	35	513	24	264	224	515	
II	126	31	181	175	48	561	29	269	263	561	
III	224†	–	156	195	19	594†	27	292	275†	594†	
IV	240†	54	186	191	54	725†	37	296	392†	725†	
Yearly Total	732†	113	704	688	156	2,392†	118†	1,121	1,154†	2,395†	1,190
1955—I	149†	–	164	132†	34†	480†	28†	272†	179†	498†	
II	146†	37	169	175†	49†	576†	30†	269†	278†	590†	
III	240†	–	172	209†	20	640†	26†	316†	298†	641†	
IV	190†	10	197†	206†	58†	661†	33†	317†	311†	662†	
Yearly Total	725†	47	703	722†	161†	2,357†	117†	1,173†	1,067†	2,390†	1,454*
1956—I	158†	22	159	154†	36	530†	26†	273†	230†	533†	
II	223	40	172	196†	52†	683†	30†	286†	366	684†	
III	288†	–	188†	202†	21	698†	27	312†	360	699†	
IV*	256	23	218	199	55	751†	38	319	394	752†	
Yearly Total*	926	85	737	751	164	2,662†	122	1,190	1,350	2,667	
1957—I*											

1. Exclude Newfoundland.
2. Rye, flaxseed, buckwheat, mixed grains and shelled corn.
3. Creamery, dairy and whey butter.
4. Whole milk products and milk by-products.
5. Total milk production by quarters does not include the milk equivalent of factory cheese other than cheddar included in the annual totals.
6. Registered egg station gradings.
7. Allowances made for the low quality of the 1954 western grain crop.
8. Prices are quarterly and annual averages.
9. Prices used for western wheat, oats and barley are initial payments to farmers plus retroactive revisions to include participation payments as these are announced. The indexes prior to July 1955 and earlier months include final payments for all three grains. Subsequent to July 1955 only the initial prices of the three grains are used.
10. Basis in store Fort William-Port Arthur.
11. Up to July 31, 1953 excludes 6 cents carrying charges, after that date carrying charges are included in the price quoted.
12. No. 1 pasteurized, current receipts, price delivered.
13. Ontario coloured, current receipts, price f.o.b. factory.
14. Wheat participation and adjustment payments, oats and barley equalization payments and flaxseed adjustment payments. The wheat participation and adjustment payments for the years 1953, 1954, 1955 and 1956 amounted to 125, 97, 26 and 62 respectively.
15. Payments under the Prairie Farm Assistance Act.
16. Net Income is Cash Income plus income in kind plus increase in inventories on the farm less farm operating costs.

† Revised. ‡ Quarterly revisions not yet available.
** D.B.S. estimate Mar. 1, 1957. * Preliminary.

CORPORATION PROFITS: QUARTERLY[1]

Millions of Dollars — *Dominion Bureau of Statistics*

	BEFORE TAXES — By Industry							
	1955*				1956*			
	I	II	III	IV	I	II	III	IV
Foods and Beverages	32	51	64	57	35	54	64	64
Rubber Products	5	6	8	7	5	10	7	9
Textile Products	10	10	10	13	15	13	10	15
Wood and Paper Products	87	119	118	118	104	133	121	94
Iron and Steel Products	48	88	78	75	79	112	84	95
Non-Ferrous Metal Products	7	12	14	12	11	14	17	7
Electrical Apparatus and Supplies	15	14	21	25	17	19	18	23
Non-Metallic Mineral Products	10	25	29	18	13	29	26	17
Products of Petroleum and Coal	31	27	40	42	40	35	44	45
Chemical Products	20	27	26	22	23	30	25	20
Other Manufacturing Industries[2]	14	16	15	14	14	15	14	16
TOTAL MANUFACTURING	279	395	423	401	356	464	430	405
Mining, Quarrying and Oil Wells	67	75	87	96	95	91	103	73
Transportation, Storage and Communication	28	47	59	50	35	63	76	54
Public Utility Operation	18	14	10	13	21	17	12	14
Wholesale Trade	31	51	59	54	46	67	72	63
Retail Trade	24	51	51	62	27	56	59	70
Finance, Insurance and Real Estate	64	74	64	55	66	67	75	67
Service	9	13	15	11	11	15	17	11
Other Non-Manufacturing Industries[3]	18	35	46	23	28	44	45	25
Total All Industries	**538**	**755**	**814**	**765**	**685**	**884**	**889**	**782**
PROFITS AND RELATED DATA: ALL INDUSTRIES[4]								
Net Earnings	832	1,081	1,161	1,131	1,009	1,245	1,280	1,195
Less: Depreciation	294	326	347	366	324	361	391	413
Profits Before Taxes	538	755	814	765	685	884	889	782
Less: Income Tax Liabilities	240	340	863	333	293	383	383	338
Profits After Taxes[5,6]	**298**	**415**	**451**	**432**	**392**	**501**	**506**	**444**

	AFTER TAXES — By Industry							
	1955*				1956*			
	I	II	III	IV	I	II	III	IV
Foods and Beverages	16	28	33	30	19	29	34	35
Rubber Products	3	3	4	4	3	6	4	5
Textile Products	7	7	7	9	9	8	7	10
Wood and Paper Products	46	64	65	65	58	75	67	51
Iron and Steel Products	26	47	42	43	44	62	46	51
Non-Ferrous Metal Products	4	6	8	7	6	8	9	4
Electrical Apparatus and Supplies	8	7	12	13	9	10	10	12
Non-Metallic Mineral Products	5	13	15	10	7	16	14	9
Products of Petroleum and Coal	17	15	21	23	22	19	24	33
Chemical Products	11	15	14	11	14	18	14	12
Other Manufacturing Industries[2]	8	9	8	8	8	9	8	9
TOTAL MANUFACTURING	151	214	229	223	199	260	237	231
Mining, Quarrying and Oil Wells	44	48	57	63	62	59	67	48
Transportation, Storage and Communication	14	26	33	28	20	37	44	30
Public Utility Operation	10	8	5	7	12	10	7	8
Wholesale Trade	16	27	31	28	26	36	40	34
Retail Trade	13	26	27	34	14	29	32	37
Finance, Insurance and Real Estate	35	39	35	31	37	37	44	37
Service	5	7	8	6	6	8	9	6
Other Non-Manufacturing Industries[3]	10	20	26	12	16	25	26	13
Total All Industries	**298**	**415**	**451**	**432**	**392**	**501**	**506**	**444**

1. Figures are obtained through the use of a stratified random sample and are projections, allocated by quarters, of annual totals contained in "Taxation Statistics", published by the Department of National Revenue. Figures are subject to revisions as later tax data become available.
2. Includes Tobacco, Leather and miscellaneous manufacturing industries.
3. Includes Agriculture, Forestry, Fishing and Construction.
4. For detail by industry see the D.B.S. publication "Quarterly Corporation Profits: 1950–1954"; "Second Quarter 1955", "Second Quarter 1956" and "Fourth Quarter 1956".
5. Depletion charges have not been deducted from profits.
6. Canadian dividends received are not included in profits.

* Subject to further revision.

NOTE ("AFTER TAXES" DATA ONLY): FOR 1950 AND 1951 SEE PAGES 79–80 IN THE MARCH 1955 STATISTICAL SUMMARY. FOR 1952 SEE PAGE 80 IN THE "FINANCIAL SUPPLEMENT 1955". FOR 1953 AND 1954 SEE PAGES 269–270 IN THE SEPTEMBER 1956 STATISTICAL SUMMARY. ("BEFORE TAXES" DATA ONLY): FOR 1950 TO 1954 SEE PAGES 377–378 IN THE DECEMBER 1956 STATISTICAL SUMMARY.

MANUFACTURING: SHIPMENTS, ORDERS AND INVENTORIES

ESTIMATES FOR ALL ITEMS IN ALL INDUSTRIES

Millions of Dollars — *"Inventories, Shipments and Orders in Manufacturing Industries", DBS*

	Shipments During Month 1	Orders: New Orders Received During Month 2	Orders: Unfilled Orders at end of Month 3	Inventories at End of Month: Owned 4	Inventories at End of Month: All Inventories Held: Total 5	All Inventories Held: Raw Materials	All Inventories Held: Goods in Process	All Inventories Held: Finished Products
1955—July	1,576	1,608	2,690	3,497	3,953	1,693	1,086	1,174
Aug.	1,669	1,723	2,744	3,482	3,947	1,671	1,105	1,170
Sept.	1,747	1,733	2,730	3,499	3,971	1,675	1,109	1,187
Oct.	1,702	1,674	2,702	3,527	4,013	1,712	1,135	1,166
Nov.	1,695	1,737	2,744	3,552	4,028	1,737	1,110	1,181
Dec.	1,644	1,684	2,784	3,636	4,070	1,766	1,105	1,199
1956—Jan.	1,539	1,752	2,997	3,699	4,132	1,788	1,106	1,237
Feb.	1,621	1,672	3,048	3,776	4,220	1,816	1,142	1,262
Mar.	1,761	1,759	3,046	3,829	4,257	1,823	1,150	1,284
Apr.	1,752	1,779	3,074	3,842	4,278	1,817	1,159	1,302
May	1,888	1,852	3,037	3,881	4,340	1,838	1,185	1,317
June	1,867	1,760	2,930	3,932	4,395	1,854	1,193	1,348
July	1,764	1,734	2,900	3,934	4,388	1,882	1,166	1,340
Aug.	1,810	1,829	2,920	3,931	4,392	1,897	1,172	1,323
Sept.	1,798	1,817	2,938	3,962	4,434	1,903	1,191	1,340
Oct.	1,914†	1,864†	2,891†	3,985	4,460†	1,927†	1,206†	1,327†
Nov.	1,853	1,850	2,888	4,056	4,543	1,956	1,230	1,357
Dec. *	1,725	1,979	3,141	4,114	4,604	1,993	1,237	1,374
1957—Jan. *	1,713	1,802	3,230	4,155	4,654	1,987	1,252	1,415
Feb. *	1,642	1,638	3,226	4,220	4,720	2,002	1,263	1,456

1. Represent an estimated projection, on a monthly basis, of the latest available Census of Industry values. The value level used being the factory selling value. 2. Indicates the rate at which new business is being received. These are new orders received during the period at estimated selling value. 3. Estimated selling value of orders received but not yet shipped, irrespective of work done on them. 4. Estimated book value of inventory owned by manufacturers in connection with manufacturing operations. Excludes value of goods purchased for re-sale. 5. Estimated total value of manufacturers' inventory holdings in connection with manufacturing operations, regardless of ownership. Includes progress payments inventory. † Revised. * Preliminary.

U.S.A. ECONOMIC STATISTICS

	U.S. Department of Commerce								U.S. Dept. of Labor			Federal Reserve
	Gross National Product	Change in Business Inventories	Govt. Expenditure on National Security 1	Personal Savings as a Percentage of Disposable Income	Total Personal Income	Construction 3	Unemployment	Retail Sales 4	Consumer Price Index	Wholesale Prices: All Commodities	Average Hourly Earnings in Manufacturing 5	Total Industrial Production 4
	Billions of Dollars[2]				Billions of $[2]	Billions of $	Millions	Billions of $	1947–49 = 100		Dollars	1947–49 = 100
Annual Averages[6]												
1951	328.2	10.4	37.3	7.8	255.3	31.2	1.9	158.2	111.0	114.8	1.59	120
1952	345.4	3.0	48.8	8.0	271.8	33.0	1.7	164.1	113.5	111.6	1.67	124
1953	363.2	0.3	51.5	7.9	286.0	35.3	1.6	170.7	114.4	110.1	1.77	134
1954	360.7	−2.3	43.0	7.0	287.3	37.6	3.2	170.7	114.8	110.3	1.81	125
1955	390.9	4.2	41.2	6.1	306.1	43.0	2.7	185.5	114.5	110.7	1.88	139
1956	412.4	3.5	41.6	7.3	325.2	44.3	2.6	191.5	116.2	114.3	1.98	143
Monthly												
1955—Nov.	401.9	6.1	40.6	6.8	314.5	3.7	2.4	15.8	115.0	111.2	1.93	143
Dec.					317.5	3.3	2.4	15.8	114.7	111.3	1.93	144
1956—Jan.					316.7	2.9	2.9	15.7	114.6	111.9	1.93	143
Feb.	403.4	4.1	40.5	6.6	317.1	2.8	2.9	15.3	114.6	112.4	1.93	143
Mar.					318.6	3.1	2.8	15.7	114.7	112.8	1.95	141
Apr.					321.7	3.4	2.6	15.5	114.9	113.6	1.96	143
May	408.3	3.5	40.7	7.4	322.8	3.8	2.6	15.9	115.4	114.4	1.97	141
June					324.9	4.1	2.9	16.0	116.2	114.2	1.97	141
July					324.3	4.2	2.8	16.0	117.0	114.0	1.97	136
Aug.	413.8	2.0	41.9	7.4	328.1	4.3	2.2	16.3	116.8	114.7	1.98	143
Sept.					329.5	4.3	2.0	16.0	117.1	115.5	2.00	144
Oct.					332.5	4.1	1.9	16.1	117.7	115.6	2.02	146
Nov.	423.8	4.1	43.2	7.6†	333.5	3.8	2.5	16.4	117.8	115.9	2.03	146
Dec.					334.0	3.4	2.5	16.5	118.0	116.3	2.05	147
1957—Jan.					335.0	3.1	3.2[7]	16.4	118.2	116.9	2.05	146
Feb.	427.0[8]	−[8]	44.5[8]	6.9[8]	336.7	2.9	3.1	16.5	118.7	117.0	2.05	146
Mar.					337.6	3.2	2.9	16.3	118.9	116.9	2.05	146

1. Includes stockpiling, atomic energy, and Mutual Defence Assistance in addition to strictly military programmes.
2. Seasonally adjusted annual rates.
3. Value of new work put in place.
4. Seasonally adjusted.
5. Production workers.
6. Quarterly averages for first four columns. Calendar year totals in the case of "Construction" and "Retail Sales".
7. New series starting Jan. 1957: not strictly comparable with earlier figures. Includes persons temporarily laid-off who were classed as employed prior to 1957.
8. Council of Economic Advisors' estimates. † Revised.

SELECTED SEASONALLY ADJUSTED STATISTICS★

Dominion Bureau of Statistics

	Gross National Production		Personal Income and Expenditure				Change in Business Inventories	Corporation Profits before Taxes 1	Expenditure on Construction 2	External Trade Value Indexes		Labour Force Survey			Industrial Production Index	Manufacturing						
			Labour Income	Disposable Income	Expenditure on Goods					Exports of Goods	Imports of Goods	Without Jobs	Non-Agric. Employment	Employment in Construction		Total		Durable Goods		Non-Durable Goods		
	Total	Ex. Farm			Durable	Non-Dur.										Production Index	Employment Index	Employment Index	Hrs. Worked per Week	Employment Index	Hrs. Worked per Week	
	Millions of Dollars									*1949 = 100*		*Thousands of Persons*			*1935–39 = 100*	*1949 = 100*			*Average*	*1949 = 100*	*Average*	
1955—Mar.			12,432							141	158	263			255	258	108	115	41.0	101	40.6	Mar.—1955
Apr.			12,528							152	167	238			259	264	108	115	41.0	101	40.5	Apr.
May	26,624	25,176	12,672	18,240	1,916	9,612	−16	2,752	3,216	134	165	236	4,688†	359	263	268	109	116	41.2	102	40.6	May
June			12,816							138	159	224			266	271	109†	117	41.4	103	40.7	June
July			12,864							141†	160	220			269	275	111	119	40.9	103	40.9	July
Aug.	27,396	25,984	13,008	18,332	2,008	9,760	528	3,052	3,388	147	181	208	4,780†	374	270	276	111	118	41.4	103	40.9	Aug.
Sept.			13,056							157	180	230			272	278	112	119	41.3	105	41.0	Sept.
Oct.			13,140							159	201	209			274	278	111	119	41.4	104	40.8	Oct.
Nov.	27,912	26,468	13,236	18,664	2,032	9,996	488	3,232	3,556	143	183	195	4,817†	382	278	279	112	120	41.5	105	40.9	Nov.
Dec.			13,320							143	182	198			275	277	113	120	41.2	106	40.8	Dec.
1956—Jan.			13,476							159	199	200			276	278	113	121	41.2	104	41.1	Jan.—1956
Feb.	28,676	27,100	13,644	19,284	1,948	10,196	992	3,112	3,712	162	199	202	4,645	391	274	275	113	121	41.2	106	41.1	Feb.
Mar.			13,788							151	216	193			278	280	115	124	41.1	105	40.9	Mar.
Apr.			13,992							166	225	188			279	281	115	125	41.0	106	40.3	Apr.
May	29,548	27,964	14,100	19,760	2,100	10,272	856	3,216	4,080	149	199	183	4,691	419	278	282	116	126	41.4	106	40.7	May
June			14,232							161	202	167			287	290	116	127	41.1	106	40.9	June
July			14,484							164	198	150			293	299	118	128	41.3	107	41.0	July
Aug.	30,256	28,688	14,496	20,208	2,112	10,668	396	3,324†	4,268	162	200	164	4,814	416	287	288	117	127	41.5	108	40.8	Aug.
Sept.			14,700							182	210	162			289	290	116	125	41.3	107	40.7	Sept.
Oct.			14,760							173	220	144			290	289	117	126	41.3	107	40.9	Oct.
Nov.	30,984	29,280	14,832	20,692	2,084	10,916	724	3,292	4,360	155	219	163	4,874	416	292	291	118	129	41.5	107	40.7	Nov.
Dec.			14,904							166	200	175			291†	290†	119	129	41.2	108†	40.7	Dec.
1957—Jan.			14,964							168	217	212			290†	289	118	130	40.2†	107†	39.7†	Jan.—1957
Feb.			15,072							166	223*	212	4,840	**	292	291	119	129	40.8	108	40.9	Feb.
Mar.										155		224										Mar.

★ Note: All dollar series are expressed at annual rates. 1. As per survey of corporate earnings: profits before payment of dividends abroad and including earnings of Canadian corporations abroad. 2. As per National Accounts: expenditure on private residential and non-residential construction. ** Not available. † Revised.
* Preliminary.

NOTE: For data back to 1952 for most of this series, see page 87 in the "Financial Supplement 1955".

VOLUME OF INDUSTRIAL PRODUCTION

INDEXES NOT SEASONALLY ADJUSTED

1935–39 = 100

"Canadian Statistical Review", Dominion Bureau of Statistics

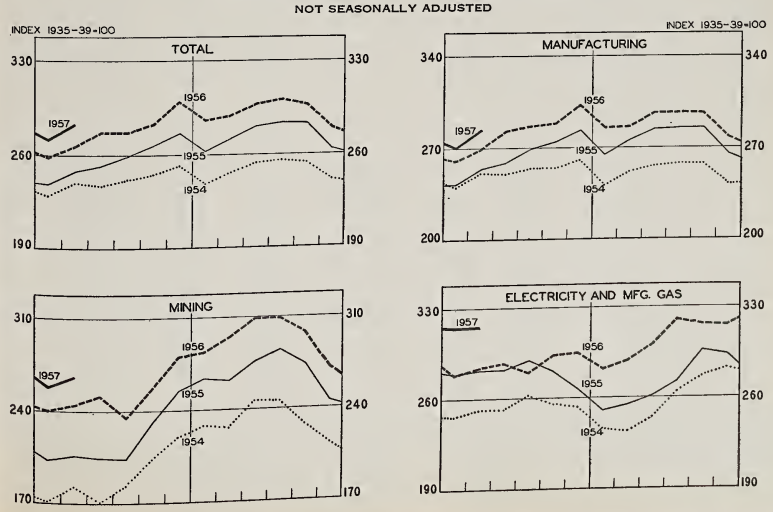
	Total	Mining	Manufacturing			Electricity and Manufactured Gas
			Total	Non-Durables	Durables	
Weighting	100.0	16.8	75.6	46.1	29.5	7.6
Annual Average						
1951	**226.5**	161.8	242.1	214.0	285.9	214.2
1952	**233.0**	174.7	246.3	215.2	294.8	228.8
1953	**248.4**	185.8	263.0	224.1	323.9	241.9
1954	**244.6**	209.7	251.4	221.7	297.7	254.6
1955	**265.8**	242.0	270.1	235.2	324.8	275.7
1956*	**284.4**	272.5	285.9	245.6	349.0	295.2
Monthly						
1955—July	**263.7**	264.0	265.1	230.1	320.0	249.6
Aug.	**271.7**	261.8	275.5	245.8	322.0	255.2
Sept.	**281.2**	275.7	284.3	250.2	337.6	262.3
Oct.	**284.0**	285.3	284.9	247.5	343.2	272.3
Nov.	**283.7**	273.9	284.6	248.6	341.0	296.5
Dec.	**264.3**	245.5	265.5	229.5	321.9	293.2
1956—Jan.	**257.7**	239.8	259.5	223.5	315.8	278.8
Feb.	**266.4**	243.6	269.7	232.8	327.5	283.2
Mar.	**277.5**	250.5	282.5	240.9	347.5	286.9
Apr.	**277.4**	234.5	286.6	244.1	353.0	279.8
May	**283.3**	257.5	288.0	244.3	356.3	293.2
June	**298.7**	279.5	303.3	260.1	370.8	295.3
July	**285.5**	284.3	286.1	240.2	358.0	282.7
Aug.	**288.7**	294.3	287.4	252.5	342.1	289.1
Sept.	**298.8**	308.6	296.5	260.2	353.2	300.6
Oct.	**300.8**	308.4	297.2	256.4	360.9	319.5
Nov.	**298.2**	298.4	296.2	254.4	361.7	317.1
Dec.	**279.6**	270.4	277.9	237.7	340.9	316.3
1957—Jan.	**271.3***	257.9*	269.9*	227.0*	337.2*	314.6†
Feb.	**283.3***	266.3*	283.8*	242.9*	347.8*	315.4

† Revised. * Preliminary.

NOTE: For the years 1952–1955 see page 82 in the "Financial Supplement 1955".

INDEXES OF INDUSTRIAL PRODUCTION

NOT SEASONALLY ADJUSTED



IMPORTS CLASSIFIED BY SOURCE AND END-USE★

Compiled from "Trade of Canada", Dominion Bureau of Statistics

Millions of Dollars

Source, Calendar Years and Quarters		Industrial Materials					Investment Goods					Consumer Goods							
	Fuels and Lubricants 1	Textile, Leather and Fur Materials 2	Metal Materials 3	Chemical Materials 4	Other Industrial Materials 5	Total Industrial Materials	Machinery and Parts 6	Electrical Machinery 7	Aircraft, Other Transport Equipment, and Parts 8	Construction Materials, Structural Steel and Pipe 9	Total Investment Goods	Food, Beverages, and Tobacco 10	Clothing, Household Textiles, Leather Goods 11	Passenger Automobiles: Engines, Parts and Finished Vehicles 12	Household Durables and Semi-Durables 13	Other Manufactured Goods 14	Total Consumer Goods	Special Items 15	Total Imports
From U.S.A. 1953	304	181	256	183	190	810	645	162	209	141	1,157	164	48	259	146	272	889	61	**3,221**
1954	236	168	213	177	196	753	544	174	200	140	1,058	190	44	211	127	277	849	64	**2,961**
1955	231	181	280	208	232	901	660	190	242	155	1,247	201	48	302	149	296	995	78	**3,452**
1956	255	179	389	230	274	1,072	917	210	236	250	1,614	246	50	346	166	326	1,132	88	**4,162**
1954–II	59	43	54	48	51	196	172	40	53	39	304	52	11	69	39	71	242	11	**813**
III	62	36	57	42	45	179	127	39	50	36	251	45	10	30	30	76	191	23	**707**
IV	69	47	52	45	59	204	111	55	52	31	250	54	11	43	29	71	208	21	**751**
1955–I	37	56	48	45	48	197	135	47	52	30	264	45	12	80	31	61	229	16	**746**
II	59	47	68	55	56	226	181	42	65	35	323	54	12	95	41	74	276	22	**904**
III	64	37	79	53	57	226	167	45	73	40	325	45	12	62	38	83	239	25	**879**
IV	71	41	85	55	71	252	177	56	52	50	335	57	12	65	39	78	251	15	**925**
1956–I	45	47	86	55	61	249	211	51	61	52	374	50	13	106	42	69	279	15	**961**
II	67	40	109	65	73	287	265	54	66	74	460	61	12	110	48	84	315	26	**1,156**
III	73	38†	94	54	63	248†	223	50	55	59	386	61	12†	47	38	90	248†	26	**982**
IV	70	54	100	56	77	288	218	55	54	65	394	74	13	83	38	83	290	21	**1,063**
From U.K. 1953	5	94	52	18	11	175	58	23	33	21	135	24	32	33	22	20	131	8	**453**
1954	4	71	53	18	11	153	45	19	26	21	111	25	28	20	20	19	114	11	**393**
1955	4	76	49	22	14	161	41	22	28	21	112	25	32	19	21	21	117	7	**401**
1956	3	84	76	21	17	199	54	31	21	37	142	25	33	27	22	26	134	7	**485**
1954–II	1	18	16	5	3	43	17	5	7	7	35	6	7	9	6	5	34	4	**116**
III	1	17	13	4	3	37	9	5	5	6	25	6	9	3	5	5	30	3	**97**
IV	1	16	12	5	3	36	8	6	6	5	25	9	6	3	5	5	27	2	**92**
1955–I	–	19	12	4	3	38	9	4	7	3	23	4	6	3	4	4	21	1	**85**
II	1	18	10	5	3	36	12	5	8	5	30	6	7	7	5	5	30	2	**98**
III	2	19	12	6	5	42	10	7	9	7	32	6	11	5	6	6	33	2	**111**
IV	1	20	15	7	3	45	10	6	4	6	27	9	8	4	6	6	33	2	**107**
1956–I	–	20	15	4	4	44	11	5	4	6	26	4	7	6	5	5	27	1	**98**
II	1	23	23	6	4	56	16	8	7	10	42	7	8	11	7	8	40	2	**141**
III	1	20	21	5	4	49	13	9	5	12	39	6	10	5	6	6	33	2	**124**
IV	1	21	17	6	5	50	14	9	5	9	35	8	8	5	4	7	34	2	**122**
From All Other 1953	192	71	47	12	59	189	18	2	1	20	41	214	15	2	25	18	274	14	**709**
1954	217	51	39	11	56	157	20	6	1	21	49	235	19	3	24	22	301	16	**739**
1955	254	79	49	16	73	216	22	6	3	30	61	234	25	5	28	24	318	10	**859**
1956	305	101	73	17	79	268	32	9	3	65	109	250	32	15	35	32	365	13	**1,058**
1954–II	52	14	12	2	17	44	6	1	1	5	13	66	4	1	6	6	82	4	**195**
III	59	12	12	3	14	42	5	–	–	8	15	60	6	2	7	6	79	4	**197**
IV	57	13	11	4	14	40	6	3	–	5	14	63	5	–	5	6	81	7	**199**
1955–I	55	13	4	3	15	35	4	2	–	4	10	44	6	1	6	5	62	2	**159**
II	61	19	13	3	20	55	5	1	1	6	13	63	5	2	6	7	83	2	**217**
III	69	21	15	5	15	55	6	2	1	9	18	59	6	1	7	6	82	3	**227**
IV	69	26	17	5	23	71	7	1	1	11	20	68	8	1	9	6	91	3	**254**
1956–I	65	34	6	3	18	60	5	2	–	8	16	47	7	3	7	6	70	2	**213**
II	69	30	19	5	21	75	8	3	1	20	31	67	9	6	8	8	99	3	**276**
III	86	19	27	4	19	72†	8	1	1	19	31	67	10	1	8	9	95	4	**288**
IV	85	18	21	5	21	61	11	3	1	18	31	69	6	5	12	9	101	4	**281**
Total All Countries 1953	501	346	355	213	260	1,174	721	187	243	181	1,332	402	95	294	193	310	1,294	83	**4,383**
1954	457	290	305	206	263	1,063	609	199	227	182	1,218	450	91	234	171	318	1,264	91	**4,093**
1955	489	336	378	246	318	1,278	723	218	273	206	1,420	460	105	326	198	341	1,430	95	**4,712**
1956	563	364	538	268	370	1,539	1,003	250	260	352	1,865	521	115	388	223	384	1,631	108	**5,705**
1954–I	96	74	66	48	54	242	148	45	53	40	286	89	22	74	39	67	290	12	**926**
II	112	75	82	55	71	283	195	46	61	51	352	124	22	79	51	82	358	19	**1,124**
III	122	65	82	49	62	258	141	44	55	50	291	111	25	35	42	87	300	30	**1,001**
IV	127	76	75	54	76	280	125	64	58	41	289	126	22	46	39	82	316	30	**1,042**
1955–I	92	88	64	52	66	270	148	53	59	37	297	93	24	84	41	70	312	19	**991**
II	121	84	91	63	79	317	198	48	74	46	366	123	24	104	52	86	389	26	**1,219**
III	135	77	106	64	77	323	183	54	83	56	375	110	29	68	51	95	354	30	**1,217**
IV	141	87	117	67	96	368	194	63	57	67	382	134	28	70	54	90	375	20	**1,286**
1956–I	110	101	107	62	83	353	227	58	65	66	416	101	27	115	54	80	376	18	**1,272**
II	137	93	151	76	98	418	289	65	74	104	533	135	29	127	63	100	454	31	**1,573**
III	160	78†	142	63	86	369†	244	60	61	90	456	134	31†	53	52	105	375†	32	**1,394**
IV	156	92	138	67	103	399	243	67	60	92	460	151	28	93	54	99	426	27	**1,466**

★ This classification attempts to distinguish between imports for investment and imports for consumption, insofar as this is possible within the limitations of the basic data provided by the trade returns. In the case of most finished goods and many component parts, the end-use is reasonably clear, although a certain amount of rather arbitrary grouping is unavoidable. Finished goods whose end-use cannot easily be determined are included in "Other Manufactured Goods" above. In the case of fuels and lubricants and most crude and semi-manufactured industrial materials, separate categories are provided in the table because imports of these goods enter into both investment and consumption. A complete list of items included in this classification is available from the Research Department on request.

1. Mainly coal, crude petroleum, gasoline, lubricants, natural gas.
2. Mainly textile yarn, fabrics, textile fibres, hides, skins, leather and furs.
3. Includes primary metals and products thereof whose end-use cannot clearly be distinguished.
4. Including synthetic resins, dyes and paints.
5. Oil and fats, rubber, paper and products, crude minerals, wood and cork.
6. Includes tools and agricultural machinery, but excludes electrical machinery.
7. Includes radio apparatus, n.o.p.
8. Includes aircraft and parts, railway rolling stock, trucks, buses and parts. Excludes passenger automobiles and parts.
9. Includes softwood lumber, cement, window glass, hardware and building fixtures.
10. Fruits and vegetables, coffee, tea, cocoa, meats, cereals, alcoholic beverages, tobacco and products.
11. Includes carpets, linoleum and travel goods.
12. Automobile engines and parts for assembly or repair and finished vehicles.
13. Mainly electric household appliances, stoves and heaters, furniture, china and glassware, household utensils, jewellery, clocks and watches.
14. Includes instruments, cameras, duty-free tourist purchases, postal packages, drugs, medicines, cosmetics, toys, books newspapers, etc.
15. Chiefly arms and supplies for use of NATO forces in Canada, settler's effects and Canadian goods returned.

† Revised.

EXTERNAL TRADE AND TRADE INDEXES

Millions of Dollars — *Compiled from "Trade of Canada", Dominion Bureau of Statistics*

	TOTAL EXPORTS (EXCLUDING GOLD) TO [1]							NEW GOLD PRODUCTION AVAILABLE FOR EXPORT ‡	EXPORT INDEXES [4] 1948 = 100		
	U.S.A.	U.K.	OTHER STERLING AREA 2	WESTERN EUROPE & COLONIES 3	CENTRAL AND SOUTH AMERICA	ALL OTHER	Total All Countries		TOTAL VALUE	PRICE	PHYSICAL VOLUME
Calendar Yrs.											
1951	2,334	636	267	364	217	145	**3,963**	150	127.3	123.0	103.5
1952	2,349	751	291	468	281	216	**4,356**	150	139.9	121.8	114.9
1953	2,463	669	252	367	207	215	**4,173**	144	133.9	118.3	113.2
1954	2,367	658	208	349	196	169	**3,947**	155	126.2	115.1	109.6
1955	2,612	774	254	379	172	160	**4,351**	155	139.2	117.7	118.3
1956	2,879†	818	257	466†	188	256†	**4,864**	150	155.7	121.3	128.4
12 Mths. ending Feb. 1957	2,879	803	260	492	199	263	**4,896**	151			
Monthly											
1955–Sept.	230.2	72.2	30.3	32.5	15.2	8.9	**389.3**	12.2	149.8	118.5	126.4
Oct.	237.5	61.6	21.1	33.1	14.0	13.9	**381.2**	11.7	145.9	119.2	122.4
Nov.	240.1	64.2	18.1	43.3	13.2	13.3	**392.2**	15.0	150.7	119.1	126.5
Dec.	230.1	62.3	19.3	35.6	15.5	18.1	**380.9**	13.4	146.6	119.4	122.8
1956–Jan.	217.3	72.9	19.9	26.5	14.1	14.7	**365.4**	12.4	140.4	119.3	117.7
Feb.	216.0	58.8	19.5	31.4	12.4	14.8	**352.9**	12.7	135.7	119.9	113.2
Mar.	208.4	49.2	21.0	28.6	12.0	14.0	**333.2**	12.0	127.8	120.8	105.8
Apr.	236.6	65.6	19.9	30.7	15.0	20.4	**388.2**	12.5	149.3	121.4	123.0
May	261.8	59.3	25.4	40.3†	16.3	32.2†	**435.3**	14.4	167.1	122.0	137.0
June	233.6	65.7	28.5	47.1†	17.1	37.3†	**429.3**	12.9	165.3	122.1	135.4
July	237.5	75.9	22.1	44.8†	16.4	33.6†	**430.3**	11.1	165.6	121.7	136.1
Aug.	267.5	69.1	19.2	37.1†	13.6	20.8†	**427.3†**	14.5	164.1	121.9	134.6
Sept.	235.8	75.7	19.9	42.1	15.3	20.6	**409.4**	12.2	157.5	122.0	129.1
Oct.	285.5†	67.4†	17.9	47.0	21.2	17.1	**456.1†**	12.3	175.2	122.4	143.1
Nov.	243.2†	83.9	22.7	44.9	16.4	14.6	**425.7†**	12.3	163.4	122.5	133.4
Dec.	235.9	75.0	20.8	45.1	18.4	15.4	**410.6**	10.4	157.5	122.2	128.9
1957–Jan.	219.0	63.8	23.8	51.3	22.6	23.6	**404.1**	13.9	154.8	122.5	126.4
Feb.	214.2	52.3	18.5	33.6	14.8	13.5	**346.9**	12.5	132.7*	121.7*	109.0*
Mar.*	226.4	44.2					**361.8**				

	TOTAL IMPORTS (EXCLUDING GOLD) FROM							EXCESS OF MERCHANDISE EXPORTS OVER MERCHANDISE IMPORTS	IMPORT INDEXES [4] 1948 = 100		
	U.S.A.	U.K.	OTHER STERLING AREA 2	WESTERN EUROPE & COLONIES 3	CENTRAL AND SOUTH AMERICA	ALL OTHER	Total All Countries		TOTAL VALUE	PRICE	PHYSICAL VOLUME
Calendar Yrs.											
1951	2,813	421	309	181	275	86	**4,085**	−122	154.8	126.2	122.7
1952	2,977	360	186	157	285	65	**4,030**	326	152.3	110.4	138.0
1953	3,221	453	172	179	291	67	**4,383**	−210	165.2	109.4	151.0
1954	2,961	392	183	199	286	72	**4,093**	−146	154.4	109.5	141.0
1955	3,452	401	211	234	320	94	**4,712**	−360	177.1	110.5	160.3
1956	4,162†	485	222	328	363	145	**5,705†**	−841†	214.9	113.1	190.0
12 Mths. ending Jan. 1957	4,214	487	226	331	360	143	**5,761**	−858			
Monthly											
1955–Sept.	302.4	31.7	23.1	22.0	27.3	7.7	**414.2**	−24.9	187.6	111.3	168.6
Oct.	331.1	38.6	21.4	23.5	31.3	10.8	**456.7**	−75.5	207.1	112.1	184.7
Nov.	303.5	40.3	24.7	32.8	31.7	10.7	**443.7**	−51.5	201.0†	112.8	178.2†
Dec.	289.9	28.1	11.6	21.3	26.0	8.9	**385.8**	−4.9	175.1	113.6	154.1
1956–Jan.	294.4†	33.1	13.0	18.2	33.2	11.7	**403.7**	−38.3	183.3†	113.4†	161.6†
Feb.	305.3	30.9	13.1	16.5	30.4	8.8	**405.0**	−52.1	183.2†	113.8†	161.2†
Mar.	361.7	33.8	13.2	17.4	27.9	9.5	**463.5**	−130.3†	210.0	114.4†	183.6†
Apr.	400.3	50.0	14.0	27.6	30.8	9.7	**532.4**	−144.2	240.0	113.8	210.9
May	397.7	49.5	26.5	32.9	32.4	11.0	**550.0**	−114.7	248.0	113.1	219.3
June	357.8	41.4	18.4	29.4	28.2	15.4	**490.6**	−61.3	221.6	113.5	195.2
July	341.7	45.9	22.5	28.8	29.8	13.9	**482.6**	−52.3	218.1	112.4	194.0
Aug.	329.7	42.8	21.6	30.9	35.1	13.6	**473.7**	−46.4†	212.9	112.4	189.4
Sept.	309.9	35.8	21.2	29.0	28.4	13.4	**437.7**	−28.3	196.2	112.0†	175.2†
Oct.	394.6	43.7	21.6	38.5	27.9†	16.5	**542.8**	−86.7†	245.3	112.8	217.5
Nov.	368.7†	48.5	26.4	35.8	30.7	11.4	**521.5†**	−95.8†	236.3†	113.0†	209.1†
Dec.	299.9†	29.3	11.2†	22.7	28.1	10.7†	**401.9†**	+8.7†	181.0	113.5	159.5
1957–Jan.	346.7	35.7	16.1	20.9	30.5	9.1	**459.0†**	−54.9	208.2*	114.9*	181.2*
Feb.*	330.0	34.8					**431.4**	−84.5			
Mar.*	357.7	43.2					**471.9**	−110.1			

1. Includes exports of foreign produce. Excludes defence equipment transferred by Canada to North Atlantic Treaty countries which in 1951, 1952, 1953, 1954, 1955 and 1956 amounted to 109.1, 100.9, 182.0, 202.4, 165.9 and 96.8 respectively.
2. Consists of U.K. Dependencies, Union of South Africa, Ireland, India, Pakistan, Burma, Australia, New Zealand, Iceland, Jordan, Libya, Ceylon and Iraq.
3. Excludes Spain, but includes Greece and Turkey.
4. Excludes exports of foreign produce. Price indexes are based largely on unit values derived from the Customs' entries.

‡ See footnote ‡ to "Canadian Gold Statistics" table on page 124.
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BANK OF CANADA
MONTH-END AND WEEKLY SERIES

Millions of Dollars

	ASSETS																						LIABILITIES											
	Government of Canada Direct and Guaranteed Securities																						Notes in Circulation			Canadian Dollar Deposits									
	Treasury Bills	Other Maturities: 2 yrs. and under	Other Maturities: Over 2 yrs. to 5 yrs.	Other Maturities: Over 5 yrs. to 10 yrs.	Other Maturities: Over 10 yrs.	Other Maturities: Total	Total	*Of which held under Purchase and Resale Agreements*	Provincial Govt. Securities	Advances to: Govt. of Canada	Advances to: Chartered & Savings Banks	Foreign Currency Assets 1	Invest-ment in IDB 2	All Other Accounts 3	Total Assets or Liabilities	Held by: Chartered Banks	Held by: Others	Total	Govt. of Canada	Chartered Banks	Other	Foreign Currency Liabilities	All Other Accounts 4	
As at Dec. 31																																		**As at Dec. 31**
1951	186.4	955.3		1,049.3		2,004.7	**2,191.1**	–	–	–	–	204.2	27.8	21.0	**2,444.1**	273.1	1,191.1	**1,464.2**	94.9	619.0	66.1	155.6	44.4	1951
1952	282.9	1,176.9		767.2		1,944.1	**2,227.0**	–	–	–	–	84.5	30.8	39.2	**2,381.4**	272.5	1,288.7	**1,561.2**	16.2	626.6	44.5	82.9	50.0	1952
1953	374.5	1,002.1		893.7		1,895.7	**2,270.2**	*19.0*†	–	–	–	67.2	36.3	63.5	**2,437.2**	263.8	1,335.3	**1,599.1**	51.5	623.9	29.5	63.8	69.3	1953
1954	168.5	1,193.0	410.8	297.3	152.5	2,053.6	**2,222.0**	–	–	–	–	66.4	35.6	76.9	**2,400.8**	261.6	1,361.9	**1,623.5**	56.3	529.6	30.5	63.1	97.9	1954
1955	262.6	1,021.2	354.5	516.6	212.5	2,104.9	**2,367.5**	–	–	–	2.0	114.7	35.1	100.9	**2,620.2**	289.4	1,449.0	**1,738.5**	89.2	551.0	34.0	98.0	109.5	1955
1956	505.2	519.7 [5]	629.7 [5]	507.2 [5]	232.0 [5]	1,888.7 [5]	**2,393.9** [5]	–	–	–	–	77.7	48.0	28.1	**2,547.7**	370.9	1,497.8	**1,868.7**	38.8	511.5	31.2	62.2	35.4	1956
End of																																		**End of**
1956—May	392.4	673.3	643.1	328.7	206.4	1,851.5	**2,243.9**	–	–	–	15.7	104.1	37.0	53.6	**2,454.3**	280.9	1,425.2	**1,706.1**	30.2	542.8	29.9	82.7	62.6	May—1956
June	456.1	585.3	798.9	328.8	148.8	1,861.8	**2,317.8**	–	–	–	–	96.7	38.3	131.0	**2,583.9**	235.3	1,499.6	**1,734.9**	51.1	574.7	32.2	87.2	103.8	June
July	453.0	576.5	828.0	335.7	138.1	1,878.4	**2,331.4**	–	–	–	–	91.7	39.9	48.2	**2,511.2**	304.6	1,457.7	**1,762.3**	49.8	500.0	39.6	82.0	77.4	July
Aug.	495.1	524.2	849.8	354.4	131.3	1,859.7	**2,354.8**	–	–	–	–	74.4	40.8	143.3	**2,613.4**	249.6	1,515.0	**1,764.6**	65.4	580.6	35.6	64.4	102.8	Aug.
Sept.	535.3	506.0	672.7	447.5	215.6	1,841.8	**2,377.1**	–	–	–	–	74.8	42.2	108.0	**2,602.1**	255.8	1,513.7	**1,769.5**	46.0	564.0	45.2	64.9	112.4	Sept.
Oct.	557.5	473.8	669.7	451.5	221.4	1,816.4	**2,374.0**	–	–	–	–	68.5	42.8	85.9	**2,571.1**	309.1	1,471.8	**1,780.9**	55.0	575.3	30.7	56.4	72.9	Oct.
Nov.	553.5	467.7	672.7	466.4	222.5	1,829.2	**2,382.8**	–	–	–	–	77.9	43.7	116.9	**2,621.3**	250.5	1,542.9	**1,793.5**	7.4	624.9	31.7	68.2	95.7	Nov.
Dec.	505.2	519.7 [5]	629.7 [5]	507.2 [5]	232.0 [5]	1,888.7 [5]	**2,393.9** [5]	–	–	–	–	77.7	48.0	28.1	**2,547.7**	370.9	1,497.8	**1,868.7**	38.8	511.5	31.2	62.2	35.4	Dec.
1957—Jan.	413.5	678.2	438.8	510.3	229.2	1,856.5	**2,270.0**	*2.1*	–	–	–	75.1	48.9	66.9	**2,460.9**	294.1	1,444.8	**1,738.9**	57.8	524.0	34.3	65.4	40.5	Jan.—1957
Feb.	436.6	616.1	620.4	318.9	224.9	1,780.4	**2,217.0**	*1.2*	–	–	–	84.8	50.1	69.6	**2,421.5**	260.6	1,457.3	**1,717.9**	52.7	497.5	27.2	75.0	51.4	Feb.
Mar.	477.2	627.9	612.4	314.4	223.5	1,778.4	**2,255.6**	*0.7*	–	–	–	75.2	50.9	167.0	**2,548.7**	224.5	1,500.0	**1,724.6**	78.3	519.5	25.1	65.4	135.8	Mar.
Apr.	498.1	659.9	617.2	321.0	224.8	1,822.8	**2,320.9**	–	–	–	0.3	71.9	52.2	72.3	**2,517.7**	299.4	1,456.8	**1,756.3**	62.9	546.9	22.5	62.2	67.0	Apr.
May	473.7	692.2	605.3	321.1	228.5	1 847.1	**2,320.9**	–	–	–	0.1	76.3	55.1	139.7	**2,592.0**	*	*	**1,751.5**	43.9	526.3	32.0	66.8	171.4	May
Average of Wednesdays																																		**Average of Wednesdays**
1956—May	353.7	723.6		1,195.5		1,919.2	**2,272.9**	*0.2*	–	–	5.1	101.1	36.9	51.3	**2,467.4**	320.4	1,384.4	**1,704.8**	52.4	537.2	28.9	88.7	55.4	May—1956
June	447.9	641.4		1,230.1		1,871.6	**2,319.5**	–	–	–	5.7	95.7	37.2	53.1	**2,511.1**	335.9	1,386.0	**1,721.9**	55.7	550.2	32.1	85.7	65.4	June
July	456.3	588.3		1,286.7		1,875.0	**2,331.3**	*0.8*	–	–	20.3	90.8	38.3	47.5	**2,528.3**	339.6	1,417.6	**1,757.2**	47.9	531.5	32.9	81.0	77.7	July
Aug.	482.7	541.4		1,325.3		1,866.7	**2,349.3**	*0.9*	–	–	6.4	79.4	39.9	56.0	**2,531.0**	332.2	1,434.5	**1,766.7**	51.9	545.6	30.2	69.7	66.8	Aug.
Sept.	505.1	514.9		1,335.0		1,859.9	**2,365.0**	*1.4*	–	–	–	70.7	41.0	42.5	**2,519.3**	342.2	1,430.8	**1,772.9**	47.7	542.8	31.4	60.7	63.7	Sept.
Oct.	526.3	500.7		1,342.1		1,842.8	**2,369.1**	*1.4*	–	–	6.4	70.5	42.2	55.0	**2,543.2**	335.0	1,447.5	**1,782.5**	59.3	538.3	31.4	60.4	71.3	Oct.
Nov.	536.9	455.7		1,352.3		1,808.0	**2,344.9**	*3.8*	–	–	21.3	77.0	42.8	63.6	**2,549.5**	349.9	1,444.1	**1,794.1**	45.0	531.4	30.2	67.3	81.6	Nov.
Dec.	525.9	493.4		1,369.4		1,862.8	**2,388.7**	*0.4*	–	–	13.6	75.9	43.7	49.3	**2,571.3**	356.7	1,481.5	**1,838.2**	32.6	548.5	30.7	61.6	59.7	Dec.
1957—Jan.	466.4	687.6 [5]		1,178.3 [5]		1,866.0 [5]	**2,332.4** [5]	*1.2*	–	–	6.0	72.6	48.1	55.3	**2,514.3**	380.2	1,421.9	**1,802.2**	57.5	524.5	27.9	63.0	39.3	Jan.—1957
Feb.	402.6	646.2		1,174.1		1,820.3	**2,222.9**	*7.0*	–	–	–	73.8	49.0	60.6	**2,406.3**	326.7	1,399.4	**1,726.0**	64.3	478.3	28.0	64.1	45.5	Feb.
Mar.	484.3	610.9		1,149.4		1,760.3	**2,244.5**	*0.1*	–	–	5.4	75.4	50.1	54.0	**2,429.4**	317.7†	1,407.0†	**1,724.7**	51.0	513.8	28.6	65.3	45.9	Mar.
Apr.	479.7	650.8		1,154.5		1,805.3	**2,285.0**	*7.9*	–	–	12.8	75.2	51.1	68.1	**2,492.1**	314.5	1,432.4	**1,746.9**	47.5	550.6	25.1	65.5	56.6	Apr.
May	495.8	666.9		1,166.7		1,833.6	**2,329.4**	*1.2*	–	–	5.1	79.2	52.7	53.0	**2,519.4**	324.2	1,431.4	**1,755.7**	45.3	554.4	25.5	69.5	69.1	May
As at																																		**As at**
1956—Dec. 5	536.7	468.4		1,363.9		1,832.3	**2,369.0**	–	–	–	–	66.3	43.7	52.4	**2,531.3**	329.2	1,479.0	**1,808.2**	50.2	529.2	29.4	56.9	57.4	5 Dec.—1956
12	543.3	481.1		1,370.1		1,851.2	**2,394.6**	*1.4*	–	–	–	77.9	43.7	51.1	**2,567.3**	369.3	1,457.6	**1,826.9**	39.9	542.1	27.9	65.8	64.8	12
19	508.3	511.9		1,368.5		1,880.3	**2,388.7**	–	–	–	44.5	79.9	43.6	47.5	**2,604.1**	361.0	1,491.6	**1,852.7**	18.6	581.0	27.9	62.1	61.8	19
26	515.3	512.0		1,375.2		1,887.3	**2,402.5**	–	–	–	10.0	79.7	43.8	46.2	**2,582.3**	367.2	1,497.8	**1,865.0**	21.5	541.7	37.8	61.4	54.9	26
1957—Jan. 2	493.3	707.1 [5]		1,177.0 [5]		1,884.2 [5]	**2,377.4** [5]	–	–	–	–	67.5	48.0	86.3	**2,579.2**	386.2	1,480.6	**1,866.8**	72.9	511.1	31.0	58.0	39.4	2 Jan.—1957
9	484.1	678.8		1,178.7		1,857.5	**2,341.6**	*6.0*	–	–	30.0	75.2	48.0	71.8	**2,566.6**	423.9	1,414.5	**1,838.4**	60.5	528.6	29.1	65.5	44.5	9
16	484.2	682.1		1,179.7		1,861.9	**2,346.1**	–	–	–	–	75.8	48.1	39.4	**2,509.4**	373.2	1,427.5	**1,800.7**	50.2	524.9	26.9	66.1	40.5	16
23	454.0	685.8		1,177.6		1,863.4	**2,317.4**	–	–	–	–	73.2	48.3	39.1	**2,477.9**	377.5	1,386.4	**1,763.9**	51.7	534.8	26.9	63.4	37.2	23
30	416.5	684.3		1,178.5		1,862.8	**2,279.3**	–	–	–	–	71.3	48.3	39.7	**2,438.6**	340.3	1,400.7	**1,741.0**	52.1	523.1	25.5	62.0	35.0	30
Feb. 6	383.3	672.4		1,183.8		1,856.2	**2,239.5**	–	–	–	–	82.6	48.9	56.4	**2,427.5**	328.5	1,408.7	**1,737.2**	60.1	481.0	31.4	72.9	45.0	6 Feb.
13	391.5	654.9		1,182.6		1,837.5	**2,229.0**	*7.8*	–	–	–	69.9	48.9	41.1	**2,388.9**	339.4	1,390.5	**1,729.9**	50.2	469.9	29.4	60.3	49.2	13
20	401.1	638.6		1,161.9		1,800.5	**2,201.6**	*20.4*	–	–	–	69.2	48.9	47.4	**2,367.1**	330.8	1,390.5	**1,721.3**	48.6	466.8	25.6	59.4	45.5	20
27	434.4	619.0		1,168.1		1,787.1	**2,221.4**	–	–	–	–	73.4	49.3	97.5	**2,441.7**	308.3†	1,407.5†	**1,715.8**	98.4	495.6	25.6	63.8	42.4	27
Mar. 6	471.4	604.4		1,147.8		1,752.1	**2,223.5**	*0.5*	–	–	0.4	77.0	50.1	84.0	**2,435.0**	305.6†	1,420.2†	**1,725.7**	58.9	508.8	26.1	67.0	48.5	6 Mar.
13	487.1	609.9		1,149.7		1,759.6	**2,246.6**	–	–	–	11.0	78.9	50.1	42.7	**2,429.3**	324.6†	1,401.7†	**1,726.3**	40.2	512.0	36.8	68.5	45.5	13
20	498.8	611.5		1,149.6		1,761.1	**2,259.9**	–	–	–	–	73.7	50.1	48.3	**2,432.1**	318.6†	1,405.9†	**1,724.4**	57.9	513.9	27.4	63.5	45.0	20
27	479.8	617.9		1,150.4		1,768.3	**2,248.0**	–	–	–	10.0	72.0	50.1	41.0	**2,421.2**	322.0	1,400.2	**1,722.2**	47.2	520.7	24.2	62.3	44.6	27
Apr. 3	465.0	628.5		1,151.4		1,780.0	**2,245.0**	–	–	–	30.0	72.4	50.6	91.9	**2,489.9**	289.9	1,443.3	**1,733.2**	54.2	560.1	25.0	62.7	54.7	3 Apr.
10	466.0	645.3		1,151.9		1,797.2	**2,263.1**	*3.7*	–	–	–	76.9	51.1	87.7	**2,478.8**	320.3	1,420.6	**1,740.9**	49.8	543.2	24.7	67.2	53.0	10
17	487.1	666.9		1,157.2		1,824.0	**2,311.2**	*27.9*	–	–	–	72.8	51.4	51.4	**2,486.7**	302.7	1,453.5	**1,756.2**	42.5	533.7	26.0	63.1	65.3	17
24	500.7	662.6		1,157.5		1,820.1	**2,320.8**	–	–	–	21.0	78.6	51.4	41.4	**2,513.1**	345.2	1,412.2	**1,757.4**	43.6	565.4	24.5	68.8	53.4	24
May 1	498.1	657.8		1,163.7		1,821.6	**2,319.7**	–	–	–	0.3	69.2	52.2	43.5	**2,484.9**	296.6	1,459.0	**1,755.5**	37.3	548.9	22.6	59.6	61.0	1 May
8	501.5	663.5		1,166.7		1,830.2	**2,331.6**	*6.2*	–	–	0.1	86.0	52.2	89.3	**2,559.3**	331.6	1,423.6	**1,755.2**	62.9	560.8	25.4	76.3	78.7	8
15	513.7	665.5		1,167.4		1,832.9	**2,346.7**	–	–	–	–	81.5	52.2	46.3	**2,526.6**	317.0	1,439.3	**1,756.3**	42.5	564.3	27.2	71.8	64.5	15
22	494.0	665.9		1,170.0		1,835.8	**2,329.8**	–	–	–	–	80.8	52.9	35.3	**2,498.9**	338.0	1,419.5	**1,757.5**	35.7	548.1	26.0	71.1	60.5	22
29	471.8	681.8		1,165.8		1,847.6	**2,319.5**	–	–	–	25.1	78.5	54.0	50.4	**2,527.3**	338.0	1,415.8	**1,753.8**	47.8	550.1	26.0	68.8	80.8	29

1. Foreign exchange and foreign securities exceeding market values" to amortized values, and for this reason figures for Dec. 31 and later dates are not comparable with those for earlier dates.
2. Industrial Development Bank capital stock, bonds and debentures.
3. Bank premises and all other assets.
4. Capital, rest fund and all other liabilities.
5. On Dec. 31, 1956, the basis for the valuation of securities held by the Bank of Canada was changed from "not available.
* Not available.
† Revised.

NOTE: For data back to 1946 by month-end and to January 1953 by weeks for the majority of these series see pages 4–13 in the "Financial Supplement 1954" and the "Financial Supplement 1955".

CHARTERED BANKS
MONTHLY SERIES
Bank of Canada

Millions of Dollars

I. CANADIAN CASH RESERVES★

	Cash Reserves: Bank of Canada Deposits	Cash Reserves: Bank of Canada Notes	Cash Reserves: Total	Canadian Dollar Deposit Liabilities	Average Cash Reserve Ratio 1
Averages					
1951	567	225	**792**	7,759	10.2
1952	606	239	**844**	8,110	10.4
1953	627	256	**883**	8,624	10.2
1954 1st Half	634	260	**894**	8,820	10.1
1954 2nd Half★	525	286	**811**	9,097	8.9
1955	541	293	**834**	9,915	8.4
1956	548	325	**873**	10,527	8.3
1955–Nov.	549	313	**861**	10,383	8.3
Dec.	552	312	**863**	10,487	8.2
1956–Jan.	568	310	**877**	10,515	8.4
Feb.	504	354	**858**	10,448	8.2
Mar.	542	299	**841**	10,285	8.2
Apr.	561	294	**855**	10,357	8.3
May	545	310	**856**	10,409	8.2
June	560	318	**878**	10,597	8.3
July	544	332	**876**	10,608	8.3
Aug.	563	338	**900**	10,649	8.5
Sept.	549	328	**877**	10,563	8.3
Oct.	544	340	**885**	10,607	8.3
Nov.	539	341	**881**	10,591	8.3
Dec.	553	338	**890**	10,704	8.3
1957–Jan.	523	355	**878**	10,660	8.2
Feb.	475	390	**865**	10,525	8.2
Mar.	514	335	**848**	10,371	8.2
Apr.	542	314	**856**	10,489	8.2
May*	553	309	**862**	10,527	8.2

II. LIABILITIES

	Advances from Bank of Canada	Government of Canada	Provincial Governments	Canadian Dollar Deposits: Personal Savings	Other Notice	Other Banks 2	Public Demand	Total	Foreign Currency Deposits	Acceptances, Guarantees, & Letters of Credit	All Other Liabilities	Shareholders Equity 3	Total Liabilities
As at Dec. 31													
1951	–	88	185	4,296	316	95	2,993	**7,973**	878	225	7	375	9,458
1952	–	49	214	4,600	325	75	3,373	**8,636**	905	199	7	381	**10,128**
1953	–	473	166	4,756	278	69	3,368	**9,111**	963	155	8	419	**10,656**
1954	–	176	190	5,218	397	104	3,597	**9,683**	1,030	155	43	521	**11,433**
1955	2	517	181	5,633	464	139	3,915	**10,848**	1,056	203	26	567	**12,702**
1956	–	246	169	6,007	444	116	4,180	**11,162**	1,369	210	34	653	**13,428**
End of													
1955—Nov.	2	543	143	5,615	477	136	3,735	**10,650**	1,098	211	30	567	**12,557**
Dec.	2	517	181	5,633	464	139	3,915	**10,848**	1,056	203	26	567	**12,702**
1956—Jan.	–	501	148	5,676	469	117	3,596	**10,507**	1,070	216	28	567	**12,387**
Feb.	–	493	152	5,721	476	123	3,483	**10,449**	1,118	226	21	567	**12,380**
Mar.	5	488	223	5,791	466	125	3,316	**10,408**	1,148	229	21	568	**12,380**
Apr.	–	355	162	5,919	480	124	3,766	**10,805**	1,185	220	27	569	**12,806**
May	16	494	168	5,844	485	110	3,554	**10,655**	1,203	216	24	587	**12,700**
June	–	413	172	5,881	459	118	3,817	**10,860**	1,236	217	23	609	**12,944**
July	–	279	143	5,923	472	115	3,773	**10,706**	1,315	210	27	619	**12,878**
Aug.	–	275	123	5,941	477	110	3,731	**10,658**	1,354	226	24	628	**12,889**
Sept.	–	281	117	6,020	476	110	3,812	**10,816**	1,315	223	23	631	**13,008**
Oct.	–	153	154	6,098	453	155	3,846	**10,859**	1,334	216	48	647	**13,104**
Nov.	–	417	103	5,974	439	123	3,821	**10,877**	1,376	221	38	652	**13,164**
Dec.	–	246	169	6,007	444	116	4,180	**11,162**	1,369	210	34	653	**13,428**
1957—Jan.	–	254	138	6,039	438	110	3,499	**10,479**	1,409	209	41	653	**12,791**
Feb.	–	391	142	6,090	454	103	3,445	**10,625**	1,506	236	36	656	**13,058**
Mar.	–	377	191	6,153	444	105	3,496	**10,765**	1,450	232	36	667	**13,150**
Apr.	–	309	217	6,211	442	109	3,716	**11,004**	1,546	235	38	672	**13,494**

III. ASSETS

	Bank of Canada Deposits and Notes	Cdn. Day-to-Day Loans	Treasury Bills	Government of Canada Direct and Guaranteed Bonds 6: 2 yrs. and under	Over 2 years	Total	Other Canadian Securities 6: Provincial 7, 8	Municipal 8	Corporate	Total	Ins. Res. Mtges.	Call and Short 9: To Stock-Brokers 11	To Others	Provincial 8	Municipal 8
As at Dec. 31															
1951	892	–	236	499	2,019	2,518	321	167	393	881	–	78	30	68	94
1952	899	–	138	869	1,777	2,647	304	159	370	834	–	73	82	79	97
1953	888	–	244	482	2,034	2,516	280	152	341	773	–	61	92	65	96
1954	791	68	360	636	2,318	2,953	264	177	353	794	74	68	75	61	103
1955	840	81	427	475	2,157	2,632	322	218	482	1,022	294	112	67	83	124
1956	882	74	740	406	1,269	1,675	269	185	510	964	493	90	62	95	177
End of															
1955–Nov.	852	54	327	564	2,364	2,928	336	218	479	1,034	264	99	48	83	121
Dec.	840	81	427	475	2,157	2,632	322	218	482	1,022	294	112	67	83	124
1956–Jan.	819	59	512	436	2,047	2,482	317	213	480	1,009	317	113	52	60	143
Feb.	759	82	564	406	1,993	2,400	308	210	489	1,007	331	116	56	54	166
Mar.	725	75	593	398	1,922	2,319	298	210	485	993	345	109	53	6	200
Apr.	836	43	756	350	1,695	2,045	295	211	489	995	361	120	56	16	223
May	824	64	767	558	1,424	1,982	297	208	504	1,010	377	118	73	33	215
June	810	97	772	557	1,398	1,955	291	206	510	1,007	393	121	57	27	157
July	805	109	742	511	1,383	1,893	292	202	511	1,005	412	127	58	36	150
Aug.	830	68	814	522	1,325	1,847	291	200	520	1,010	432	123	37	57	145
Sept.	820	114	786	526	1,322	1,848	286	197	519	1,003	448	110	38	81	167
Oct.	884	85	791	464	1,320	1,784	295	197	516	1,008	471	104	39	83	168
Nov.	875	64	743	485	1,280	1,765	265	192	518	975	489	89	36	124	152
Dec.	882	74	740	406	1,269	1,675	269	185	510	964	493	90	62	95	177
1957–Jan. 5	818	86	800	503 4	1,232 4	1,735 4	284 4	178	501 5	963 4	500	86	40	60	201
Feb.	758	101	809	545	1,223	1,768	288	178	499	964	507	90	63	74	218
Mar.	744	162	805	538	1,227	1,764	260	178	501	940	508	85	65	40	250
Apr.	846	105	758	520	1,227	1,747	268	175	502	945	509	104	91	23	270

	Loans 9 In Canada: Grain Dealers 10, 11	C.S.B. 11, 12	Sub-Total 11	General Loans 11	Total Loans	Total of Foregoing Assets	Canadian Dollar Items in Transit (Net)	Foreign Cash Items Securities & Loans: Cash Items 13	Foreign Sec.	Loans Outside Canada	Customers' Liability Under Acceptances, Guarantees, & Letters of Credit	All Other Assets 14	Total Assets
As at Dec. 31													
1951	177	137	583	2,588	3,172	7,699	512	254	206	409	225	153	9,458
1952	257	146	734	2,787	3,520	8,038	752	283	262	435	199	159	**10,128**
1953	391	165	871	3,236	4,106	8,527	751	280	244	540	155	159	**10,656**
1954	404	147	859	3,237	4,096	9,137	827	332	322	488	155	172	**11,433**
1955	361	163	910	3,981	4,891	10,187	1,002	327	282	518	203	183	**12,702**
1956	373	169	966	4,432	5,398	10,226	1,330	356	375	720	210	211	**13,428**
End of													
1955–Nov.	368	185	904	3,957	4,860	10,320	677	309	297	561	211	182	**12,557**
Dec.	361	163	910	3,981	4,891	10,187	1,002	327	282	518	203	183	**12,702**
1956–Jan.	360	144	872	4,031	4,903	10,101	736	297	291	554	216	191	**12,387**
Feb.	356	129	877	4,087	4,964	10,107	677	301	293	585	226	191	**12,380**
Mar.	354	114	836	4,235	5,071	10,121	629	310	295	607	229	189	**12,380**
Apr.	319	97	831	4,353	5,184	10,219	936	314	314	611	220	191	**12,806**
May	312	76	828	4,461	5,289	10,313	717	296	326	632	216	200	**12,700**
June	340	60	763	4,536	5,299	10,333	920	294	339	641	217	200	**12,944**
July	350	45	765	4,543	5,308	10,274	836	314	380	657	210	205	**12,878**
Aug.	358	34	753	4,570	5,323	10,325	697	334	355	750	226	203	**12,889**
Sept.	341	22	759	4,523	5,281	10,300	859	313	396	711	223	206	**13,008**
Oct.	359	4	756	4,610	5,367	10,390	843	381	371	701	216	202	**13,104**
Nov.	361	193	955	4,577	5,532	10,443	878	314	395	712	221	201	**13,164**
Dec.	373	169	966	4,432	5,398	10,226	1,330	356	375	720	210	211	**13,428**
1957–Jan. 5	359	148	895	4,410 5	5,305 5	10,209 5	715	311	370	763 5	209	215	**12,791**
Feb.	355	132	931	4,427	5,359	10,266	814	352	395	780	236	215	**13,058**
Mar.	391	115	945	4,446	5,392	10,314	907	330	357	793	232	217	**13,150**
Apr.	375	94	958	4,525	5,482	10,394	1,078	347	385	843	235	213	**13,494**

★ For periods prior to July 1954 all figures in this section are daily averages. From July 1954, in accordance with section 71 of the Bank Act of 1954, Bank of Canada deposits are averages of the juridical days in the month shown while Bank of Canada notes and Canadian dollar deposit liabilities are averages of the 4 consecutive Wednesdays ending with the second last Wednesday in the previous month.

1. Prior to July 1st, 1954, the statutory minimum requirement was 5 per cent for each day; since that date it has been a monthly average of 8 per cent, calculated as described in footnote ★.
2. Mainly deposits of foreign banks.
3. Capital, rest fund, and undivided profits as at the latest fiscal year-end.
4. Beginning January 31, 1957, month-end figures for chartered bank holdings of Government of Canada and provincial government securities are based on "amortized value" and are therefore not directly comparable with figures for preceding month-ends, which are based on "not exceeding market value".
5. Beginning January 31, 1957, figures for certain chartered bank asset items are not strictly comparable with those for earlier dates, owing to the reallocation of inner reserves consequent upon the securities valuation change referred to in footnote 4. Investment reserves which became redundant were reallocated to apply against other asset items, mainly general loans, loans outside Canada and corporate securities.
6. Including issues payable in foreign currency.
7. Includes securities guaranteed by provincial governments.
8. Securities purchased direct from issuer with a term of less than one year at time of issue are classified as loans.
9. Excluding Canadian day-to-day loans.
10. Loans to grain dealers and exporters.
11. "Call & Short loans to Stockbrokers", "Grain Dealers", "Canada Savings Bonds" and "General Loans" are Research Department estimates.
12. Loans to finance the purchase of Canada Savings Bonds at time of issue.
13. Includes deposits with other banks in foreign currencies, foreign bank notes, gold and coin outside Canada and foreign currency items in transit (net).
14. Includes bank premises, shares of and loans to controlled corporations, gold and coin in Canada, Canadian dollar deposits with other banks and other assets.

* Preliminary.

NOTE: FOR DATA BACK TO 1946 SEE PAGES 14–21 IN THE "FINANCIAL SUPPLEMENT 1954" AND PAGES 14–17 IN THE "FINANCIAL SUPPLEMENT 1955".

CHARTERED BANKS

ESTIMATED WEEKLY SERIES

Bank of Canada

Millions of Dollars

	Bank of Canada Deposits & Notes ★	Cdn. Day-to-Day Loans	Treasury Bills	Govt. of Canada Bonds 1	Other Canadian Securities: Provincial 1, 3, 4	Other Canadian Securities: Municipal 4	Other Canadian Securities: Corporate	Other Canadian Securities: Total	Insured Residential Mortgages	Call & Short 2: To Stock-Brokers	Call & Short 2: To Others	Provincial 4	Municipal 4
Average of Wednesdays													
1955—May	817	93	419	3,210	296	198	394	888	124	78	54	10	151
June	803	111	409	3,229	313	204	409	926	138	83	63	23	130
July	854	114	391	3,268	312	203	435	950	152	94	88	17	132
Aug.	848	80	416	3,270	315	211	437	964	173	95	52	16	115
Sept.	852	54	379	3,210	334	211	443	988	196	95	40	32	123
Oct.	859	50	363	3,127	336	213	449	997	221	94	52	38	130
Nov.	854	53	298	3,051	336	215	473	1,024	250	99	55	66	117
Dec.	879	57	375	2,721	329	217	482	1,029	281	106	56	94	121
1956—Jan.	921	55	442	2,541	320	214	478	1,012	303	107	53	67	126
Feb.	796	80	542	2,432	312	211	482	1,005	324	114	53	54	147
Mar.	841	61	570	2,352	297	208	482	987	339	117	48	33	179
Apr.	874	17	640	2,184	295	208	480	984	352	119	57	11	213
May	858	59	759	1,994	294	207	489	990	368	126	65	24	216
June	886	78	760	1,932	289	206	504	1,000	385	119	62	39	188
July	871	77	739	1,906	288	202	509	999	400	128	58	25	151
Aug.	878	62	790	1,871	290	200	514	1,004	420	127	41	41	145
Sept.	885	78	798	1,850	289	197	516	1,002	438	120	35	61	153
Oct.	873	76	785	1,826	293	195	517	1,005	459	107	40	69	167
Nov.	881	79	771	1,773	280	191	515	987	480	95	36	108	142
Dec.	905	70	747	1,706	267	186	510	964	493	88	53	124	159
1957—Jan.	905	80	766	1,629	265	179	506	950	496	89	47	67	186
Feb.	805	113	813	1,658 7	270 7	179	504	952 7	502	87	48	72	199
Mar.	832†	116	816	1,762	259	176	498	932	507	88	58	60	231
Apr.	865	90	792	1,740	268	173	498	939	505	94	76	26	259
As at													
1956—Oct. 10	886	76	792	1,852	292	195	518	1,005	452	106	38	64	164
17	850	79	778	1,829	292	195	514	1,001	458	109	44	69	167
24	893	71	763	1,811	293	195	519	1,007	463	107	38	70	171
31	884	85	791	1,784	295	197	516	1,008	471	104	39	83	168
Nov. 7	864	70	790	1,784	291	191	518	1,000	473	98	40	92	144
14	857	69	795	1,775	284	191	515	990	478	96	33	99	138
21	881	80	761	1,762	281	192	515	987	482	93	35	121	140
28	924	97	738	1,772	265	191	514	971	486	91	35	122	145
Dec. 5	858	51	753	1,756	264	186	513	963	490	90	48	134	151
12	911	63	750	1,722	270	187	512	969	493	87	50	128	156
19	942	92	737	1,682	268	185	509	962	497	87	57	118	161
26	909	75	749	1,665	268	185	507	961	494	89	57	113	169
1957—Jan. 2	897	69	753	1,660	265	182	506	953	493	89	59	86	175
9	953	68	753	1,639	265	180	505	950	494	90	45	67	180
16	898	76	762	1,624	265	178	506	948	498	90	48	59	184
23	912	101	762	1,615	266	178	506	950	496	88	42	60	191
30	863	86	804	1,608	265	178	507	950	499	86	39	60	201
Feb. 6	809	110	818	1,607	264	180	507	951	499	85	40	67	187
13	809	115	814	1,626	264	179	506	950	501	86	37	72	195
20	798	117	812	1,642	266	178	505	950	503	85	55	74	204
27 7	804	112	808	1,758 7	285 7	176	497	958 7	506	91	62	74	211
Mar. 6	814†	86	829	1,766	258	176	496	930	506	91	64	71	221
13	837†	117	822	1,767	259	175	499	934	506	87	53	64	228
20	832	109	813	1,765	259	176	498	932	506	89	57	61	236
27	843	152	802	1,749	259	176	498	933	508	87	59	42	240
Apr. 3	850	93	819	1,755	268	173	496	938	504	90	84	22	252
10	864	95	806	1,733	268	173	498	939	504	91	81	24	254
17	836	76	778	1,735	268	173	498	939	506	96	70	29	260
24	911	96	766	1,737	268	173	498	939	507	98	67	28	271
May 1	845	105	763	1,740	267	171	498	936	507	105	85	29	272
8	892	114	757	1,742	266	171	498	935	507	106	70	27	268
15	881	109	756	1,727	266	170	499	935	508	103	69	22	259
22	886	91	782	1,731	265	170	501	936	509	104	63	23	265

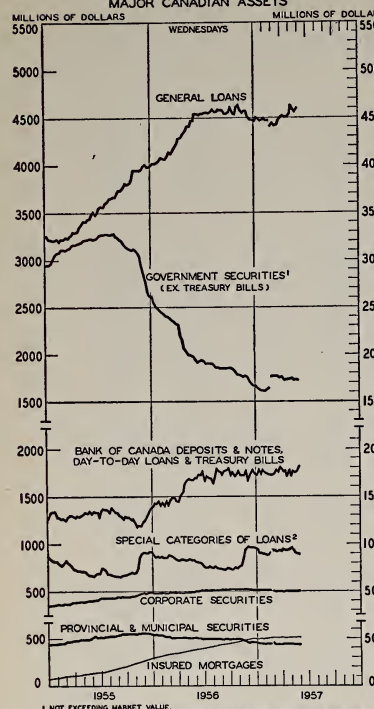
	Loans 2 in Canada: Grain Dealers 5	C.S.B. 6	Sub-Total	General Loans	Total Loans	Total of Foregoing Assets	Estimated Items in Transit (net)	Canadian Dollar Deposits: Personal Savings	Govt. of Canada Deposits	All Other	Total	
Average of Wednesdays												
1955—May	321	74	688	3,408	4,096	9,647	506	5,500	122	4,254	9,876	May—1955
June	317	60	676	3,486	4,162	9,778	561	5,529	158	4,374	10,061	June
July	337	48	716	3,570	4,286	10,016	516	5,599	200	4,456	10,255	July
Aug.	351	36	665	3,653	4,318	10,068	491	5,670	182	4,433	10,285	Aug.
Sept.	353	24	665	3,737	4,402	10,083	506	5,727	165	4,421	10,313	Sept.
Oct.	361	12	687	3,817	4,504	10,120	546	5,775	124	4,492	10,392	Oct.
Nov.	369	112	817	3,948	4,766	10,295	558	5,655	443	4,421	10,520	Nov.
Dec.	359	174	909	3,988	4,897	10,237	605	5,603	541	4,351	10,495	Dec.
1956—Jan.	361	153	868	4,015	4,884	10,157	562	5,651	510	4,228	10,390	Jan.—1956
Feb.	358	136	863	4,069	4,932	10,110	539	5,693	495	4,136	10,324	Feb.
Mar.	355	119	852	4,156	5,008	10,158	511	5,754	530	4,057	10,342	Mar.
Apr.	331	103	834	4,287	5,121	10,172	591	5,822	367	4,234	10,423	Apr.
May	313	85	830	4,427	5,256	10,285	654	5,859	437	4,298	10,595	May
June	321	66	794	4,537	5,331	10,371	622	5,867	488	4,275	10,630	June
July	340	53	753	4,552	5,305	10,297	721	5,898	296	4,428	10,623	July
Aug.	355	39	747	4,571	5,319	10,343	613	5,918	307	4,338	10,563	Aug.
Sept.	341	26	737	4,563	5,300	10,351	669	5,982	312	4,342	10,635	Sept.
Oct.	347	11	740	4,571	5,312	10,335	700	6,047	184	4,413	10,644	Oct.
Nov.	357	130	867	4,581	5,449	10,420	674	5,992	370	4,299	10,661	Nov.
Dec.	361	178	963	4,512	5,475	10,361	718	5,960	341	4,355	10,655	Dec.
1957—Jan.	361	157	907	4,482	5,389	10,216	683	5,992	242	4,258	10,492	Jan.—1957
Feb.	355	138	899	4,463	5,363	10,207	612	6,063	335	4,010†	10,408	Feb.
Mar.	365	121	923	4,447	5,369	10,334†	589†	6,102	436	3,956†	10,493†	Mar.
Apr.	374	105	933	4,512	5,445	10,376	634	6,151	311	4,092	10,554	Apr.
As at												
1956—Oct. 10	342	15	729	4,612	5,340	10,404	597	6,032	215	4,337	10,585	10 Oct.—1956
17	348	11	748	4,539	5,287	10,283	703	6,033	175	4,387	10,595	17
24	349	7	742	4,534	5,276	10,285	628	6,023	187	4,316	10,526	24
31	359	4	756	4,609	5,365	10,388	843	6,098	153	4,608	10,859	31
Nov. 7	354	36	765	4,627	5,392	10,372	666	6,048	293	4,296	10,636	7 Nov.
14	356	97	819	4,577	5,397	10,360	647	5,995	297	4,284	10,576	14
21	356	193	938	4,549	5,487	10,440	726	5,969	488	4,289	10,745	21
28	361	193	947	4,572	5,519	10,506	656	5,955	404	4,326	10,685	28
Dec. 5	357	187	967	4,570	5,538	10,409	697	5,984	371	4,334	10,689	5 Dec.
12	359	181	961	4,509	5,470	10,378	619	5,946	385	4,255	10,586	12
19	366	175	965	4,483	5,448	10,361	788	5,954	330	4,399	10,682	19
26	363	169	960	4,485	5,445	10,297	770	5,956	279	4,431	10,665	26
1957—Jan. 2	364	165	939	4,472	5,411	10,236	1,030	6,009	164	4,704	10,877	2 Jan.—1957
9	361	161	904	4,500	5,404	10,261	553	5,985	233	4,176	10,394	9
16	363	157	901	4,486	5,387	10,193	698	5,985	262	4,234	10,481	16
23	360	153	895	4,474	5,369	10,205	550	5,984	295	4,070	10,349	23
30	359	148	894	4,480	5,374	10,183	582	5,998	257	4,106	10,360†	30
Feb. 6	358	144	880	4,491	5,372	10,166	584	6,066	332	3,947	10,345	6 Feb.
13	354	140	884	4,476	5,360	10,174	570	6,054	324	3,959	10,337†	13
20	356	136	909	4,474	5,383	10,204	641	6,061	340	4,040	10,441	20
27 7	355	132	925	4,413 7	5,338 7	10,284	654	6,071	344	4,096	10,511	27
Mar. 6	356	127	930	4,448	5,379	10,310†	569†	6,102	442	3,918	10,463	6 Mar.
13	363	123	919	4,422	5,341	10,323†	555†	6,094	455	3,884†	10,434†	13
20	366	119	928	4,436	5,364	10,322†	648†	6,102	425	4,022†	10,550†	20
27	370	115	914	4,479	5,393	10,380	582	6,108	419	3,999	10,526	27
Apr. 3	373	111	933	4,508	5,441	10,400	653	6,163	307	4,099	10,569	3 Apr.
10	373	107	929	4,523	5,452	10,392	542	6,144	320	4,021	10,485	10
17	375	102	932	4,506	5,438	10,308	658	6,149	309	4,071	10,528	17
24	375	98	938	4,510	5,448	10,403	682	6,150	309	4,177	10,635	24
May 1	375	94	959	4,528	5,487	10,384	879	6,219	309	4,295	10,823	1 May
8	373	90	935	4,632	5,567	10,514	542	6,178	343	4,076	10,597	8
15	373	86	912	4,589	5,501	10,417	690	6,152	356	4,157	10,666	15
22	365	82	900	4,564	5,464	10,399	708	6,152	336	4,200	10,688	22

★ For data on cash reserves, see section 1 of table on page 142. 1. Valued at "not exceeding market value". 2. Excluding Canadian day-to-day loans. 3. Includes securities guaranteed by provincial governments. 4. Securities purchased direct from issuer with a term of less than 1 year at time of issue are classified as loans. 5. Loans to grain dealers and exporters. 6. Loans to finance the purchase of Canada Savings Bonds at time of issue. 7. Beginning with the weekly statistics for Feb. 27 the chartered banks' holdings of Government of Canada and provincial government securities are valued at "amortized value" rather than at "not exceeding market value" as previously. Because of this change in valuation procedure and the consequent reallocation of inner reserves most of the asset figures for Feb. 27 and subsequent dates, particularly holdings of the securities in question and general loans, are not directly comparable with those of previous weeks. † Revised.

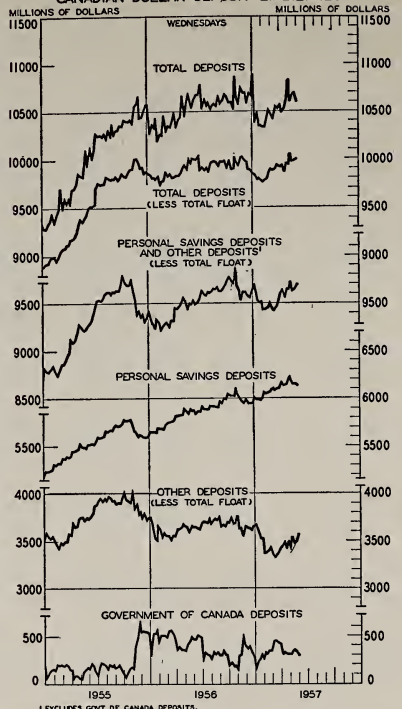
NOTE: FOR DATA BACK TO AUGUST 1953 SEE PAGES 22–25 IN THE "FINANCIAL SUPPLEMENT 1954" AND PAGES 18–23 IN THE "FINANCIAL SUPPLEMENT 1955".

CHARTERED BANKS

ASSETS AND LIABILITIES



1. NOT EXCEEDING MARKET VALUE.
2. LOANS TO PROVINCIAL GOVERNMENTS AND MUNICIPALITIES, SPECIALLY SECURED LOANS TO GRAIN DEALERS, INVESTMENT DEALERS AND STOCKBROKERS AND TO FINANCE THE PURCHASE OF CANADA SAVINGS BONDS.



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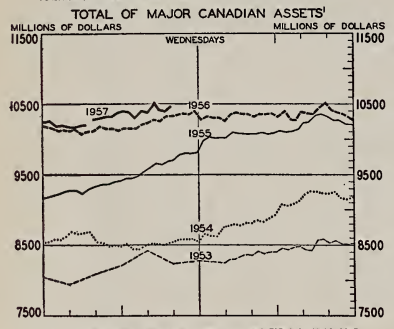
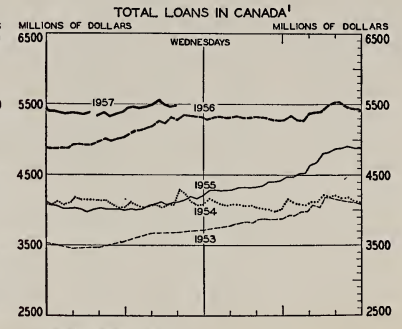


1. BANK OF CANADA NOTES & DEPOSITS, DAY-TO-DAY LOANS, TREASURY BILLS, GOVT. OF CANADA SECURITIES, OTHER CANADIAN SECURITIES, INSURED MORTGAGES AND LOANS IN CANADA.

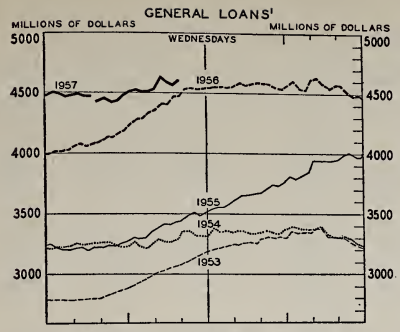


1. EXCLUDES DAY-TO-DAY LOANS

Last weekly data plotted May 29, 1957. For explanation of break in series following February 20, 1957, see footnote 7 on page 144.

CHARTERED BANKS

SELECTED ASSETS



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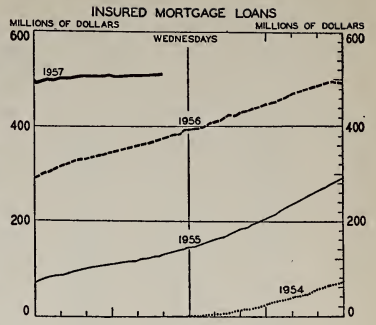

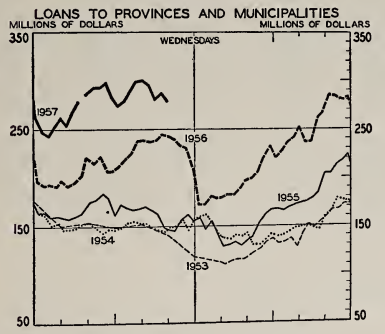

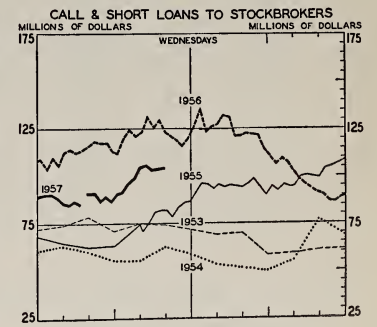

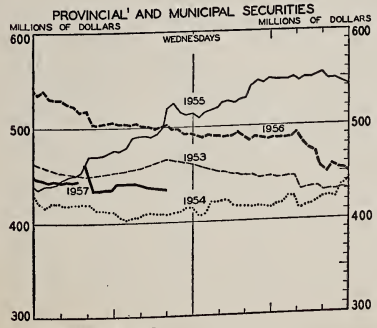

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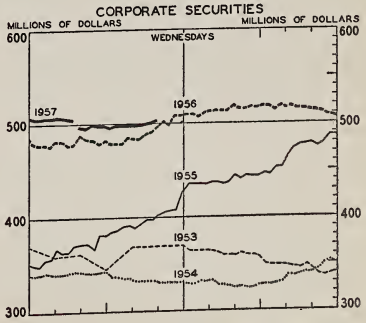

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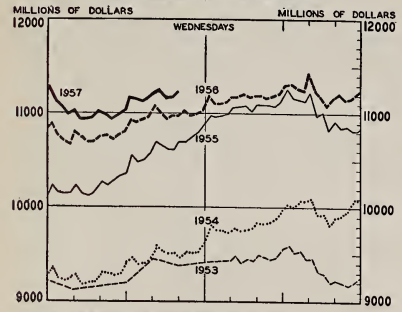
CANADIAN DOLLAR CURRENCY AND BANK DEPOSITS HELD BY THE GENERAL PUBLIC

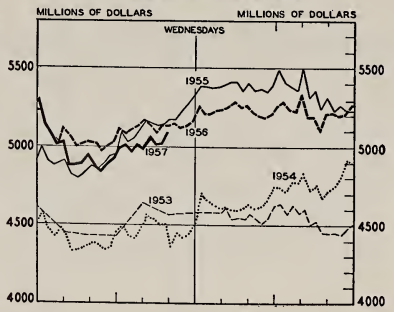
Millions of Dollars — *Bank of Canada*

	Currency Outside Banks			Chartered Bank Deposits			Total Currency and Chartered Bank Deposits[1]	
	Notes	Coin	Total	Personal Savings Deposits	Other Deposits[1]	Total[1]	Excluding Personal Savings Deposits	Including Personal Savings Deposits
As at Dec. 31								
1952	1,289	88	1,377	4,600	3,281	7,881	4,658	9,258
1953	1,335	94	1,429	4,756	3,129	7,885	4,558	9,314
1954	1,362	96	1,458	5,218	3,462	8,680	4,920	10,137
1955	1,449	101	1,550	5,633	3,697	9,330	5,248	10,881
1956	1,498	108	1,605	6,007	3,580	9,587	5,185	11,192
End of								
1955—July	1,413	98	1,511	5,630	3,886	9,516	5,397	11,027
Aug.	1,374	97	1,471	5,696	3,931	9,627	5,402	11,098
Sept.	1,436	99	1,535	5,757	3,853	9,610	5,388	11,145
Oct.	1,397	100	1,497	5,839	3,929	9,768	5,426	11,265
Nov.	1,395	100	1,495	5,615	3,815	9,430	5,310	10,925
Dec.	1,449	101	1,550	5,633	3,697	9,330	5,248	10,881
1956—Jan.	1,358	98	1,457	5,676	3,593	9,269	5,049	10,726
Feb.	1,375	99	1,474	5,721	3,557	9,278	5,031	10,753
Mar.	1,458	102	1,561	5,791	3,501	9,292	5,062	10,853
Apr.	1,415	102	1,517	5,919	3,596	9,514	5,113	11,031
May	1,425	102	1,527	5,844	3,600	9,444	5,127	10,972
June	1,500	104	1,604	5,881	3,646	9,527	5,250	11,131
July	1,458	103	1,561	5,923	3,668	9,591	5,229	11,152
Aug.	1,515	106	1,621	5,941	3,745	9,686	5,366	11,306
Sept.	1,514	106	1,620	6,020	3,656	9,676	5,276	11,295
Oct.	1,472	106	1,578	6,098	3,764	9,862	5,342	11,440
Nov.	1,543	108	1,651	5,974	3,607	9,582	5,258	11,233
Dec.	1,498	108	1,605	6,007	3,580	9,587	5,185	11,192
1957—Jan.	1,445	104	1,549	6,039	3,470	9,509	5,019	11,058
Feb.	1,457	105	1,562	6,090	3,329	9,419	4,892	10,982
Mar.	1,500	107	1,607	6,153	3,328	9,481	4,935	11,088
Apr.	1,457	107	1,564	6,211	3,406	9,617	4,970	11,181

1. Less total float, i.e. cheques and other items in transit (net). Excludes Government of Canada deposits.

CURRENCY AND CHARTERED BANK DEPOSITS[1] HELD BY THE GENERAL PUBLIC





1. Less total float. Last weekly data plotted May 29, 1957.

CLASSIFICATION OF GOVERNMENT OF CANADA DIRECT AND GUARANTEED SECURITIES

Millions of Dollars, Par Value — *Bank of Canada*

	Direct Funded Debt Outstanding							Guaranteed Funded Debt	Total Outstanding[2]
	Treasury Bills	Treasury Notes	Deposit Certificates	Other Unmatured Market Issues	Matured and Outstanding Market Issues	Non-market Issues[1]	Total		
As at Dec. 31									
1952	450	750	200	11,995	19	1,250	14,664	522	**15,186**
1953	650	750	–	12,066	19	1,632	15,117	520	**15,637**
1954	780	750	–	10,854	74	2,090	14,547	918	**15,465**
1955	1,225	500	–	10,952	30	2,433	15,140	860	**16,000**
1956	1,575	–	–	10,298	27	2,541	14,441	793	**15,234**
End of									
1956—Jan.	1,300	500	–	10,903	34	2,420	15,157	860	**16,017**
Feb.	1,430	500	–	10,903	32	2,405	15,270	793	**16,063**
Mar.	1,600	500	–	10,903	30	2,387	15,420	793	**16,213**
Apr.	1,650	500	–	10,903	30	2,363	15,446	793	**16,239**
May	1,690	–	–	10,903	28	2,327	14,948	793	**15,741**
June	1,690	–	–	10,848	35	2,293	14,866	793	**15,659**
July	1,700	–	–	10,448	34	2,264	14,446	793	**15,238**
Aug.	1,710	–	–	10,448	30	2,237	14,425	793	**15,218**
Sept.	1,730	–	–	10,448	29	2,210	14,417	793	**15,210**
Oct.	1,720	–	–	10,448	28	2,199	14,395	793	**15,188**
Nov.	1,625	–	–	10,448	26	2,593	14,692	793	**15,485**
Dec.	1,575	–	–	10,298	27	2,541	14,441	793	**15,234**
1957—Jan.	1,565	–	–	10,298	23	2,508	14,394	793	**15,187**
Feb.	1,605	–	–	10,298	21	2,475	14,399	793	**15,192**
Mar.	1,625	–	–	10,298	20	2,436	14,379	793	**15,172**
Apr.	1,625	–	–	10,298	20	2,394	14,337	793	**15,130**

For footnotes see table below.

DISTRIBUTION OF GOVERNMENT OF CANADA DIRECT AND GUARANTEED SECURITIES

Millions of Dollars, Par Value — *Bank of Canada*

	Bank of Canada	Chartered Banks[3]	Government of Canada Accounts			General Public			Total Outstanding[2]
			Securities Investment Account[4]	Unemployment Insurance Fund	Other	Market Issues[3]	Non-market Issues[1]	Total[3]	
As at Dec. 31									
1952	2,271	2,905	47	859	195	7,659	1,250	8,909	**15,186**
1953	2,322	2,862	119	919	276	7,507	1,632	9,139	**15,637**
1954	2,267	3,375	–	892	312	6,529	2,090	8,619	**15,465**
1955	2,416	3,132	200	884	407	6,528	2,433	8,961	**16,000**
1956	2,426	2,534	160	924	434	6,215	2,541	8,756	**15,234**
End of									
1956—Jan.	2,276	3,067	345	884	400	6,626†	2,420	9,046†	**16,017**
Feb.	2,246	3,027	475	867	410	6,633	2,405	9,038	**16,063**
Mar.	2,290	2,978	695	853	401	6,608†	2,387	8,995†	**16,213**
Apr.	2,346	2,872	810	838	413	6,596†	2,363	8,959†	**16,238†**
May	2,299	2,815	350	841	415	6,694	2,327	9,021	**15,741**
June	2,374	2,797	341	850	415	6,588†	2,293	8,881†	**15,659**
July	2,387	2,717	80	862	414	6,514	2,264	8,777†	**15,238**
Aug.	2,428	2,751†	105	880	418	6,400	2,237	8,636†	**15,218**
Sept.	2,453	2,732	105	895	422	6,394†	2,210	8,604†	**15,210**
Oct.	2,454	2,675	165	909	421	6,363†	2,199	8,562†	**15,188**
Nov.	2,478	2,624	190	919	430	6,250†	2,593	8,844	**15,485**
Dec.	2,426	2,534	160	924	434	6,215	2,541	8,756	**15,234**
1957—Jan.	2,302	2,535†	182	917	437	6,305†	2,508	8,813†	**15,187**
Feb.	2,249	2,580	182	899	442	6,365	2,475	8,840	**15,192**
Mar.	2,288	2,573	182	878	429	6,386	2,436	8,822	**15,172**
Apr.	2,353	2,509	182	858	433	6,400	2,394	8,794	**15,130**

1. Refundable Tax, War Savings Certificates and Canada Savings Bonds, and since May 1, 1954, Canada Savings Bonds only.
2. Foreign pay issues are converted at the rate of £1 = $2.80 U.S. = $2.80 Cdn. Excludes sinking fund and government account "N" holdings of Newfoundland sterling securities assumed by the Government of Canada. For details by issue at March 31, 1957, see table on page 74.
3. Chartered bank holdings are shown at estimated par value; the figures for general public holdings are residuals obtained by deducting all other holdings from the total outstanding.
4. Market issues only, i.e., excludes holdings of Canada Savings Bonds being purchased on the payroll plan by Government employees, which are included under general public holdings of non-market issues.

† Revised.

MONEY MARKET STATISTICS

WEEKLY SERIES

Bank of Canada

	Bank of Canada [1]			Chartered Banks					Treasury Bills [2]				Distribution of Govt. of Canada Direct and Gtd. Securities [2] (Including Treasury Bills)								
	Outstanding Advances to Chartered and Savings Banks	Can. Govt. Securities Held Under Purchase & Resale Agreements		Cash Ratio Statutory Basis		Day-to-Day Loans			Distribution				Weekly Tender on Thurs. following Wed. date shown				Total	Bank of Canada	Chartered Banks [3]	Government Accounts	General Public				
		At Date	Maximum During Week	At Date	Average: Month to Date	Closing Rate	Wkly Av. of Daily Closing Rates	Amount Outstanding	Total	Bank of Canada	Chartered Banks	Other	Average Yield 3 Month Bills	Average Yield 9 Month Bills	Amount Sold 3 Month Bills	Amount Sold 9 Month Bills					Canada Savings Bonds	Matured & Outstanding Market Issues	Other Unmatured	Total	
	Millions of Dollars			*Percent*				*mm. of $*	*Par Value in Millions of Dollars*				*Percent*		*Millions of Dollars*		*Par Value in Millions of Dollars*								
Wednesdays																									**Wednesdays**
1955—Mar. 30	–	–	–	8.6	8.6	¾	.85	70	890	166	437	287	1.09	1.29	35	15	15,437	2,185	3,641	1,235	2,032	54	6,290	8,376	30 Mar.—1955
Apr. 27	–	–	–	8.7	8.4	¾	.98	69	930	236	368	326	1.25	1.52	40	15	15,453	2,256	3,605	1,218	2,012	50	6,312	8,374	27 Apr.
May 25	–	–	–	8.1	8.4	1	.94	117	970	196	424	350	1.30	1.61	40	15	15,440	2,204	3,690	1,199	1,988	46	6,313	8,347	25 May
June 29	–	–	4	8.4	8.3	1 ⅛	1.20	104	1,020	275	375	370	1.44	1.71	40	15	15,410	2,298	3,667	1,207	1,961	41	6,236	8,238	29 June
July 27	–	–	–	8.1	8.4	1 ⅛	1.08	109	1,050	282	407	361	1.43	1.72	40	15	15,519	2,301	3,741	1,247	1,942	40	6,248	8,230	27 July
Aug. 31	–	–	8	8.1	8.3	1 ½	1.53	90	1,075	242	419	414	1.70	1.95	40	15	15,519	2,314	3,735	1,279	1,921	37	6,233	8,191	31 Aug.
Sept. 28	–	–	–	8.4	8.2	1 ⅝	1.80	41	1,095	251	364	480	1.83	2.10	40	15	15,520	2,357	3,611	1,360	1,902	35	6,255	8,192	28 Sept.
Oct. 26	16	4	12	8.4	8.3	2 ⅛	2.13	53	1,145	303	317	525	2.20	–	60	–	15,582	2,347	3,498	1,434	1,917	33	6,353	8,303	26 Oct.
Nov. 30	4	–	2	8.4	8.3	2 ¼	2.25	54	1,170	303	328	539	2.58	–	60	–	15,974	2,422	3,323	1,334	2,461	31	6,403	8,895	30 Nov.
Dec. 28	–	–	–	8.2	8.2	2 ⅜	2.38	56	1,205	264	416	525	2.56	–	75	–	15,982	2,423	3,108	1,492	2,435	30	6,494	8,959	28 Dec.
1956—Jan. 25	–	–	–	8.3	8.4	2 ¼	2.33	54	1,275	234	480	561	2.53	–	100	–	15,989	2,303	3,038	1,604	2,415	35	6,595	9,044	25 Jan.—1956
Feb. 29	–	6	6	8.1	8.2	2 ½	2.50	82	1,430	341	564	525	2.56	–	115	–	16,063	2,246	3,027	1,752	2,405	32	6,601	9,038	29 Feb.
Mar. 28	–	–	3	7.9	8.2	2 ⅝	2.58	62	1,575	444	573	558	2.64	–	115	–	16,188	2,296	2,957	1,935	2,387	30	6,583	9,000	28 Mar.
Apr. 25	10	–	–	8.3	8.2	2 ⅝	2.68	13	1,640	336	727	577	2.89	–	125	–	16,229	2,329	2,856	2,067	2,363	30	6,584	8,976	25 Apr.
May 30	26	–	–	8.2	8.2	2 ¾	2.73	63	1,690	394	759	537	2.72	–	130	–	15,737	2,302	2,802	1,604	2,323	28	6,678	9,029	30 May
June 27	5	–	–	8.3	8.3	2 ⅜	2.48	62	1,690	465	795	430	2.52	–	130	–	15,658	2,392	2,795	1,606	2,293	35	6,538	8,865	27 June
July 25	12	–	–	8.1	8.3	2 ⅝	2.63	81	1,695	467	735	493	2.65	–	130	–	15,236	2,398	2,699	1,352	2,266	35	6,487	8,787	25 July
Aug. 29	–	–	–	8.2	8.4	2 ¼	2.40	32	1,705	494	835	376	2.90	–	135	–	15,214	2,422	2,762	1,403	2,237	31	6,360	8,627	29 Aug.
Sept. 26	–	–	–	8.2	8.3	2 ¾	2.88	95	1,725	521	806	398	3.16	–	135	–	15,205	2,441	2,739	1,424	2,210	29	6,362	8,601	26 Sept.
Oct. 31	–	–	26	8.6	8.3	2 ¾	2.90	85	1,720	560	794	366	3.34	–	115	–	15,187	2,454	2,675	1,496	2,199	28	6,336	8,562	31 Oct.
Nov. 28	50	–	–	8.5	8.2	2 ⅞	3.03	97	1,645	532	741	372	3.52	–	115	–	15,494	2,451	2,610	1,540	2,582	26	6,285	8,893	28 Nov.
Dec. 26	10	–	–	8.2	8.3	3 ¼	3.25	75	1,585	519	752	314	3.67	–	125	–	15,233	2,506	2,530	1,447	2,530	28	6,193	8,750	26 Dec.
1957—Jan. 30	–	–	–	8.2	8.2	3	3.00	86	1,565	418	807	340	3.70	–	125	–	15,178	2,312	2,530	1,536	2,500	23	6,278	8,800	30 Jan.—1957
Feb. 27	–	–	12	8.4	8.2	3 ½	3.55	112	1,605	437	811	357	3.76	–	125	–	15,187	2,254	2,570	1,520	2,470	21	6,352	8,844	27 Feb.
Mar. 27	10	–	14	8.2	8.2	3 ⅝	3.70	152	1,625	482	805	338	3.70	–	125	–	15,169	2,280	2,554	1,501	2,433	20	6,380	8,833	27 Mar.
Apr. 24	21	–	5	8.4	8.1	3 ¾	3.71	96	1,625	503	769	353	3.75	–	125	–	15,132†	2,353	2,506	1,477	2,396	20	6,380	8,796	24 Apr.
May 29	25	–	–	8.2	8.2	3 ⅜	3.53	116	1,625	474	814	337	3.76	–	125	–	15,084	2,352	2,535	1,494	2,348	18	6,335	8,701	29 May
Weekly																									**Weekly**
1956—Dec. 5	–	–	–	8.1	8.3	2 ¾	2.80	51	1,625	539	756	330	3.53	–	115	–	15,474	2,466	2,609	1,539	2,583	26	6,251	8,860	5 Dec.—1956
12	–	1	1	8.2	8.2	3 ½	3.15	63	1,605	546	753	306	3.59	–	125	–	15,427	2,492	2,571	1,540	2,556	26	6,242	8,824	12
19	45	–	–	8.6	8.3	3 ½	3.50	92	1,595	511	740	343	3.64	–	125	–	15,263	2,489	2,519	1,446	2,541	36	6,231	8,809	19
26	10	–	–	8.2	8.3	3 ¼	3.25	75	1,585	519	752	314	3.67	–	125	–	15,233	2,506	2,530	1,447	2,530	28	6,193	8,751	26
1957—Jan. 2	–	–	–	8.1	8.1	3	3.25	69	1,575	495	756	324	3.65	–	125	–	15,233	2,410	2,529	1,518	2,540	27	6,209	8,777	2 Jan.—1957
9	30	6	10	8.3	8.1	3 ½	3.35	68	1,565	486	756	323	3.71	–	125	–	15,210	2,374	2,508	1,542	2,528	26	6,232	8,786	9
16	–	–	1	8.2	8.2	3 ¼	3.40	76	1,565	486	765	314	3.72	–	125	–	15,196	2,379	2,502	1,543	2,516	25	6,232	8,773	16
23	–	–	–	8.3	8.2	3	3.35	101	1,565	456	765	344	3.72	–	125	–	15,186	2,350	2,493	1,541	2,506	24	6,273	8,803	23
30	–	–	–	8.2	8.2	3	3.00	86	1,565	418	807	340	3.70	–	125	–	15,178	2,312	2,530	1,536	2,500	23	6,278	8,800	30
Feb. 6	–	–	4	8.3	8.4	3 ¼	3.25	110	1,575	385	821	369	3.72	–	125	–	15,188	2,272	2,544	1,531	2,500	22	6,319	8,841	6 Feb.
13	–	8	8	8.2	8.2	3 ½	3.40	115	1,585	393	817	375	3.75	–	125	–	15,184	2,261	2,559	1,531	2,487	22	6,324	8,832	13
20	–	20	22	8.1	8.2	3 ¾	3.70	117	1,595	403	815	377	3.81	–	125	–	15,186	2,233	2,572	1,530	2,479	21	6,350	8,850	20
27	–	–	12	8.4	8.2	3 ½	3.55	112	1,605	437	811	357	3.76	–	125	–	15,187	2,254	2,570	1,520	2,470	21	6,352	8,844	27
Mar. 6	–	1	10	8.1	8.0	3 ¾	3.50	86	1,615	474	832	309	3.72	–	125	–	15,192	2,253	2,598	1,516	2,466	21	6,339	8,826	6 Mar.
13	11	–	17	8.2	8.1	3 ¾	3 75	117	1,625	490	825	311	3.73	–	125	–	15,187	2,279	2,592	1,510	2,451	21	6,335	8,807	12
20	–	–	–	8.2	8.1	3 ½	3.65	109	1,625	501	816	308	3.69	–	125	–	15,177	2,292	2,581	1,508	2,441	21	6,336	8,797	20
27	10	–	14	8.2	8.2	3 ⅝	3.70	152	1,625	482	805	338	3.70	–	125	–	15,169	2,280	2,554	1,501	2,433	20	6,380	8,833	27
Apr. 3	30	–	–	8.3	8.1	3 ⅝	3.55	93	1,625	467	822	336	3.69	–	125	–	15,165	2,277	2,577	1,490	2,430	20	6,372	8,822	3 Apr.
10	–	4	49	8.2	8.1	3 ¾	3.73	95	1,625	468	809	348	3.71	–	125	–	15,148	2,295	2,542	1,485	2,413	20	6,394	8,827	10
17	–	28	28	8.1	8.1	3 ¾	3.75	76	1,625	490	781	355	3.73	–	125	–	15,138	2,344	2,516	1,481	2,402	20	6,376	8,798	17
24	21	–	5	8.4	8.1	3 ¾	3.71	96	1,625	503	769	353	3.75	–	125	–	15,132†	2,353	2,506	1,477	2,396	20	6,380	8,796	24
May 1	–	–	–	8.1	8.1	3 ¾	3.73	105	1,625	501	766	359	3.76	–	125	–	15,127	2,352	2,506	1,473	2,392	20	6,385	8,796	1 May
8	–	6	29	8.3	8.1	3 ⅞	3.80	114	1,625	504	760	361	3.78	–	125	–	15,114	2,364	2,501	1,498	2,379	19	6,352	8,751	8
15	–	–	4	8.3	8.2	3 ⅝	3.75	109	1,625	516	759	350	3.78	–	125	–	15,099	2,379	2,486	1,497	2,364	19	6,354	8,737	15
22	–	–	–	8.1	8.2	3 ⅝	3.72	91	1,625	496	785	344	3.76	–	125	–	15,091	2,362	2,516	1,497	2,357	19	6,341	8,716	22
29	25	–	–	8.2	8.2	3 ⅜	3.53	116	1,625	474	814	337	3.76	–	125	–	15,084	2,352	2,535	1,494	2,348	18	6,335	8,701	29

1. Bank Rate, the minimum rate at which the Bank of Canada will make temporary loans or advances, stood at 2% from October 1950 to February 14, 1955 when it was reduced to 1½%. The rate was raised to 2% on August 5, 1955, to 2¼% on October 12, 1955, to 2¾% on November 18, 1955, to 3% on April 4, 1956, to 3¼% on August 9, 1956, and to 3½% on October 17, 1956. Since November 1, 1956, Bank Rate has been ¼ of 1% above the latest weekly average tender rate for 91-day Treasury Bills.

2. This table has been revised to show all holdings of Government of Canada direct and guaranteed securities at par value, and for this reason the figures for Bank of Canada and chartered bank holdings differ from those appearing on pages 140, 142 and 144. Foreign-pay issues are valued at uniform exchange rates of £1 = $2.80 U.S. = $2.80 Cdn.

3. Estimated par value.

† Revised.

TREASURY BILL RATES, GOVERNMENT BOND PRICES[1] AND MARKET YIELDS[2]

SELECTED ISSUES[3]

CANADA, UNITED STATES, UNITED KINGDOM

Bank of Canada

	Weighted Average of Tender Rates on 3 Month Treasury Bills[4]			Canada								United States						United Kingdom				
				3% Sept. 1/61–66		2¾% June 15/67–68		3¾% Jan. 15/75–78		3¼% Oct. 1/79		2½% Dec. 15/63–68		2½% Dec. 15/67–72		3¼% June 15/78–83		3% Apr. 15/59–69		3% Aug. 15/65–75		
	Canada	U.S.	U.K.	Price	Yield	Price	Yield	Price	Yield	Price	Yield	Price	Yield	Price	Yield	Price	Yield	Price	Yield	Price	Yield	
Wednesdays				*Cdn. $*		*Cdn. $*		*Cdn. $*		*Cdn. $*		*U.S. $*		*U.S. $*		*U.S. $*		£		£		**Wednesdays**
1955—May 25	1.30	1.47	3.92	101 5/8	2.72	98 1/2	2.89	108	3.20	101 3/8	3.17	97 9/32	2.74	96 5/8	2.74	106 3/4	2.85	86 11/16	4.28	83 13/16	4.19	25 May—1955
June 29	1.44	1.40	3.97	102	2.65	98 1/2	2.89	108	3.20	101 1/2	3.16	96 3/32	2.84	95 3/4	2.81	106	2.89	85 5/8	4.40	82 17/32	4.30	29 June
July 27	1.43	1.72	3.97	101 1/2	2.73	97 7/8	2.95	107 1/2	3.23	100 7/8	3.20	95 3/32	2.93	94 29/32	2.94	104 7/8	2.96	83 13/32	4.65	80 5/32	4.51	27 July
Aug. 31	1.70	2.09	4.07	99 3/4	3.03	96 3/4	3.06	105 3/4	3.34	99 3/4	3.27	95 7/16	2.92	94 19/32	2.90	104 1/4	2.99	79 1/2	5.14	76 1/2	4.85	31 Aug.
Sept. 28	1.83	2.12	4.07	99 1/4	3.08	96 3/8	3.10	105 1/2	3.36	99 5/8	3.27	96	2.86	95 9/32	2.85	104 3/4	2.96	81 3/4	4.85	78	4.71	28 Sept.
Oct. 26	2.20	2.23	4.07	99 1/4	3.08	95 3/4	3.16	105 1/2	3.36	99 5/8	3.27	96 7/8	2.78	95 27/32	2.81	105 3/4	2.90	84 1/32	4.60	80 21/32	4.48	26 Oct.
Nov. 30	2.58	2.45	4.07	97 1/2	3.28	94 3/8	3.30	105	3.39	97 3/4	3.39	96 3/8	2.83	94 27/32	2.89	105 1/4	2.93	82 13/16	4.74	79	4.64	30 Nov.
Dec. 28	2.56	2.69	4.07	97 1/4	3.31	93 1/2	3.39	103 3/4	3.48	97 7/8	3.41	95 3/4	2.89	94 13/16	2.89	105 3/32	2.94	82 1/32	4.85	78 3/8	4.69	28 Dec.
1956—Jan. 25	2.53	2.25	4.07	98	3.22	94 1/2	3.29	104 1/2	3.43	98 3/8	3.35	96 1/2	2.83	95 3/4	2.82	105 3/4	2.90	80 13/32	5.04	77	4.83	25 Jan.—1956
Feb. 29	2.56	2.41	5.20	98	3.23	95	3.25	105 1/4	3.37	99 1/4	3.30	96 15/32	2.83	95 31/32	2.83	105 11/16	2.90	80 1/2	5.06	76 7/8	4.85	29 Feb.
Mar. 28	2.64	2.17	5.17	97 7/8	3.33	93 1/2	3.40	103 1/2	3.49	97 3/8	3.41	94 23/32	3.00	93 15/16	2.96	104 1/32	3.00	79 1/32	5.23	75 9/32	5.03	28 Mar.
Apr. 25	2.89	2.79	5.01	94 3/4	3.61	92 1/2	3.51	100 3/4	3.69	94 1/2	3.60	93 23/32	3.10	92 25/32	3.06	102 7/8	3.12	80 13/32	5.08	75 13/16	4.96	25 Apr.
May 30	2.72	2.57	5.01	95 5/8	3.51	92 5/8	3.51	102	3.60	95 7/8	3.51	95 13/16	2.90	95 1/4	2.86	104 5/16	2.98	79	5.27	74 3/4	5.07	30 May
June 27	2.52	2.54	5.14	96 3/8	3.42	93 5/8	3.40	103 3/4	3.47	98	3.37	95 5/16	2.96	94 9/16	2.92	104 1/4	2.99	77 13/32	5.45	73 5/32	5.24	27 June
July 25	2.65	2.30	4.98	95 3/8	3.55	92 1/2	3.53	101 1/2	3.64	95 1/4	3.55	93 31/32	3.09	93 1/32	3.03	102 1/16	3.12	77 27/32	5.43	72 1/16	5.36	25 July
Aug. 29	2.90	2.83	5.02	93 7/8	3.74	90	3.81	99 1/2	3.78	93 3/8	3.69	91 15/32	3.35	90 15/16	3.22	100 1/32	3.25	79 1/4	5.28	74 1/4	5.14	29 Aug.
Sept. 26	3.16	2.99	5.09	92 7/8	3.87	89 1/2	3.88	98	3.89	91 1/2	3.81	92 5/16	3.27	91 13/16	3.15	100 1/8	3.24	77 17/32	5.51	72 9/32	5.37	26 Sept.
Oct. 31	3.34	2.89	5.00	92 1/4	3.96	89	3.94	98	3.89	91 1/4	3.84	91 11/16	3.34	90 23/32	3.24	99 3/16	3.30	78 3/4	5.37	72 3/8	5.35	31 Oct.
Nov. 28	3.52	3.17	5.02	91 1/8	4.11	88 3/4	3.97	97	3.96	90 3/4	3.86	90 31/32	3.42	89 19/32	3.34	98 1/4	3.35	77 3/4	5.49	71 1/2	5.47	28 Nov.
Dec. 26	3.67	3.22	4.86	90 7/8	4.16	88 3/4	3.98	96 3/4	3.98	90 1/4	3.90	90 15/32	3.48	88 9/16	3.44	97 1/2	3.39	78 13/32	5.43	72 13/32	5.36	26 Dec.
1957—Jan. 30	3.70	3.28	4.54	89 1/2	4.35	86 3/4	4.23	95	4.11	87	4.14	92 9/16	3.26	91 9/16	3.18	99 1/4	3.29	83	4.86	77 5/8	4.84	30 Jan.—1957
Feb. 27	3.76	3.29	4.00	91 5/8	4.07	88 1/2	4.02	96 1/4	4.02	89 1/2	3.96	91 13/32	3.34	90 9/16	3.27	99 5/16	3.29	82 5/8	4.91	76 31/32	4.91	27 Feb.
Mar. 27	3.70	3.03	4.11	91 1/4	4.13	87 1/2	4.15	96 1/4	4.02	90	3.92	92 9/16	3.27	91 1/2	3.19	99 1/8	3.30	81 19/32	5.05	75 17/32	5.06	27 Mar.
Apr. 24	3.75	3.05	3.91	89 5/8	4.36	86	4.35	96 1/4	4.02	89 1/2	3.96	91 1/16	3.44	89 7/8	3.33	97 7/16	3.41	81 1/4	5.11	75	5.12	24 Apr.
May 29	3.76	3.25	3.92	89	4.46	85	4.49	94 1/2	4.15	86 3/4	4.17	89 1/2	3.62	88 7/16	3.47	96 5/8	3.48	79 5/16	5.38	72 25/32	5.36	29 May
Weekly																						**Weekly**
1956—Dec. 12	3.59	3.27	4.96	91	4.13	88 1/2	4.01	96 1/2	4.00	90 1/2	3.88	91 9/32	3.39	89 17/32	3.35	98 7/16	3.34	77 29/32	5.49	71 25/32	5.42	12 Dec.—1956
19	3.64	3.33	4.91	90 7/8	4.16	88 3/4	3.98	96 3/4	3.98	90 1/2	3.88	90 3/8	3.49	88 11/32	3.45	97 5/8	3.39	77 29/32	5.49	71 29/32	5.41	19
26	3.67	3.22	4.86	90 7/8	4.16	88 3/4	3.98	96 3/4	3.98	90 1/4	3.90	90 15/32	3.48	88 9/16	3.44	97 1/2	3.39	78 13/32	5.43	72 13/32	5.36	26
1957—Jan. 2	3.65	3.26	4.79	90 7/8	4.16	88 1/4	4.05	95 1/2	4.07	88 1/4	4.04	89 19/32	3.58	87 3/4	3.51	96 11/32	3.46	79 11/32	5.31	73 15/32	5.25	2 Jan.—1957
9	3.71	3.20	4.77	90	4.27	87 3/4	4.11	95	4.11	87 3/4	4.08	89 5/8	3.55	88 3/8	3.46	96 9/16	3.45	79 25/32	5.25	74 11/16	5.13	9
16	3.72	3.22	4.66	90	4.27	87 3/4	4.11	95 1/4	4.09	87 1/2	4.10	91 7/16	3.38	90 1/8	3.29	97 13/16	3.38	80 3/4	5.14	75 5/8	5.03	16
23	3.72	3.09	4.55	89 5/8	4.33	87 1/4	4.16	94 3/4	4.13	86 3/4	4.16	92 3/8	3.28	91 5/8	3.17	99 1/8	3.30	82 7/16	4.96	76 9/16	4.90	23
30	3.70	3.28	4.54	89 1/2	4.35	86 3/4	4.23	95	4.11	87	4.14	92 9/16	3.26	91 9/16	3.18	99 1/4	3.29	83	4.86	77 5/8	4.84	30
Feb. 6	3.72	3.13	4.23	89 1/4	4.39	86 3/4	4.23	94 3/4	4.13	86 3/4	4.16	93 1/8	3.20	92 1/16	3.15	100 7/16	3.22	83 5/16	4.83	77 9/16	4.87	6 Feb.
13	3.75	3.06	4.28	91 5/8	4.06	88	4.08	95 1/4	4.09	88 1/4	4.05	93 5/8	3.15	92 1/16	3.11	99 7/8	3.26	83 1/2	4.81	77 5/32	4.89	13
20	3.81	3.18	4.15	90 3/4	4.19	88 1/4	4.05	95 3/8	4.08	88 3/4	4.01	92 7/16	3.28	91 3/16	3.21	99 7/16	3.28	82 13/16	4.89	76 21/32	4.94	20
27	3.76	3.29	4.00	91 5/8	4.07	88 1/2	4.02	96 1/4	4.02	89 1/2	3.96	91 13/16	3.34	90 9/16	3.27	99 7/16	3.29	82 5/8	4.91	76 31/32	4.91	27
Mar. 6	3.72	3.25	4.02	91 1/4	4.12	88	4.09	95 3/4	4.05	89 3/4	3.94	91 9/16	3.40	90 5/16	3.29	99 9/16	3.27	82 7/32	4.96	76 31/32	4.91	6 Mar.
13	3.73	3.24	4.12	91 5/8	4.07	88 1/4	4.06	96	4.04	90	3.92	91 13/16	3.35	90 7/8	3.24	99 11/16	3.27	82 21/32	4.92	76 27/32	4.93	13
20	3.69	3.04	4.13	91 1/4	4.13	87 1/2	4.15	96 1/4	4.02	90	3.92	92 3/8	3.29	91 3/16	3.22	99 1/2	3.28	81 11/32	5.09	75 3/32	5.10	20
27	3.70	3.03	4.11	91 1/4	4.13	87 1/2	4.15	96 1/4	4.02	90	3.92	92 9/16	3.27	91 1/2	3.19	99 1/8	3.30	81 19/32	5.05	75 17/32	5.06	27
Apr. 3	3.69	3.05	4.15	91	4.16	87 1/4	4.19	96 1/4	4.02	90	3.92	92 7/16	3.29	91 3/8	3.20	98 13/16	3.32	81 17/32	5.07	75 5/8	5.06	3 Apr.
10	3.71	3.15	4.04	90 3/4	4.20	87	4.22	96 1/2	4.00	89 3/4	3.94	92 1/8	3.32	91	3.24	98 11/16	3.33	81 9/32	5.10	75 1/2	5.07	10
17	3.73	3.19	3.94	90 3/8	4.26	86 1/2	4.28	96 3/8	4.01	89 3/4	3.94	91 1/8	3.43	89 7/8	3.33	98 1/8	3.36	80 29/32	5.19	74 3/8	5.18	17
24	3.75	3.05	3.91	89 5/8	4.36	86	4.35	96 1/4	4.02	89 1/2	3.96	91 1/16	3.44	89 7/8	3.33	97 5/16	3.41	81 1/4	5.11	75	5.12	24
May 1	3.76	3.04	3.74	89 3/8	4.40	85 1/4	4.45	96	4.04	89	4.00	91 1/8	3.44	89 13/16	3.34	96 5/8	3.45	81 3/4	5.06	75 5/16	5.09	1 May
8	3.78	2.91	3.81	89 3/8	4.40	85 1/4	4.45	95 1/2	4.07	88	4.07	90 15/16	3.46	89 7/8	3.34	97	3.42	82 7/16	4.97	75 5/16	5.09	8
15	3.78	2.89	3.83	89 1/4	4.42	85 1/4	4.45	95	4.11	87	4.15	90 3/8	3.51	89 1/4	3.39	96 15/16	3.43	80 7/8	5.17	73 21/32	5.26	15
22	3.76	3.12	3.91	89	4.46	84 3/4	4.51	94 3/4	4.13	86 3/4	4.17	90 1/2	3.50	89 1/2	3.37	96 15/16	3.43	79 15/16	5.29	72 19/32	5.38	22
29	3.76	3.25	3.92	89	4.46	85	4.49	94 1/2	4.15	86 3/4	4.17	89 1/2	3.62	88 7/16	3.47	96 1/8	3.48	79 5/16	5.38	72 25/32	5.36	29

1. Government bond prices are closing bids at the Wednesday date for Canadian and United States issues. Prices of the United Kingdom Apr. 15/59–69 issue are closing transactions at the Wednesday date and of the United Kingdom Aug. 15/65–75 issue are approximate mid-market transactions at the Wednesday date. All prices exclude accrued interest.
2. Market yields are based on the prices shown and are expressed as per cent per annum to maturity date if at a discount and to earliest call date if at a premium.
3. On Jan. 1st, 1957 the amounts outstanding for the four Canadian bond issues were $1,692 million, $350 million, $100 million, and $400 million respectively; for the three United States bond issues, $2,824 million, $3,785 million, and $1,606 million respectively; and for the two United Kingdom bond issues £296 million and £1,073 million respectively.
4. Treasury Bill tender rates are at the date nearest the Wednesday shown. In Canada tenders are received on Thursday, in the United States on Monday, and in the United Kingdom on Friday.

NOTE: For data back to 1950 see pages 52–55 in the "Financial Supplement 1954" and pages 46–49 in the "Financial Supplement 1955".

GOVERNMENT OF CANADA THEORETICAL BOND YIELDS[1]

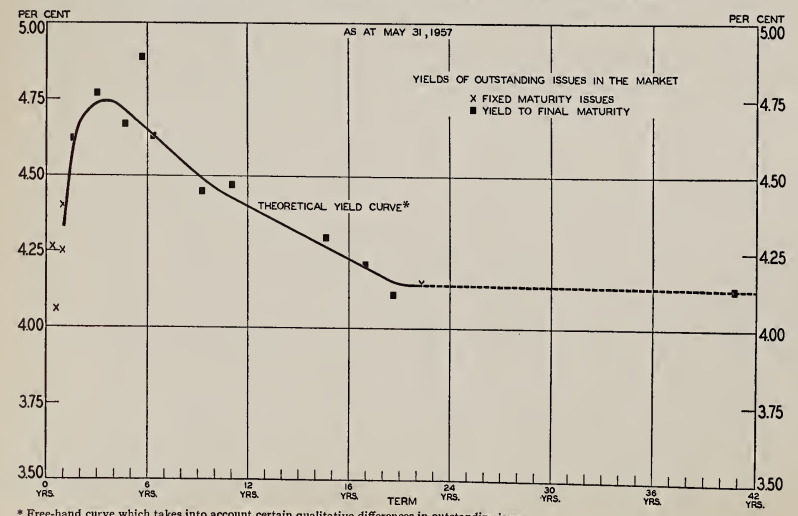
Percent per Annum — *Bank of Canada*

	1 Year	2 Years	3 Years	5 Years	10 Years	15 Years	20 Years	25 Years
1956—Feb. 15	2.70	2.90	3.05	3.20	3.26	3.28	3.29	3.31
29	2.72	2.94	3.07	3.21	3.25	3.27	3.29	3.31
Mar. 15	2.82	3.05	3.16	3.29	3.28	3.31	3.34	3.38
Apr. 3	2.82	3.07	3.22	3.39	3.35	3.38	3.40	3.43
13	3.17	3.38	3.49	3.58	3.49	3.50	3.51	3.52
30	3.40	3.56	3.64	3.67	3.58	3.59	3.61	3.62
May 15	3.34	3.51	3.61	3.65	3.54	3.56	3.58	3.60
31	2.98	3.35	3.56	3.66	3.51	3.52	3.52	3.53
June 15	2.98	3.32	3.49	3.54	3.43	3.42	3.41	3.41
29	2.70	3.12	3.33	3.46	3.39	3.38	3.39	3.40
July 13	2.97	3.30	3.43	3.56	3.48	3.46	3.45	3.44
31	3.20	3.44	3.56	3.68	3.58	3.59	3.60	3.61
Aug. 15	3.69	3.93	3.97	3.95	3.78	3.76	3.75	3.74
31	3.57	3.86	3.89	3.88	3.78	3.77	3.76	3.76
Sept. 15	3.87	3.94	3.96	3.91	3.79	3.78	3.78	3.78
29	3.80	3.95	4.01	4.05	3.87	3.88	3.88	3.88
Oct. 15	3.82	3.97	4.03	4.05	3.86	3.85	3.84	3.84
31	4.03	4.12	4.17	4.19	3.94	3.90	3.87	3.85
Nov. 15	4.11	4.24	4.35	4.41	4.02	3.93	3.90	3.89
30	4.32	4.46	4.50	4.51	4.13	3.98	3.93	3.92
Dec. 14	4.32	4.48	4.51	4.51	4.08	3.97	3.95	3.94
31	4.41	4.56	4.60	4.60	4.10	4.01	4.00	3.99
1957—Jan. 15	4.62	4.84	4.84	4.67	4.23	4.13	4.10	4.08
31	4.74	4.80	4.81	4.79	4.28	4.18	4.16	4.13
Feb. 15	4.43	4.49	4.52	4.54	4.05	4.03	4.02	4.01
28	4.08	4.26	4.38	4.45	4.03	4.00	3.98	3.97
Mar. 15	4.07	4.21	4.29	4.35	4.05	4.01	3.97	3.95
29	4.18	4.29	4.37	4.41	4.13	4.06	3.99	3.95
Apr. 15	4.14	4.34	4.43	4.49	4.20	4.10	4.00	3.94
30	4.18	4.49	4.58	4.61	4.35	4.16	4.01	3.96
May 15	4.25	4.58	4.64	4.64	4.40	4.27	4.15	4.11
31	4.33	4.68	4.74	4.69	4.46	4.31	4.17	4.14

1. Obtained as indicated by chart below.

NOTE: FOR DATA BACK TO 1952 SEE PAGES 38–39 IN THE "FINANCIAL SUPPLEMENT 1955".

GOVERNMENT OF CANADA THEORETICAL BOND YIELDS



* Free-hand curve which takes into account certain qualitative differences in outstanding issues.

CANADIAN INVESTMENT TRANSACTIONS OF TWELVE LIFE INSURANCE COMPANIES[1]

Millions of Dollars

NET INVESTMENT IN:—		Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	Apr.	4 Month Total*	May	June	July	Aug.	Sept.	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.	Annual Total*
Govt. of Canada Bonds[2]	1954	−6.2	8.0	−14.6	−10.6	−23.4	−30.0	−1.1	−11.4	−0.6	−10.4	7.6	−12.3	−15.2	−96.7
	1955	7.4	−2.6	−11.4	15.8	9.2	−10.4	−15.1	−8.4	1.3	3.8	5.0	−2.7	−22.2	−39.4
	1956	−10.7	−11.4	−17.9	−26.7	−66.6	−9.1	−24.7	−21.5	−7.6	5.3	−6.3	−6.3	−11.1	−147.8
	1957	−10.1	3.2	−5.2	−11.7	−23.8									
Provincial Bonds[2]	1954	2.7	3.7	4.1	1.1	11.6	18.3	−2.5	2.9	−6.4	−3.8	1.2	−4.0	−2.2	15.1
	1955	−4.6	−2.0	16.2	−1.1	8.5	−0.6	−1.0	2.4	−7.9	−1.2	−0.9	−1.6	−0.3	−2.7
	1956	13.6	0.1	−8.5	0.4	5.6	12.0	−5.4	5.9	−3.6	−1.6	3.9	−1.2	2.1	17.7
	1957	1.7	4.5	0.3	13.0	19.5									
Municipal Bonds[2]	1954	0.3	0.9	3.0	2.9	7.1	1.1	0.9	3.1	1.2	1.3	1.1	0.6	0.4	16.8
	1955	2.6	2.1	0.9	−1.4	4.2	1.0	2.4	−0.7	3.2	0.7	1.4	2.1	8.1	22.6
	1956	1.7	3.7	0.7	2.8	8.9	1.9	9.7	3.1	0.7	−0.3	1.4	1.3	1.5	28.2
	1957	2.8	4.3	1.8	−0.2	8.7									
Corporate & Other Bonds	1954	9.4	5.8	18.7	17.3	51.2	3.6	7.9	6.1	0.2	10.8	−4.7	15.9	1.6	92.5
	1955	1.3	−2.3	8.0	−6.3	0.7	23.0	8.6	−1.1	−4.2	−8.8	−2.2	7.6	11.0	34.7
	1956	31.2	17.2	30.9	21.2	100.5	2.3	6.9	−1.7	8.1	−5.9	3.4	2.6	12.4	128.4
	1957	15.0	7.9	7.7	19.7	50.2									
Pref. & Com. Stocks	1954	−0.5	−0.5	−0.5	−0.4	−1.9	−0.3	−0.1	−0.6	−0.7	−1.1	0.4	0.2	0.9	−3.2
	1955	0.3	0.3	0.4	0.5	1.4	−0.2	−1.5	−1.5	−0.6	−0.5	−0.5	0.2	4.3	1.1
	1956	0.1	0.5	–	0.1	0.6	0.2	1.3	0.7	−1.0	–	−0.3	−0.2	0.2	1.3
	1957	−0.2	0.7	0.9	0.7	2.1									
Mortgage Loans (Gross)[3]	1954	22.2	19.0	22.0	21.3	84.5	24.8	29.4	32.6	34.4	38.7	33.0	42.2	37.5	357.1
	1955	33.8	26.8	28.0	23.8	112.4	33.7	38.3	45.5	44.0	46.8	41.0	40.4	39.3	441.3
	1956	35.9	27.6	27.5	27.4	118.4	34.5	46.6	45.7	50.7	45.1	52.5	45.0	40.2	478.6
	1957	37.5	25.6	25.6	24.1	112.8									
Real Estate[4]	1954	1.0	1.2	0.8	1.8	4.8	2.0	3.4	3.0	1.7	2.6	2.5	2.5	4.7	27.1
	1955	0.7	4.6	5.0	1.2	11.4	1.9	1.9	2.6	3.7	0.9	0.1	2.0	0.4	24.8
	1956	2.5	0.4	1.9	0.5	5.4	6.5	0.9	1.1	1.2	1.5	1.5	1.0	5.1	24.0
	1957	1.2	1.2	1.6	1.8	5.8									
Policy Loans	1954	1.0	0.8	1.2	1.3	4.3	1.2	1.3	1.0	0.9	1.1	1.0	0.7	0.6	12.1
	1955	0.8	0.6	1.0	0.9	3.4	0.8	0.9	0.7	0.5	0.7	0.6	0.3	0.3	8.1
	1956	0.8	0.9	1.0	1.2	3.9	2.0	2.2	1.5	1.6	1.7	1.8	1.3	0.5	16.5
	1957	1.7	1.9	1.9	2.1	7.5									
Total[5]	1954	29.9	38.9	34.7	34.7	138.2	20.7	39.2	36.7	30.7	39.2	42.1	45.8	28.3	420.8
	1955	42.3	27.5	48.1	33.4	151.2	49.2	34.5	39.5	40.0	42.4	44.5	48.3	40.9	490.5
	1956	75.1	39.0	35.6	26.9	176.5	50.3	37.5	34.8	50.1	45.8	57.9	43.5	50.9	546.9
	1957	49.6	49.2	34.7	49.5	182.8									
NET SOURCE OF FUNDS:—															
Mortgage Repayments (Gross)[3]	1954	11.3	10.3	11.8	10.4	43.7	11.7	10.8	12.1	11.5	12.1	12.1	12.7	10.1	136.7
	1955	14.2	11.0	13.1	11.7	50.1	14.1	13.6	13.0	13.5	13.2	14.3	14.4	12.4	158.5
	1956	15.6	12.5	13.2	14.4	55.7	17.2	15.3	17.2	15.0	14.1	22.6	14.9	13.5	185.6
	1957	16.0	12.9	14.1	14.9	57.9									
Funds Transferred From Abroad	1954	−2.5	–	2.6	−0.7	−0.6	2.1	2.4	3.2	2.3	2.6	3.9	2.6	4.4	22.8
	1955	1.6	0.1	3.4	−0.1	4.9	4.0	1.6	4.8	1.4	0.4	6.6	−1.1	12.7	35.5
	1956	17.0	7.2	3.3	−8.5	19.0	5.8	2.0	3.0	9.2	8.1	19.4	7.3	8.9	82.5
	1957	2.3	6.0	4.3	4.3	16.8									
Funds From Canadian Insurance Operations★	1954	21.1	28.6	20.3	25.0	95.1	6.9	26.0	21.4	16.9	24.5	26.1	30.5	13.8	261.3
	1955	26.5	16.4	31.6	21.8	96.2	31.1	19.3	21.7	25.1	28.8	23.6	35.0	15.8	296.5
	1956	42.5	19.3	19.1	21.0	101.8	27.3	20.2	14.6	25.9	23.6	15.9	21.3	28.5	278.8
	1957	31.3	30.3	16.3	30.3	108.1									

1. Data are based on cash transactions affecting ledger assets and taking place in Canadian dollars, by 12 companies whose net premium income in Canada in 1956 was 77.6% of the total for all companies registered under the federal Insurance Acts. Total Canadian assets of these 12 companies at December 31, 1950 to 1956 are shown on page 87. 2. Includes guaranteed bonds. 3. Includes sale agreements. 4. Includes real estate for the production of income. 5. Includes gross mortgage loans. * Figures rounded to the nearest $100,000. Due to rounding, totals may not equal the sum of the monthly components. ★ Balancing item in the table, representing mainly Canadian dollars available from insurance operations *plus* any reduction or *minus* any increase in Canadian dollar cash balances.

NOTE: FOR 1952 AND 1953 DATA SEE PAGE 56 IN THE "FINANCIAL SUPPLEMENT 1955".

INSTALMENT FINANCE COMPANIES: RETAIL FINANCING[1]†

Millions of Dollars — *Dominion Bureau of Statistics*

	Consumers' Goods									Commercial and Industrial Goods									Total Retail			
	Paper Purchased			Estimated Repayments [2]			Balances Outstanding (end of period)			Paper Purchased			Estimated Repayments [2]			Balances Outstanding (end of period)			Paper Purchased	Estimated Repayments [2]	Balances Outstanding (end of period)	
	Passenger Cars [3]	Other	Total	Passenger Cars [3]	Other	Total	Passenger Cars [3]	Other	Total	Comm. Vehicles [3]	Other	Total	Comm. Vehicles [3]	Other	Total	Comm. Vehicles [3]	Other	Total				
Calendar Years																						**Calendar Years**
1953	574	145	719	462	114	576	411	105	516	153	76	229	150	62	212	123	61	184	948	787	701	1953
1954	507	124	631	524	131	655	394	98	492	111	63	174	130	64	194	104	60	164	805	850	656	1954
1955	604	156	759	519	132	652	478	121	599	123	95	218	121	70	190	106	85	192	977	842	791	1955
1956	746	179	925	611	157	768	614	143	756	165	159	324	133	104	236	138	141	279	1,248	1,004	1,035	1956
Monthly																						**Monthly**
1956—Jan.			53			55			597			10			12			189	62	67	786	Jan. — 1956
Feb.			47			55			588			20			18			192	67	73	780	Feb.
Mar.			66			59	470	127	596			19			17	107	86	193	85	76	790	Mar.
I	127	39	166	135	34	169				27	22	49	26	21	47				214	216		I
Apr.			90			59			627			27			19			201	116	78	828	Apr.
May			98			59			666			43			25			220	141	83	886	May
June			103			66	572	132	703			30			14	124	112	236	133	80	939	June
II	246	45	291	144	40	184				51	49	100	34	24	58				390	241		II
July			99			68			734			34			17			252	132	85	986	July
Aug.			94			67			761			34			22			265	129	89	1,026	Aug.
Sept.			74			61	637	137	775			30			29	137	129	266	104	90	1,040	Sept.
III	221	46	267	156	40	196				47	51	98	35	33	68				365	264		III
Oct.			80			73			781			30			26			270	109	99	1,051	Oct.
Nov.			67			69			799			27			19			278	94	88	1,056	Nov.
Dec.			54			77	614	143	756			20			19	138	141	279	75	96	1,035	Dec.
IV	152	49	201	176	43	219				40	37	77	39	25	64				278	283		IV
1957—Jan.			54			67			743			18			23			274	72	90	1,017	Jan. — 1957
Feb.			54			61			736			18			23			269	72	84	1,006	Feb.
Mar.			69			69	601	135	736			21			20	135	134	270	90	90	1,006	Mar.
I	145	32	177	157	40	197				33	24	57	36	31	66				234	263		I
Apr.			87			68			755			28			23			274	114	92	1,029	Apr.

1. Does not include wholesale financing of instalment financing companies. Wholesale balances were $261 million at March 31, 1957. 2. Repayments are estimated by subtracting the net change in balances outstanding during a period from the paper purchased. The figure will also include cancellations and any other adjustments to the two reported series. 3. Consists of both new and used vehicles. † Revised.

STOCK MARKET STATISTICS

Toronto, Montreal and Canadian Stock Exchanges; Dominion Bureau of Statistics

	Brokers' Loans [1] (Millions of Dollars)	Market Transactions [1] Volume (Millions of Shares)	Market Transactions [1] Value (Millions of Dollars)	Index Numbers of Common Stock Prices [2] (1935–39 = 100) Investors' Total	Industrials Total	Industrials Pulp & Paper	Industrials Oils	Total Utilities	Golds	Base Metals
1955—Mar.	70.0	219.2	374.8	213.7	218.0	864.5	158.5	185.2	69.0	189.6
Apr.	79.8	219.8	336.6	216.5	222.0	911.0	157.5	185.6	71.1	199.8
May	90.0	124.4	324.1	222.1	227.8	991.4	154.0	191.7	72.8	209.0
June	97.0	195.8	436.0	237.1	244.4	1,044.7	163.6	202.9	75.9	226.0
July	108.3	148.0	355.0	246.5	252.8	1,069.8	169.2	208.9	75.0	241.8
Aug.	102.9	138.8	340.4	245.3	252.3	1,066.9	164.7	207.0	76.3	250.0
Sept.	98.8	144.3	333.6	255.9	265.9	1,098.2	174.1	211.2	75.3	252.0
Oct.	102.2	104.8	287.4	239.9	248.9	1,044.9	164.1	200.6	71.0	224.2
Nov.	107.6	94.0	264.5	245.6	255.3	1,062.5	168.8	201.4	71.2	230.2
Dec.	120.3	101.0	256.9	247.6	257.0	1,073.3	170.8	204.2	72.6	233.0
1956—Jan.	121.5	139.3	247.1	248.5	257.0	1,070.0	175.5	206.5	75.8	238.1
Feb.	123.2	219.1	304.4	249.2	258.1	1,077.3	182.6	204.1	76.7	235.8
Mar.	117.1	212.9	439.3	267.9	280.3	1,153.0	205.2	210.2	79.4	260.2
Apr.	131.3	258.1	479.6	273.0	286.2	1,123.9	210.0	209.3	78.8	269.7
May	129.6	148.1	399.6	268.5	282.9	1,192.5	211.7	204.2	78.8	268.5
June	133.4	103.3	259.4	267.0	283.0	1,146.0	219.4	199.8	76.7	273.1
July	139.3	104.6	309.0	282.4	299.0	1,185.8	234.9	207.9	79.5	291.5
Aug.	136.1	106.0	324.3	291.8	308.9	1,175.3	250.1	215.7	79.5	301.9
Sept.	123.7	81.6	213.3	278.9	294.4	1,077.2	243.7	209.2	74.1	282.2
Oct.	118.3	94.0	239.7	270.3	284.8	1,024.9	236.2	205.1	72.5	273.3
Nov.	103.6	80.4	255.4	262.3	276.0	994.2	239.2	200.3	68.6	262.2
Dec.	102.2	78.4	199.0	267.8	281.7	998.9	244.8	203.6	68.9	267.8
1957—Jan.	97.3	136.8	275.0	273.7	287.3	1,005.3	251.6	207.5	70.6	265.7
Feb.	100.7	108.3	200.3	263.2	276.0	946.4	244.8	203.6	69.3	243.2
Mar.	95.5	128.7	242.3	267.5	281.0	966.4	246.2	209.2	68.1	249.6
Apr.	114.0	124.6	310.9	278.8	294.2	997.0	262.9	212.5	72.4	255.4
May*		117.7		287.6	304.8	996.4	278.8	216.1	76.2	234.2

1. Toronto, Montreal and Canadian Stock Exchanges. Brokers' loan data are for the last business day of the month and include borrowings from chartered banks, trust companies and other sources. Customers' free credit balances are not included. 2. Calculated by the Dominion Bureau of Statistics from Montreal and Toronto exchange quotations. Monthly series is an average of Thursday closing prices during the month. † Revised. * Preliminary.

PRICE INDEXES

"Prices and Price Indexes", Dominion Bureau of Statistics

	Wholesale Prices: General: Total Index (Mid-Month)	General: Raw and Partly Manufactured	General: Fully & Chiefly Manufactured	Construction: Non-Residential Building Materials	Farm [1]: Grains	Farm [1]: Livestock	Consumer Prices [2]: Total Index (1st of Month)	Food	Shelter	Clothing	Household Operation	Other Commodities & Services
	1935–39 = 100			1949 = 100	1935–39 = 100		100	32	15	11	17	25
							1949 = 100					
Average of Mths.												
1951	**240.2**	237.9	242.4	118.6	217.3	407.8	**113.7**	117.0	114.4	109.8	113.1	111.5
1952	**226.0**	218.7	230.7	123.2	206.2	316.4	**116.5**	116.8	120.2	111.8	116.2	116.0
1953	**220.7**	207.0	228.8	124.4	201.0	288.1	**115.5**	112.6	123.6	110.1	117.0	115.8
1954	**217.0**	204.8	224.2	121.8	187.2	283.3	**116.2**	112.2	126.5	109.4	117.4	117.4
1955	**218.9**	209.7	224.5	123.4	188.0	263.2	**116.4**	112.1	129.4	108.0	116.4	118.1
1956	**225.6**	215.8	231.5	128.0	188.4	265.6	**118.1**	113.4	132.5	108.6	117.1	120.9
Monthly												
1956—Jan.	**222.0**	212.9	227.4	126.3	184.9	248.6	**116.8**	111.5	131.3	108.6	116.5	119.0
Feb.	**222.2**	213.3	227.6	126.5	186.6	245.1	**116.4**	109.9	131.5	108.6	116.7	119.3
Mar.	**223.3**	214.7	228.4	127.0	190.5	240.4	**116.4**	109.1	131.6	108.7	116.8	119.9
Apr.	**224.6**	216.3	229.5	127.1	191.5	241.5	**116.6**	109.7	131.9	108.7	116.6	120.1
May	**225.4**	217.3	230.3	127.2	192.0	252.3	**116.6**	109.3	132.1	108.8	116.5	120.5
June	**226.5**	219.2	231.3	127.5	190.8	272.8	**117.8**	112.5	132.6	108.6	116.7	120.6
July	**226.6**	219.0	231.6	127.2	188.4	278.4	**118.5**	114.4	132.7	108.6	116.7	121.1
Aug.	**227.0**	217.0	233.2	129.4	188.9	280.8	**119.1**	115.9	133.0	108.4	116.8	121.3
Sept.	**227.4**	216.2	234.4	129.2	188.8	284.2	**119.0**	115.5	133.1	108.4	117.1	121.4
Oct.	**227.0**	214.3	234.7	129.8	187.6	277.3	**119.8**	117.4	133.3	108.5	117.7	121.6
Nov.	**226.6**	213.3	234.6	129.5	185.9	281.0	**120.3**	117.9	133.4	108.4	118.1	122.8
Dec.	**228.0**	216.4	235.1	129.7	184.9	284.3	**120.4**	117.5	133.5	108.6	118.6	122.9
1957—Jan.	**229.4**	217.8	236.5	130.0	184.6	287.7	**120.3**	117.1	133.6	107.6	119.0	123.1
Feb.	**228.4**	214.9	236.8	130.1	182.3	287.6	**120.5**	117.2	133.8	107.4	119.1	123.8
Mar.	**228.4**	212.5	237.8	130.1	180.3	278.3	**120.5**	116.4	134.0	108.2	119.5	124.2
Apr.	**228.4**	211.7	238.3	130.1	178.5	281.8	**120.9**	116.7	134.0	108.5	119.4	125.1
May							**121.1**	116.7	134.2	108.5	119.2	126.3

1. Two sub-groups of the General Wholesale Price Index. 2. Components were selected and weighted on the basis of 1948 urban family incomes ranging from $1,650 to $4,050 with incomes between $2,000 and $3,000 most common.

NOTE: For the years 1952–1955 see page 86 in the "Financial Supplement 1955".

FOREIGN EXCHANGE RATES[1]

Canadian cents per unit — *Bank of Canada*

Business Days	U.S. Dollar					£ Sterling				
	Spot Rates			Average Noon Rates[2]		Spot Rates			Average Noon Rates[2]	
	High	Low	Close	Spot	90-Day Forward Rate[2]	High	Low	Close	Spot	90-Day Forward Rate[2]
1951	107 5/16	101 3/16	101 3/16	105.28	104.92	300 1/2	281 3/8	281 3/8	294.68	294.71
1952	101 1/8	95 7/8	97 1/32	97.89	98.09	281 1/4	266 3/4	272 9/16	273.40	272.26
1953	99 25/32	96 3/4	97 3/8	98.34	98.66	280 15/16	272 3/8	273 5/8	276.66	277.02
1954	98 3/4	96 11/32	96 19/32	97.32	97.65	278 9/16	269	269	273.39	274.19
1955	100 1/16	96 15/32	99 23/32	98.63	98.62	280 7/16	268 3/4	280 3/32	275.35	274.23
1956	99 31/32	95 21/32	95 31/32	98.41	98.64	280 13/16	266 3/16	267 7/16	275.16	274.13
1956—Mar.	99 15/16	99 13/16	99 7/8	99.87	99.91	280 5/8	279 11/16	280 1/32	280.17	278.39
Apr.	99 7/8	99 3/32	99 13/32	99.68	99.75	280 3/8	278 1/2	279 7/32	279.93	278.31
May	99 15/16	98 7/8	98 15/16	99.18	99.30	279 15/32	277 3/16	277 13/32	278.49	277.27
June	99 1/16	98	98 3/32	98.53	98.75	277 5/8	274	274 15/32	276.16	275.25
July	98 13/32	97 27/32	98 5/32	98.18	98.45	275 3/32	273 3/16	273 1/4	274.30	273.51
Aug.	98 7/16	97 27/32	98 3/32	98.12	98.38	273 15/16	272 1/2	272 25/32	273.11	272.39
Sept.	98 1/16	97 7/16	97 15/32	97.77	98.10	272 7/8	271 3/16	271 1/4	272.14	271.43
Oct.	97 5/8	96 21/32	97 1/4	97.32	97.69	271 7/8	268 31/32	270 5/8	271.06	270.54
Nov.	97 3/8	95 21/32	96 1/8	96.44	96.81	270 7/16	266 3/16	267 7/16	268.36	267.56
Dec.	96 15/32	95 25/32	95 31/32	96.05	96.66	268 5/8	266 13/16	267 7/16	267.54	266.62
1957—Jan.	96 11/32	95 27/32	95 7/8	96.07	96.57	269 1/4	267 11/16	268 1/4	268.63	268.65
Feb.	95 15/16	95 3/4	95 3/4	95.83	96.24	268 1/2	267 13/16	267 13/16	268.21	268.39
Mar.	95 16/32	95 1/2	95 21/32	95.61	96.06	267 27/32	266 1/2	266 21/32	267.10	267.47
Apr.	96 7/32	95 11/16	95 25/32	95.97	96.21	268 11/32	266 5/8	267 13/32	267.71	267.58
May	95 25/32	95 5/16	95 17/32	95.56	95.84	267 17/32	266 3/8	266 1/2	266.76	266.59

1. Rates are as reported on transactions between banks in the exchange market. Noon rates prior to May 6, 1954 are not available and closing rates have been used.
2. The 90-day forward rates are the averages of approximate rates at noon.

NOTE: For data back to 1939 see page 59 in the "Financial Supplement 1954" and page 51 in the "Financial Supplement 1955".

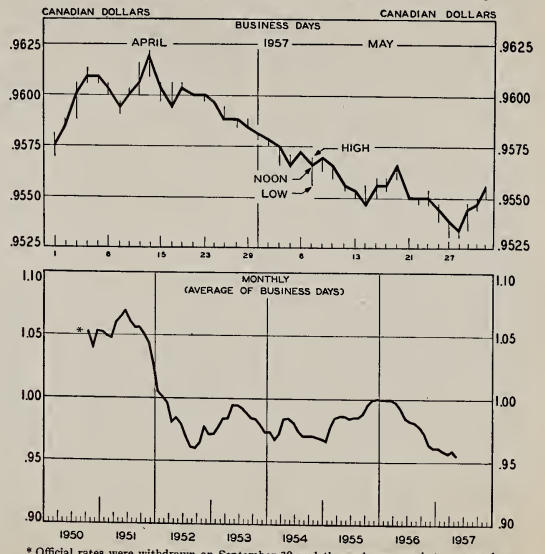
OFFICIAL HOLDINGS OF GOLD AND U.S. DOLLARS[1]

$ mm. U.S. — *Dept. of Finance*

End of Period	Gold	U.S. Dollars	Total
1951	841.7	936.9	1,778.6
1952	885.0	975.2	1,860.2
1953	986.1	832.4	1,818.5
1954	1,072.7	869.9	1,942.6
1955	1,133.9	766.9	1,900.8
1956	1,103.3	832.9	1,936.2
1955—Nov.	1,143.4	746.5	1,889.9
Dec.	1,133.9	766.9	1,900.8
1956—Jan.	1,129.5	749.4	1,878.9
Feb.	1,122.2	755.5	1,877.7
Mar.	1,120.1	751.3	1,871.4
Apr.	1,106.1	759.0	1,865.1
May	1,100.4	785.0	1,885.4
June	1,100.6	798.9	1,899.5
July	1,104.8	788.5	1,893.3
Aug.	1,105.9	777.8	1,883.7
Sept.	1,105.5	798.0	1,903.5
Oct.	1,109.8	803.2	1,913.0
Nov.	1,114.2	818.4	1,932.6
Dec.	1,103.3	832.9	1,936.2
1957—Jan.	1,105.9	824.7	1,930.6
Feb.	1,101.5	818.2	1,919.7
Mar.	1,101.2	822.4	1,923.6
Apr.	1,105.7	796.1	1,901.8
May	1,109.0	823.6	1,932.6

1. Gold, U.S. dollars and short-term securities of the U.S. Gov't. held by the Exchange Fund Account, other Gov't. accounts, and the net holdings of the Bank of Canada.

UNITED STATES DOLLAR IN CANADIAN FUNDS



* Official rates were withdrawn on September 30 and the exchange market re-opened on October 2.

NOTE: For data back to 1945 see pages 60–61 in the "Financial Supplement 1954".

LABOUR FORCE STATUS OF THE POPULATION[1]

Thousands of Persons — *"The Labour Force", Dominion Bureau of Statistics; Department of National Defence*

Survey Week Ending	Persons With Jobs				Without Jobs and Seeking Work[3]		Total Civilian Labour Force	Civilian Non-Institutional Population (14 years of age and over)	Armed Forces	Civilian Labour Force Participation Ratio[4]		
	Agriculture	Non-Agricultural Industries	Total	Of Which On Temporary Lay-off and Short-time[2]	Thousands	Percentage of Labour Force				Total	Male	Female
1955—Aug. 20	960	4,681	5,641	46	131	2.3	5,772	10,557	116	54.7	85.1	24.4
Sept. 17	844	4,651	5,495	44	138	2.4	5,633	10,574	117	53.3	82.4	24.3
Oct. 22	774	4,703	5,477	40	142	2.5	5,619	10,590	117	53.1	82.3	24.1
Nov. 19	728	4,691	5,419	54	162	2.9	5,581	10,602	117	52.6	81.2	24.3
Dec. 10	713	4,675	5,388	67	200	3.6	5,588	10,610	117	52.7	81.0	24.6
1956—Jan. 21	688	4,543	5,231	74	286	5.2	5,517	10,626	116	51.9	80.2	23.9
Feb. 18	678	4,538	5,216	73	308	5.6	5,524	10,635	117	51.9	80.3	23.9
Mar. 24	679	4,562	5,241	66	295	5.3	5,536	10,646	117	52.0	80.1	24.1
Apr. 21	764	4,562	5,326	51	257	4.6	5,583	10,663	117	52.4	80.7	24.3
May 19	817	4,682	5,499	37	165	2.9	5,664	10,680	116	53.0	81.9	24.4
June 23	804	4,843	5,647	35	117	2.0	5,764	10,699	116	53.9	83.1	24.9
July 21	897	4,892	5,789	33	102	1.7	5,891	10,714	116	55.0	85.3	25.0
Aug. 18	946	4,877	5,823	36	103	1.7	5,926	10,733	116	55.2	85.5	25.2
Sept. 22	841	4,835	5,676	45	97	1.7	5,773	10,752	117	53.7	82.7	25.0
Oct. 20	794	4,880	5,674	39	98	1.7	5,772	10,771	117	53.6	82.3	25.2
Nov. 17	693	4,937	5,630	47	135	2.3	5,765	10,791	117	53.4	81.7	25.5
Dec. 15	680	4,875	5,555	59	186	3.2	5,741	10,815	117	53.1	81.0	25.5
1957—Jan. 19	671	4,722	5,393	74	303	5.3	5,696	10,842	117	52.5	80.4	25.0
Feb. 16	654	4,708	5,362	80	323	5.7	5,685	10,861	117	52.3	80.4	24.6
Mar. 16	671	4,702	5,373	87	343	6.0	5,716	10,884	117	52.5	80.5	24.9
Apr. 20	706	4,736	5,442	71	306	5.3	5,748	10,926	117	52.6	80.7	24.9

1. The estimates are based on a sample of about 30,000 households and are therefore subject to sampling error which is relatively larger the smaller the estimate. Data not seasonally adjusted.
2. Includes those laid off for part of the week or on lay-off during the entire week, with definite instructions to return to their jobs within 30 days of the date on which lay-off began, provided they did not look for work during the survey week.
3. Includes persons who, though having jobs, did not work during the entire week and looked for work or would have looked for work only they were temporarily ill, on indefinite or prolonged lay-off or believed no work was available.
4. Civilian labour force as a percentage of civilian non-institutional population 14 years of age and over.

NOTE: For the years 1946–1955 see pages 84–85 in the "Financial Supplement 1955".

EMPLOYMENT AND LABOUR INCOME

"Employment and Payrolls", "Man-Hours and Hourly Earnings" and "Estimates of Labour Income", Dominion Bureau of Statistics

	Employment Indexes[1,2]		Average Hours Worked[1,3]		Average Hourly Earnings[1,3,4]		Monthly Labour Income[4]			
	Manufacturing	Mining	Manufacturing	Mining	Manufacturing	Mining	Total[5]	Manufacturing	Construction	All Other[6]
	Index 1949 = 100		Hours per week		Cents		Millions of Dollars			
Monthly Average										
1951	108.0	110.6	41.8	43.1	116.8	133.4	810	272	52	486
1952	109.3	116.8	41.5	42.7	129.2	147.1	906	303	63	540
1953	113.3	111.7	41.3	42.7	135.8	153.8	976	329	70	577
1954	107.7	109.8	40.6	42.6	140.8	157.3	1,000	323	69	608
1955	109.3	113.4	41.0	43.2	144.5	161.1	1,068	342	78	648
1956	115.4	122.0	41.1	42.9	151.5	171.4	1,190	379	93	718
1955—Dec.	112.3	116.5	41.6	44.2	146.1	165.2	1,117	357	78	682
1956—Jan.	109.8	114.4	39.0	42.0	147.5	165.1	1,077	349	71	657
Feb.	110.2	114.4	41.2	43.8	147.3	166.2	1,090	358	69	663
Mar.	112.3	115.9	41.3	44.0	148.5	166.8	1,094	365	70	659
Apr.	113.4	117.3	41.1	42.6	150.5	168.5	1,126	371	79	676
May	114.1	116.9	41.4	42.7	151.1	169.0	1,169	377	92	700
June	115.4	123.0	40.9	42.8	151.9	170.5	1,215	381	105	729
July	118.0	126.1	41.2	42.4	152.7	172.0	1,223	382	105	736
Aug.	117.9	128.2	40.8	42.6	152.4	172.7	1,236	382	108	746
Sept.	118.0	128.6	41.1	42.7	152.1	173.8	1,268	392	110	766
Oct.	118.6	126.5	41.5	43.6	153.3	176.2	1,273	394	114	765
Nov.	118.6	126.9	41.6	42.5	154.7	177.3	1,265	397	101	767
Dec.	118.0	125.4	41.5	43.1	155.5	179.0	1,248	397	90	761
1957—Jan.	114.8	122.7	37.9	40.7	158.0	181.6	1,197	384	76	737
Feb.	115.1	124.1	40.9	42.9	157.5	181.6	1,205	389	74	742
Mar.	115.0	124.5	40.9	43.1	157.6	182.7	1,205	393	73	739
Apr.*	115.3		41.1	42.3	158.7	183.5				

1. As reported by employers usually having 15 or more employees. Dated first of month and covering the last pay period in the previous month.
2. Coverage, including salaried and part time workers at Mar. 1, 1957, was Manufacturing, 1,196,824; Mining, 110,750.
3. Include hourly rated wage earners only.
4. Gross earnings before deductions for taxes, unemployment insurance, etc.
5. Wages and salaries and includes bonuses and commissions, food, clothing, shelter and contributions to insurance, pensions, etc. provided by employer.
6. Includes all supplementary labour income.

* Preliminary.

NOTE: For the years 1952–1955 see page 83 in the "Financial Supplement 1955".

SELECTED SEASONALLY ADJUSTED STATISTICS★

Dominion Bureau of Statistics

	Gross National Production		Personal Income and Expenditure				Change in Business Inventories	Corporation Profits before Taxes 1	Expenditure on Construction 2	External Trade Value Indexes		Labour Force Survey			Industrial Production Index	Manufacturing						
			Labour Income	Disposable Income	Expenditure on Goods											Total		Durable Goods		Non-Durable Goods		
					Durable	Non-Dur.				Exports of Goods	Imports of Goods	Without Jobs	Non-Agric. Employment	Employment in Construction		Production Index	Employment Index	Employment Index	Hrs. Worked per Week	Employment Index	Hrs. Worked per Week	
	Millions of Dollars									1949 = 100		Thousands of Persons			1935–39 = 100	1949 = 100			Average	1949 = 100	Average	
1955—Apr.			12,528							152	167	238			259	264	108	115	41.0	101	40.5	Apr.—1955
May	26,624	25,176	12,672	18,240	1,916	9,612	−16	2,752	3,216	134	165	236	4,460‡	359	263	268	109	116	41.2	102	40.6	May
June			12,816							138	159	224			266	271	110†	117	41.4	103	40.7	June
July			12,864							142†	160	220			269	275	111	119	40.9	103	40.9	July
Aug.	27,396	25,984	13,008	18,332	2,008	9,760	528	3,052	3,388	147	181	208	4,621‡	374	270	276	111	118	41.4	103	40.9	Aug.
Sept.			13,056							157	180	230			272	278	112	119	41.3	105	41.0	Sept.
Oct.			13,140							159	201	209			274	278	111	119	41.4	104	40.8	Oct.
Nov.	27,912	26,468	13,236	18,664	2,032	9,996	488	3,232	3,556	143	183	195	4,631‡	382	278	279	112	120	41.5	105	40.9	Nov.
Dec.			13,320							143	182	198			275	277	113	120	41.2	106	40.8	Dec.
1956—Jan.			13,476							159	199	200			276	278	113	121	41.2	104	41.1	Jan.—1956
Feb.	28,676	27,100	13,644	19,284	1,948	10,196	992	3,112	3,712	162	199	202	4,645	391	274	275	113	121	41.2	106	41.1	Feb.
Mar.			13,788							151	216	193			278	280	115	124	41.1	105	40.9	Mar.
Apr.			13,992							166	225	188			279	281	115	125	41.0	106	40.3	Apr.
May	29,548	27,964	14,100	19,760	2,100	10,272	856	3,216	4,080	149	199	183	4,691	419	278	282	116	126	41.4	106	40.7	May
June			14,232							161	202	167			287	290	116	127	41.1	106	40.9	June
July			14,484							164	198	150			293	299	118	128	41.3	107	41.0	July
Aug.	30,256	28,688	14,496	20,208	2,112	10,668	396	3,324	4,268	162	200	164	4,814	416	287	288	117	127	41.5	108	40.8	Aug.
Sept.			14,700							182	210	162			289	290	116	125	41.3	107	40.7	Sept.
Oct.			14,760							173	220	144			290	289	117	126	41.3	107	40.9	Oct.
Nov.	30,984	29,280	14,832	20,692	2,084	10,916	724	3,292	4,360	155	219	163	4,874	416	292	291	118	129	41.5	107	40.7	Nov.
Dec.			14,904							166	200	175			291	290	119	131†	41.2	108	40.7	Dec.
1957—Jan.			14,964							168	217	212			290	289	119†	130	40.2	108†	39.7	Jan.—1957
Feb.			15,072							166	222	212	4,840	430	291†	289†	119	130†	40.8	108	40.9	Feb.
Mar.			15,192							156†	216*	224			291	290	117	126	40.6	108	40.6	Mar.
Apr.												223										Apr.

★ Note: All dollar series are expressed at annual rates. 1. As per survey of corporate earnings: profits before payment of dividends abroad and including earnings of Canadian corporations abroad. 2. As per National Accounts: expenditure on private residential and non-residential construction. ‡ Corrected. † Revised.
* Preliminary.

NOTE: For data back to 1952 for most of this series, see page 87 in the "Financial Supplement 1955".

SELECTED HOUSING STATISTICS

Central Mortgage and Housing Corporation and Dominion Bureau of Statistics

	Dwellings in New Structures 1				Composite Indexes of Residential Building Costs			Residential Construction Expenditures 3, 6		
	Areas of 5,000 Population and over 2		All Areas 3		Residential Building Materials 4	Wage Rates of All Construction Workers 5	Residential Building Materials and Wage Rates 4	New Dwellings and Major Improvements	Repair and Maintenance	Total
	Starts	Completions	Starts	Completions						
	thousands of units				1949 = 100			millions of dollars		
Calendar Years										
1951	47.4	61.2	68.6	81.3	125.5	119.2	123.1	821.6	221.0	1,042.6
1952	63.4	54.3	83.2	73.1	124.9	129.5	126.6	825.6	203.2	1,028.8
1953	80.3	73.4	102.4	96.8	123.9	137.2	128.9	1,083.7	213.6	1,297.3
1954	89.8	80.6	113.5	102.0	121.7	141.1	129.0	1,178.0	221.8	1,399.8
1955	97.4	93.9	138.3	127.9	124.3	146.6	132.7	1,499.3	238.0	1,737.3
1956	87.3	95.2	127.3	135.7	128.5†	152.4	137.5†	1,574.2	255.5	1,829.7
Monthly										
1955—Dec.	4.8	9.3	6.2	12.1	126.1	146.9	133.9			
1956—Jan.	3.5	6.9	4.2	9.5	127.1†	147.3	134.7†			
Feb.	4.1	5.8	4.7	7.5	127.1†	147.4	134.7	299.1	62.4	361.5
Mar.	4.5	7.3	5.6	8.7	127.9†	147.5	135.3			
Apr.	7.6	7.4	10.4	9.1	128.8†	147.8	135.9			
May	11.1	7.9	15.9	9.7	129.1†	148.5	136.4†	425.0	63.3	488.3
June	11.0	7.8	19.4	13.6	129.0	148.5	136.3			
July	11.1	7.4	15.9	9.7	129.0†	148.9	136.4			
Aug.	9.0	7.4	14.0	10.7	129.0†	150.5	137.1†	442.4	64.4	506.8
Sept.	8.9	7.7	13.3	12.2	128.7	151.1	137.1			
Oct.	7.8	10.7	11.8	18.5	128.8†	152.4	137.7†			
Nov.	5.7	10.1	8.0	14.1	128.7†	151.9	137.4†	407.7	65.4	473.1
Dec.	3.2	8.7	4.1	12.5	128.4	153.0	137.6			
1957—Jan.	1.4†	7.1†	1.7	10.2	128.6	153.3	137.9			
Feb.	1.7	6.0	2.0	7.5	128.7	153.4	138.0			
Mar.*	3.4	5.2	4.1	6.9	128.9	153.6	138.2			
Apr. *					128.8	156.7	139.3			

1. Excludes conversions. From 1951 to 1956 these are estimated to have totalled approximately 3.5, 3.2, 3.8, 4.4, 4.3 and 3.6 thousand respectively. 2. Based on a complete enumeration. 3. In areas outside the centres of 5,000 population and over, information relating to starts and completions is based on a sample survey. In the latter part of 1954 the sample was redesigned and enlarged and some discontinuity with previous years resulted. There is probably an understatement of total starts and completions and of expenditures in 1954 and earlier years. Total number of starts in 1957 is subject to upward revision when the results of the June survey are available. 4. Calendar year figures are the averages of 12 months. 5. Index of average hourly wage rates including holiday pay allowances. Annual data refer to the month of October each year. 6. Expenditures on work put in place. † Revised. * Preliminary.

NOTE: For data back to 1952 see page 78 in the "Financial Supplement 1955".

MANUFACTURING: SHIPMENTS, ORDERS AND INVENTORIES

ESTIMATES FOR ALL ITEMS IN ALL INDUSTRIES

Millions of Dollars — *"Inventories, Shipments and Orders in Manufacturing Industries", DBS*

	Shipments During Month 1	Orders: New Orders Received During Month 2	Orders: Unfilled Orders at end of Month 3	Inventories at End of Month: Owned 4	Inventories at End of Month: All Inventories Held: Total 5	Raw Materials	Goods in Process	Finished Products
1955—Sept.	1,747	1,733	2,730	3,499	3,971	1,675	1,109	1,187
Oct.	1,702	1,674	2,702	3,527	4,013	1,712	1,135	1,166
Nov.	1,695	1,737	2,744	3,552	4,028	1,737	1,110	1,181
Dec.	1,644	1,684	2,784	3,636	4,070	1,766	1,105	1,199
1956—Jan.	1,539	1,752	2,997	3,706†	4,138†	1,788	1,106	1,244†
Feb.	1,621	1,672	3,048	3,790†	4,233†	1,816	1,142	1,276†
Mar.	1,761	1,759	3,046	3,833†	4,262†	1,823	1,150	1,289†
Apr.	1,752	1,779	3,074	3,845†	4,281†	1,817	1,158†	1,306†
May	1,888	1,852	3,037	3,883†	4,342†	1,838	1,184†	1,320†
June	1,867	1,760	2,930	3,933†	4,397†	1,854	1,191†	1,352†
July	1,764	1,739†	2,905†	3,937†	4,392†	1,882	1,164†	1,346†
Aug.	1,810	1,831†	2,926†	3,938†	4,399†	1,897	1,170†	1,332†
Sept.	1,798	1,812†	2,940†	3,970†	4,441†	1,903	1,187†	1,349†
Oct.	1,911†	1,858†	2,886†	3,989†	4,464†	1,926†	1,205†	1,333†
Nov.	1,849†	1,846†	2,883†	4,059†	4,545†	1,954†	1,229†	1,362†
Dec.	1,716	1,973	3,140	4,117	4,606	1,991	1,236	1,378
1957—Jan. *	1,692	1,775	3,223	4,160	4,658	1,983	1,255	1,421
Feb. *	1,639	1,630	3,210	4,268	4,779	2,015	1,284	1,480
Mar.*	1,830	1,770	3,150	4,275	4,801	2,024	1,287	1,490
Apr. *	1,793	1,763	3,121	4,251	4,777	1,995	1,292	1,490

1. Represent an estimated projection, on a monthly basis, of the latest available Census of Industry values. The value level used being the factory selling value. 2. Indicates the rate at which new business is being received. These are new orders received during the period at estimated selling value. 3. Estimated selling value of orders received but not yet shipped, irrespective of work done on them. 4. Estimated book value of inventory owned by manufacturers in connection with manufacturing operations. Excludes value of goods purchased for re-sale. 5. Estimated total value of manufacturers' inventory holdings in connection with manufacturing operations, regardless of ownership. Includes progress payments inventory. † Revised. * Preliminary.

VOLUME OF INDUSTRIAL PRODUCTION

INDEXES NOT SEASONALLY ADJUSTED

"Canadian Statistical Review", Dominion Bureau of Statistics

1935–39 = 100

	Total	Mining	Manufacturing			Electricity and Manufactured Gas
			Total	Non-Durables	Durables	
Weighting	100.0	16.8	75.6	46.1	29.5	7.6
Annual Average						
1951	**226.5**	161.8	242.1	214.0	285.9	214.2
1952	**233.0**	174.7	246.3	215.2	294.8	228.8
1953	**248.4**	185.8	263.0	224.1	323.9	241.9
1954	**244.6**	209.7	251.4	221.7	297.7	254.6
1955	**265.8**	242.0	270.1	235.2	324.8	275.7
1956	**284.4**	272.5	285.6	245.6	348.9	295.2
Monthly						
1955—Aug.	**271.7**	261.8	275.5	245.8	322.0	255.2
Sept.	**281.2**	275.7	284.3	250.2	337.6	262.3
Oct.	**284.0**	285.3	284.9	247.5	343.2	272.3
Nov.	**283.7**	273.9	284.6	248.6	341.0	296.5
Dec.	**264.3**	245.5	265.5	229.5	321.9	293.2
1956—Jan.	**257.7**	239.8	259.5	223.5	315.8	278.8
Feb.	**266.4**	243.6	269.7	232.8	327.5	283.2
Mar.	**277.5**	250.5	282.5	240.9	347.5	286.9
Apr.	**277.4**	234.5	286.6	244.1	353.0	279.8
May	**283.3**	257.5	288.0	244.3	356.3	293.2
June	**298.7**	279.5	303.3	260.1	370.8	295.3
July	**285.5**	284.3	286.1	240.2	358.0	282.7
Aug.	**288.6†**	294.3	287.3†	252.5	341.8†	289.1
Sept.	**298.8**	308.6	296.5	260.2	353.2	300.6
Oct.	**300.7†**	308.4	297.1†	256.4	360.8†	319.5
Nov.	**298.2**	298.4	296.2	254.4	361.6†	317.1
Dec.	**279.4†**	270.4	277.7†	237.7	340.3†	316.3
1957—Jan.	**271.6**	260.0	269.8	227.2	336.4	314.6
Feb.	**282.2***	267.3*	282.2*	242.3*	344.4*	315.4
Mar.	**283.1**	260.8*	285.7*	244.6*	350.1*	306.4

† Revised. * Preliminary.

NOTE: For the years 1952–1955 see page 82 in the "Financial Supplement 1955".

U.S.A. ECONOMIC STATISTICS

	U.S. Department of Commerce								*U.S. Dept. of Labor*			*Federal Reserve*
	Gross National Product	Change in Business Inventories	Govt. Expenditure on National Security 1	Personal Savings as a Percentage of Disposable Income	Total Personal Income	Construction 3	Unemployment	Retail Sales 4	Consumer Price Index	Wholesale Prices: All Commodities	Average Hourly Earnings in Manufacturing 5	Total Industrial Production 4
	Billions of Dollars 2				Billions of $[2]	Billions of $	Millions	Billions of $	1947–49 = 100		Dollars	1947–49 = 100
Annual Averages [6]												
1951	328.2	10.4	37.3	7.8	255.3	31.2	1.9	158.2	111.0	114.8	1.59	120
1952	345.4	3.0	48.8	8.0	271.8	33.0	1.7	164.1	113.5	111.6	1.67	124
1953	363.2	0.3	51.5	7.9	286.0	35.3	1.6	170.7	114.4	110.1	1.77	134
1954	360.7	−2.3	43.0	7.0	287.3	37.6	3.2	170.7	114.8	110.3	1.81	125
1955	390.9	4.2	41.2	6.1	306.1	43.0	2.7	185.5	114.5	110.7	1.88	139
1956	412.4	3.5	41.6	7.3	325.2	44.3	2.6	191.5	116.2	114.3	1.98	143
Monthly												
1955—Dec.					317.5	3.3	2.4	15.8	114.7	111.3	1.93	144
1956—Jan.					316.7	2.9	2.9	15.7	114.6	111.9	1.93	143
Feb.	403.4	4.1	40.5	6.6	317.1	2.8	2.9	15.3	114.6	112.4	1.93	143
Mar.					318.6	3.1	2.8	15.7	114.7	112.8	1.95	141
Apr.					321.7	3.4	2.6	15.5	114.9	113.6	1.96	143
May	408.3	3.5	40.7	7.4	322.8	3.8	2.6	15.9	115.4	114.4	1.97	141
June					324.9	4.1	2.9	16.0	116.2	114.2	1.97	141
July					324.3	4.2	2.8	16.0	117.0	114.0	1.97	136
Aug.	413.8	2.0	41.9	7.4	328.1	4.3	2.2	16.3	116.8	114.7	1.98	143
Sept.					329.5	4.3	2.0	16.0	117.1	115.5	2.00	144
Oct.					332.5	4.1	1.9	16.1	117.7	115.6	2.02	146
Nov.	423.8	4.1	43.2	7.6	333.5	3.8	2.5	16.4	117.8	115.9	2.03	146
Dec.					334.0	3.4	2.5	16.5	118.0	116.3	2.05	147
1957—Jan.					335.0	3.1	3.2[7]	16.4	118.2	116.9	2.05	146
Feb.	427.1†	−1.2†	45.0†	6.9	336.7	2.9	3.1	16.5	118.7	117.0	2.05	146
Mar.					338.1†	3.1†	2.9	16.3	118.9	116.9	2.05	146
Apr.					339.3	3.5	2.7	16.3	119.3	117.2	2.05	145

1. Includes stockpiling, atomic energy, and Mutual Defence Assistance in addition to strictly military programmes.
2. Seasonally adjusted annual rates.
3. Value of new work put in place.
4. Seasonally adjusted.
5. Production workers.
6. Quarterly averages for first four columns. Calendar year totals in the case of "Construction" and "Retail Sales".
7. New series starting Jan. 1957; not strictly comparable with earlier figures. Includes persons temporarily laid-off who were classed as employed prior to 1957.

† Revised.

EXTERNAL TRADE AND TRADE INDEXES

Millions of Dollars — *Compiled from "Trade of Canada", Dominion Bureau of Statistics*

TOTAL EXPORTS (EXCLUDING GOLD) TO [1]

	U.S.A.	U.K.	Other Sterling Area 2	Western Europe & Colonies 3	Central and South America	All Other	Total All Countries	New Gold Production Available for Export ‡	Export Indexes [4] 1948=100: Total Value	Price	Physical Volume
Calendar Yrs.											
1951	2,334	636	267	364	217	145	**3,963**	150	127.3	123.0	103.5
1952	2,349	751	291	468	281	216	**4,356**	150	139.9	121.8	114.9
1953	2,463	669	252	367	207	215	**4,173**	144	133.9	118.3	113.2
1954	2,367	658	208	349	196	169	**3,947**	155	126.2	115.1	109.6
1955	2,612	774	254	379	172	160	**4,351**	155	139.2	117.7	118.3
1956	2,879	818	257	465†	188	256	**4,863†**	150	155.7	121.3	128.4
12 Mths. ending Mar. 1957	2,898	799	254	508	208	263	**4,931**	150			
Monthly											
1955–Oct.	237.5	61.6	21.1	33.1	14.0	13.9	**381.2**	11.7	145.9	119.2	122.4
Nov.	240.1	64.2	18.1	43.3	13.2	13.3	**392.2**	15.0	150.7	119.1	126.5
Dec.	230.1	62.3	19.3	35.6	15.5	18.1	**380.9**	13.4	146.6	119.4	122.8
1956–Jan.	217.3	72.9	19.9	26.5	14.1	14.7	**365.4**	12.4	140.4	119.3	117.7
Feb.	216.0	58.8	19.5	31.4	12.4	14.8	**352.9**	12.7	135.7	119.9	113.2
Mar.	208.4	49.2	21.0	28.6	12.0	14.0	**333.2**	12.0	127.8	120.8	105.8
Apr.	236.6	65.6	19.9	30.7	15.0	20.4	**388.2**	12.5	149.3	121.4	123.0
May	261.8	59.3	25.4	40.3	16.3	32.2	**435.3**	14.4	167.1	122.0	137.0
June	233.6	65.7	28.5	47.0†	17.0†	37.3	**429.1†**	12.9	165.3	122.1	135.4
July	237.5	75.9	22.1	44.8	16.4	33.6	**430.3**	11.1	165.6	121.7	136.1
Aug.	267.5	69.1	19.2	37.0†	13.6	20.8	**427.1†**	14.5	164.1	121.9	134.6
Sept.	235.8	75.7	19.9	42.0†	15.3	20.6	**409.3†**	12.2	157.5	122.0	129.1
Oct.	285.5	67.4	17.9	47.0	21.2	17.1	**456.1**	12.3	175.2	122.4	143.1
Nov.	243.2	83.9	22.7	44.9	16.4	14.6	**425.7**	12.3	163.4	122.5	133.4
Dec.	235.9	75.0	20.8	45.1	18.4	15.4	**410.6**	10.4	157.5	122.2	128.9
1957–Jan.	219.0	63.8	23.8	51.3	22.6	23.6	**404.1**	13.9	154.8	122.5	126.4
Feb.	214.2	52.3	18.5	33.6	14.8	13.5	**346.9**	12.5	131.9	122.0	108.8
Mar.	227.6	45.5	15.2	44.1	21.4	14.3	**368.1**	12.1	140.8*	122.5*	114.9*
Apr. *	228.6	54.3					**372.8**	10.9			

TOTAL IMPORTS (EXCLUDING GOLD) FROM

	U.S.A.	U.K.	Other Sterling Area 2	Western Europe & Colonies 3	Central and South America	All Other	Total All Countries	Excess of Merchandise Exports over Merchandise Imports	Import Indexes [4] 1948=100: Total Value	Price	Physical Volume
Calendar Yrs.											
1951	2,813	421	309	181	275	86	**4,085**	−122	154.8	126.2	122.7
1952	2,977	360	186	157	285	65	**4,030**	326	152.3	110.4	138.0
1953	3,221	453	172	179	291	67	**4,383**	−210	165.2	109.4	151.0
1954	2,961	392	183	199	286	72	**4,093**	−146	154.4	109.5	141.0
1955	3,452	401	211	234	320	94	**4,712**	−361†	177.1	110.5	160.3
1956	4,162	485	222	328	363	145	**5,705**	−842†	214.9	113.1	190.0
12 Mths. ending Feb. 1957	4,239	491	223	332	360	142	**5,787**	−891			
Monthly											
1955–Oct.	331.1	38.6	21.4	23.5	31.3	10.8	**456.7**	−75.5	207.1	112.1	184.7
Nov.	303.5	40.3	24.7	32.8	31.7	10.7	**443.7**	−51.5	201.0	112.8	178.2
Dec.	289.9	28.1	11.6	21.3	26.0	8.9	**385.8**	−4.9	175.1	113.6	154.1
1956–Jan.	294.4	33.1	13.0	18.2	33.2	11.7	**403.7**	−38.3	183.3	113.4	161.6
Feb.	305.3	30.9	13.1	16.5	30.4	8.8	**405.0**	−52.1	183.4†	113.8	161.2
Mar.	361.7	33.8	13.2	17.4	27.9	9.5	**463.5**	−130.3	210.0	114.4	183.6
Apr.	400.3	50.0	14.0	27.6	30.8	9.7	**532.4**	−144.2	240.0	113.8	210.9
May	397.7	49.5	26.5	32.9	32.4	11.0	**550.0**	−114.7	248.0	113.1	219.3
June	357.8	41.4	18.4	29.4	28.2	15.4	**490.6**	−61.5†	221.6	113.5	195.2
July	341.7	45.9	22.5	28.8	29.8	13.9	**482.6**	−52.3	218.1	112.4	194.0
Aug.	329.7	42.8	21.6	30.9	35.1	13.6	**473.7**	−46.6†	212.9	112.4	189.4
Sept.	309.9	35.8	21.2	29.0	28.4	13.4	**437.7**	−28.4†	196.2	112.0	175.2
Oct.	394.6	43.7	21.6	38.5	27.9	16.5	**542.8**	−86.7	245.3	112.8	217.5
Nov.	368.7	48.5	26.4	35.8	30.7	11.4	**521.5**	−95.8	236.3	113.0	209.1
Dec.	299.9	29.3	11.2	22.7	28.1	10.7	**401.9**	+8.7	181.0	113.5	159.5
1957–Jan.	346.7	35.7	16.1	20.9	30.5	9.1	**459.0**	−54.9	208.2*	115.0	181.0
Feb.	330.0	34.8	10.1	18.4	29.9	8.2	**431.4**	−84.5	195.5	116.1*	168.4*
Mar. *	357.7	43.2					**471.9**	103.8			
Apr. *	396.7	52.2					**540.2**	−167.4			

1. Includes exports of foreign produce. Excludes defence equipment transferred by Canada to North Atlantic Treaty countries which in 1951, 1952, 1953, 1954, 1955 and 1956 amounted to 109.1, 100.9, 182.0, 202.4, 165.9 and 96.8 respectively.
2. Consists of U.K. Dependencies, Union of South Africa, Ireland, India, Pakistan, Burma, Australia, New Zealand, Iceland, Jordan, Libya, Ceylon and Iraq.
3. Excludes Spain, but includes Greece and Turkey.
4. Excludes exports of foreign produce. Price indexes are based largely on unit values derived from the Customs' entries.

‡ See footnote ‡ to "Canadian Gold Statistics" table on page 124.
† Revised. * Preliminary.

NOTE: For the years 1952–1955 see pages 76–77 in the "Financial Supplement 1955".

MERCHANDISE EXPORTS : COMMODITY CLASSIFICATION BY DESTINATION★

Compiled from "Trade of Canada", Dominion Bureau of Statistics

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Destination, Calendar Years and Quarters	Farm and Fish Products: Wheat and Wheat Flour	Barley, Oats and Rye	Other Farm and Fish [1]	Total Farm and Fish	Forest Products: Softwood Lumber	Wood Pulp	Newsprint	Other Forest Products [2]	Total Forest Products	Iron Ore
To U.S.A. 1953	24	115	244†	383†	189	202	564	128	1,083	14
1954	13	70	246†	330†	212	206	559	122	1,099	26
1955	12	32	234†	277†	256	234	578	142	1,210	80
1956	20	49	234	303	236	245	616	140	1,237	114
1954–IV	3	25	63†	92†	61	54	144	37†	295	11
1955–I	2	2	57†	61†	55	52	134	32†	274	–
II	5	8	56†	68†	67	60	145	31	303	17
III	2	4	58	65†	76	59	145	39	319	38
IV	3	18	63†	84†	59	62	154	39	314	24
1956–I	4	3	59	66	56	60	147	35	298	–
II	10	12	57	79	60	66	153	30	308	26
III	2	16	59	77	68	58	155	35	317	54
IV	4	18	59	82	53	61	161	40	314	34
1957–I	4	3	53	59	40	60	152	32	284	–
To U.K. 1953	240	35	43†	318†	49	28	18	15	110	7
1954	162	34	47†	242	68	34	29	14	145	6
1955	167	47	59†	273†	69	35	33	20†	156	9
1956	198	38	72	307	39	30	42	23	133	19
1954–IV	50	17	16†	84	17	9	7†	4	38	2
1955–I	40	14	21	75	17	8	7	2†	35	1
II	43	13	14	70	20	10	8	4	42	1
III	50	12	7	69	17	9	10	7†	41†	3
IV	34	8	17†	58	15	9	8	6†	38†	4
1956–I	45	2	22	69	11	6	9	4	30	1
II	52	6	10	68	10	7	13	4	34	3
III	53	13	15	81	9	10	11	9	40	10
IV	48	17	24	89	8	7	8	6	29	5
1957–I	34	5	23	62	6	5	6	5	22	1
To All Other 1953	406	68†	83†	559†	27	18†	36†	8†	91†	10
1954	289†	26†	97†	412†	31	30†	48	11†	121†	8
1955	234	20	113†	367†	42	29†	55	13†	138†	11
1956	367†	32	112	510†	34	30	51	12	127	12
1954–IV	80	7	27†	113†	9	6	15	3†	34†	3†
1955–I	56	2	26	85†	9†	6	10†	2†	27†	1
II	59	10†	25†	94†	13†	10†	17	3†	42†	2
III	58	5†	23†	86†	10†	7	14	4†	36†	5
IV	60	3†	39	102†	10	6	13	4†	33†	4†
1956–I	60	5	33	97	7	7	9	2	25	1
II	124	12	21	157	10	8	14	2	34	2
III	104	7	20	131	8	9	13	4	34	6
IV	79	7	38	125†	9	7	15	3	34	4
1957–I	59	12	45	116	9	9	11	3	32	1
Total All Countries 1953	670	217	371†	1,258†	265	249	619	150†	1,283†	31
1954	463	131	390†	984†	311	271	636	146†	1,365†	40
1955	413	99	406†	917†	367	297	666	175†	1,505†	100
1956	585†	119	417	1,121†	309	305	708	174	1,496	144
12 Months ending Apr. 1957	557	125	425	1,107	286	303	708	172	1,469	145
1954–IV	133	49	107†	289†	87	69	166	44†	367†	15
1955–I	98	18	104†	220†	82	66	152	36†	336†	2
II	107	30	95†	232†	99	79	170	38†	387†	20
III	110	22	88†	220†	102	75	169	50†	396†	46
IV	97	28	119†	245†	84	77	175	50†	385†	31
1956–I	108	9	114	232	74	72	166	41	353	3†
II	186	31	88	304	80	80	179	36	375	30
III	158	36	94	289	85	77	180	48	390	69
IV	132†	42	121	296†	71	75	183	49	378	43
1957–I	98	19	121	237	56	73	169	40	337	2

Destination, Calendar Years and Quarters	Metals and Minerals: Primary Iron and Steel	Aluminum and Products	Copper, Nickel and Products	Lead, Zinc and Products	Crude Petroleum	Uranium Ores and Concentrates [3]	Other Metal and Mineral Materials [4]	Total Metal and Mineral Materials	Chemicals and Fertilizers	Total Manufactured and Miscellaneous Goods [5]	Exports of Foreign Produce	Total Exports
To U.S.A. 1953	56	91	178	68	6	*	153†	565	85	303†	44	2,463
1954	26	77	183	63	6	*	141	522	86	280†	50	2,367
1955	49	84	228	64	36	*	168†	710	112	250†	53	2,612
1956	51	97	246	67	103	*	187	865	131	282	60	2,879
1954–IV	7	16	49	15	2	*	37†	139	26	63†	13	628
1955–I	6	18	52	16	5	*	36†	132	36	63†	13	579†
II	11	26	54	16	7	*	43†	174	23	69	13	649
III	14	23	58	15	10	*	43	201	22	55†	14	676
IV	18	18	65	18	14	*	47†	203	30	63†	13	708
1956–I	10	17	60	16	20	*	43	166	34	65	13	642
II	13	24	66	14	27	*	49	218	35	77	15	732
III	13	28	60	16	26	*	45	243	27	63	15	742
IV	16	28	60	21	31	*	49	239	34	78	17	764
1957–I	8	28	54	16	39	19	45	209	23	69	18	661
To U.K. 1953	18	66	68	20	–	*	28†	208	9	22†	4	669
1954	7	75	82	27	–	*	36†	234	16	16	5	658
1955	19	99	93	33	–	*	39	292	20	28†	5	774
1956	15	108	99	29	–	*	45	315	21	37	6	818
1954–IV	2	22	18	8	–	*	8†	60†	6	7†	1	196
1955–I	2	23	20	10	–	*	7	63	4	6	1	184
II	5	23	26	9	–	*	11†	76	7	7	1	203
III	5	26	23	7	–	*	11†	76	4	6†	1	198†
IV	6	27	24	7	–	*	10†	77	5	9	1	189†
1956–I	3	22	25	4	–	*	12	68	4	9	1	181
II	3	25	22	8	–	*	12	73	6	9	1	190
III	5	23	25	10	–	*	12	84	7	7	2	220†
IV	4	38	27	7	–	*	9	90	4	12	2	227†
1957–I	3	19	25	8	–	–	8	65	4	8	1	162
To All Other 1953	13†	21	41	7†	–	*	38†	131†	45†	209†	7	1,040†
1954	11	32†	52	9	–	*	41†	153†	60†	166†	10†	921†
1955	30†	29†	70†	10†	–	*	48†	198†	78	172†	12	965
1956	41	31	84	13	1	*	65	246	77	199	7	1,166†
1954–IV	6†	9	15	3†	–	*	15†	50†	18	40†	4	260†
1955–I	7†	6	16†	2	–	*	5	36	16	38†	1	203
II	6	10	17	1	–	*	14†	49	21†	36†	2	245
III	9†	7	19†	5†	–	*	13†	58†	19†	56†	5	260†
IV	7†	6	17†	3	–	*	17†	55†	23	42	3†	257†
1956–I	6	5	22	–	–	*	8	42	16	46	2	229†
II	11	6	20	1	–	*	19	60	20	58	1	330
III	10	7	21	7	–	*	17	68	20	49†	2	305†
IV	14	13	21	4	1	*	20	76	20	45	2	302†
1957–I	15	17	22	2	–	–	12	69	21	58	2	297
Total All Countries 1953	88	178	287	96	6	*	219†	904†	138	534†	55	4,173
1954	44	185	317	99	6	*	218†	909†	161	462†	66	3,947
1955	97	213	390	108	36	*	256†	1,200†	210	450†	70	4,351
1956	107	236	428	109	104	*	297	1,426	229	518	73	4,863
12 Months ending Apr. 1957	114	253	426	114	127	*	321	1,500	222	537	81	4,916
1954–IV	16	47	82	27	2	*	61†	250†	51	110†	18	1,083†
1955–I	15	47	87	28	5	*	48†	231	56	108	15	966†
II	22	59	97	26	7	*	67†	299	50	112	16	1,097
III	29	56	101	26	10	*	67†	335†	46	117†	20	1,134
IV	32	51	105	28	14	*	73†	335†	58	113†	18	1,154
1956–I	19	44	107	21	20	*	64	276	55	120	16	1,052
II	26	56	108	24	27	*	81	351	61	143	18	1,252
III	28	58	106	33	26	*	75	395	54	120	19	1,267
IV	34	79	107	31	31	*	78	404	58	135	21	1,293†
1957–I	26	64	101	26	39	19	65	342	48	134	21	1,119

★ A complete list of items included in this classification is available from the Research Department on request. 1. Mainly fishery products, cattle and beef, pork and products, flaxseed, furs and dairy products. 2. Mainly pulpwood, plywoods, veneers, hardwood lumber, logs, pit props, poles and paper products. 3. Prior to January 1957 this item was included in "Chemicals and Fertilizers". 4. Largely asbestos, silver and products, platinum and abrasives. 5. Mainly machinery (both farm and non-farm) and parts, whiskey, beer, automobiles, trucks and parts, electrical apparatus, textiles, aircraft and parts. Also includes a small amount of non-commercial items, e.g., settlers' effects, postal packages and donations. * Not available separately. † Revised.

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	Government of Canada Direct and Guaranteed Securities								Provincial Govt. Securities	Advances to		Foreign Currency Assets
	Treasury Bills	Other Maturities					Total	*Of which held under Purchase and Resale Agreements*		Govt. of Canada	Chartered & Savings Banks	1
		2 yrs. and under	Over 2 yrs. to 5 yrs.	Over 5 yrs. to 10 yrs.	Over 10 yrs.	Total						
As at Dec. 31												
1951	186.4	955.3	1,049.3			2,004.7	**2,191.1**	–	–	–	–	204.2
1952	282.9	1,176.9	767.2			1,944.1	**2,227.0**	–	–	–	–	84.5
1953	374.5	1,002.1	893.7			1,895.7	**2,270.2**	*19.0*	–	–	–	67.2
1954	168.5	1,193.0	410.8	297.3	152.5	2,053.6	**2,222.0**	–	–	–	–	66.4
1955	262.6	1,021.2	354.5	516.6	212.5	2,104.9	**2,367.5**	–	–	–	2.0	114.7
1956	505.2	519.7[5]	629.7[5]	507.2[5]	232.0[5]	1,888.7[5]	**2,393.9[5]**	–	–	–	–	77.7
End of												
1956—June	456.1	585.3	798.9	328.8	148.8	1,861.8	**2,317.8**	–	–	–	–	96.7
July	453.0	576.5	828.0	335.7	138.1	1,878.4	**2,331.4**	–	–	–	–	91.7
Aug.	495.1	524.2	849.8	354.4	131.3	1,859.7	**2,354.8**	–	–	–	–	74.4
Sept.	535.3	506.0	672.7	447.5	215.6	1,841.8	**2,377.1**	–	–	–	–	74.8
Oct.	557.5	473.8	669.7	451.5	221.4	1,816.4	**2,374.0**	–	–	–	–	68.5
Nov.	553.5	467.7	672.7	466.4	222.5	1,829.2	**2,382.8**	–	–	–	–	77.9
Dec.	505.2	519.7[5]	629.7[5]	507.2[5]	232.0[5]	1,888.7[5]	**2,393.9[5]**	–	–	–	–	77.7
1957—Jan.	413.5	678.2	438.8	510.3	229.2	1,856.5	**2,270.0**	*2.1*	–	–	–	75.1
Feb.	436.6	616.1	620.4	318.9	224.9	1,780.4	**2,217.0**	*1.2*	–	–	–	84.8
Mar.	477.2	627.9	612.4	314.4	223.5	1,778.4	**2,255.6**	*0.7*	–	–	–	75.2
Apr.	498.1	659.9	617.2	321.0	224.8	1,822.8	**2,320.9**	–	–	–	0.3	71.9
May	473.7	692.2	605.3	321.1	228.5	1 847.1	**2,320.9**	–	–	–	0.1	76.3
June	519.0	694.3	607.5	324.9	229.9	1,856 6	**2,375.5**	–	–	–	3.0	81.1
Average of Wednesdays												
1956—June	447.9	641.4	1,230.1			1,871.6	**2,319.5**	–	–	–	5.7	95.7
July	456.3	588.3	1,286.7			1,875.0	**2,331.3**	*0.8*	–	–	20.3	90.8
Aug.	482.7	541.4	1,325.3			1,866.7	**2,349.3**	*0.9*	–	–	6.4	79.4
Sept.	505.1	514.9	1,335.0			1,859.9	**2,365.0**	*1.4*	–	–	–	70.7
Oct.	526.3	500.7	1,342.1			1,842.8	**2,369.1**	*1.4*	–	–	6.4	70.5
Nov.	536.9	455.7	1,352.3			1,808.0	**2,344.9**	*3.8*	–	–	21.3	77.0
Dec.	525.9	493.4	1,369.4			1,862.8	**2,388.7**	*0.4*	–	–	13.6	75.9
1957—Jan.	466.4	687.6[5]	1,178.3[5]			1,866.0[5]	**2,332.4[5]**	*1.2*	–	–	6.0	72.6
Feb.	402.6	646.2	1,174.1			1,820.3	**2,222.9**	*7.0*	–	–	–	73.8
Mar.	484.3	610.9	1,149.4			1,760.3	**2,244.5**	*0.1*	–	–	5.4	75.4
Apr.	479.7	650.8	1,154.5			1,805.3	**2,285.0**	*7.9*	–	–	12.8	75.2
May	495.8	666.9	1,166.7			1,833.6	**2,329.4**	*1.2*	–	–	5.1	79.2
June	502.8	707.5	1,158.4			1,866.0	**2,368.8**	–	–	–	6.0	83.6
As at												
1957—Jan. 2	493.3	707.1[5]	1,177.0[5]			1,884.2[5]	**2,377.4[5]**	–	–	–	–	67.5
9	484.1	678.8	1,178.7			1,857.5	**2,341.6**	*6.0*	–	–	30.0	75.2
16	484.2	682.1	1,179.7			1,861.9	**2,346.1**	–	–	–	–	75.8
23	454.0	685.8	1,177.6			1,863.4	**2,317.4**	–	–	–	–	73.2
30	416.5	684.3	1,178.5			1,862.8	**2,279.3**	–	–	–	–	71.3
Feb. 6	383.3	672.4	1,183.8			1,856.2	**2,239.5**	–	–	–	–	82.6
13	391.5	654.9	1,182.6			1,837.5	**2,229.0**	*7.8*	–	–	–	69.9
20	401.1	638.6	1,161.9			1,800.5	**2,201.6**	*20.4*	–	–	–	69.2
27	434.4	619.0	1,168.1			1,787.1	**2,221.4**	–	–	–	–	73.4
Mar. 6	471.4	604.4	1,147.8			1,752.1	**2,223.5**	*0.5*	–	–	0.4	77.0
13	487.1	609.9	1,149.7			1,759.6	**2,246.6**	–	–	–	11.0	78.9
20	498.8	611.5	1,149.6			1,761.1	**2,259.9**	–	–	–	–	73.7
27	479.8	617.9	1,150.4			1,768.3	**2,248.0**	–	–	–	10.0	72.0
Apr. 3	465.0	628.5	1,151.4			1,780.0	**2,245.0**	–	–	–	30.0	72.4
10	466.0	645.3	1,151.9			1,797.2	**2,263.1**	*3.7*	–	–	–	76.9
17	487.1	666.9	1,157.2			1,824.0	**2,311.2**	*27.9*	–	–	–	72.8
24	500.7	662.6	1,157.5			1,820.1	**2,320.8**	–	–	–	21.0	78.6
May 1	498.1	657.8	1,163.7			1,821.6	**2,319.7**	–	–	–	0.3	69.2
8	501.5	663.5	1,166.7			1,830.2	**2,331.6**	*6.2*	–	–	0.1	86.0
15	513.7	665.5	1,167.4			1,832.9	**2,346.7**	–	–	–	–	81.5
22	494.0	665.9	1,170.0			1,835.8	**2,329.8**	–	–	–	–	80.8
29	471.8	681.8	1,165.8			1,847.6	**2,319.5**	–	–	–	25.1	78.5
June 5	492.0	715.7	1,154.6			1,870.3	**2,362.3**	*31.7*	–	–	–	84.3
12	502.4	708.4	1,157.6			1,866.0	**2,368.4**	–	–	–	–	82.4
19	503.4	711.3	1,160.4			1,871.6	**2,375.0**	*6.0*	–	–	–	84.2
26	513.4	694.7	1,161.3			1,856.0	**2,369.4**	–	–	–	24.0	83.5

	Investment in IDB	All Other Accounts	Total Assets or Liabilities	LIABILITIES							
				Notes in Circulation			Canadian Dollar Deposits			Foreign Currency Liabilities	All Other Accounts
				Held by		Total	Govt. of Canada	Chartered Banks	Other		
	2	3		Chartered Banks	Others						4
As at Dec. 31											
1951	27.8	21.0	**2,444.1**	273.1	1,191.1	**1,464.2**	94.9	619.0	66.1	155.6	44.4
1952	30.8	39.2	**2,381.4**	272.5	1,288.7	**1,561.2**	16.2	626.6	44.5	82.9	50.0
1953	36.3	63.5	**2,437.2**	263.8	1,335.3	**1,599.1**	51.5	623.9	29.5	63.8	69.3
1954	35.6	76.9	**2,400.8**	261.6	1,361.9	**1,623.5**	56.3	529.6	30.5	63.1	97.9
1955	35.1	100.9	**2,620.2**	289.4	1,449.0	**1,738.5**	89.2	551.0	34.0	98.0	109.5
1956	48.0	28.1	**2,547.7**	370.9	1,497.8	**1,868.7**	38.8	511.5	31.2	62.2	35.4
End of											
June—1956	38.3	131.0	**2,583.9**	235.3	1,499.6	**1,734.9**	51.1	574.7	32.2	87.2	103.8
July	39.9	48.2	**2,511.2**	304.6	1,457.7	**1,762.3**	49.8	500.0	39.6	82.0	77.4
Aug.	40.8	143.3	**2,613.4**	249.6	1,515.0	**1,764.6**	65.4	580.6	35.6	64.4	102.8
Sept.	42.2	108.0	**2,602.1**	255.8	1,513.7	**1,769.5**	46.0	564.0	45.2	64.9	112.4
Oct.	42.8	85.9	**2,571.1**	309.1	1,471.8	**1,780.9**	55.0	575.3	30.7	56.4	72.9
Nov.	43.7	116.9	**2,621.3**	250.5	1,542.9	**1,793.5**	7.4	624.9	31.7	68.2	95.7
Dec.	48.0	28.1	**2,547.7**	370.9	1,497.8	**1,868.7**	38.8	511.5	31.2	62.2	35.4
Jan.—1957	48.9	66.9	**2,460.9**	294.1	1,444.8	**1,738.9**	57.8	524.0	34.3	65.4	40.5
Feb.	50.1	69.6	**2,421.5**	260.6	1,457.3	**1,717.9**	52.7	497.5	27.2	75.0	51.4
Mar.	50.9	167.0	**2,548.7**	224.5	1,500.0	**1,724.6**	78.3	519.5	25.1	65.4	135.8
Apr.	52.2	72.3	**2,517.7**	299.4	1,456.8	**1,756.3**	62.9	546.9	22.5	62.2	67.0
May	55.1	139.7	**2,592.0**	229.0	1,522.5	**1,751.5**	43.9	526.3	32.0	66.8	171.4
June	57.0	158.4	**2,675.2**	*	*	**1,784.3**	44.4	545.5	28.9	72.7	199.3
Average of Wednesdays											
June—1956	37.2	53.1	**2,511.1**	335.9	1,386.0	**1,721.9**	55.7	550.2	32.1	85.7	65.4
July	38.3	47.5	**2,528.3**	339.6	1,417.6	**1,757.2**	47.9	531.5	32.9	81.0	77.7
Aug.	39.9	56.0	**2,531.0**	332.2	1,434.5	**1,766.7**	51.9	545.6	30.2	69.7	66.8
Sept.	41.0	42.5	**2,519.3**	342.2	1,430.8	**1,772.9**	47.7	542.8	31.4	60.7	63.7
Oct.	42.2	55.0	**2,543.2**	335.0	1,447.5	**1,782.5**	59.3	538.3	31.4	60.4	71.3
Nov.	42.8	63.6	**2,549.5**	349.9	1,444.1	**1,794.1**	45.0	531.4	30.2	67.3	81.6
Dec.	43.7	49.3	**2,571.3**	356.7	1,481.5	**1,838.2**	32.6	548.5	30.7	61.6	59.7
Jan.—1957	48.1	55.3	**2,514.3**	380.2	1,421.9	**1,802.2**	57.5	524.5	27.9	63.0	39.3
Feb.	49.0	60.6	**2,406.3**	326.7	1,399.4	**1,726.0**	64.3	478.3	28.0	64.1	45.5
Mar.	50.1	54.0	**2,429.4**	318.0†	1,406.6†	**1,724.7**	51.0	513.8	28.6	65.3	45.9
Apr.	51.1	68.1	**2,492.1**	315.2†	1,431.7†	**1,746.9**	47.5	550.6	25.1	65.5	56.6
May	52.7	53.0	**2,519.4**	324.2	1,431.4	**1,755.7**	45.3	554.4	25.5	69.5	69.1
June	55.4	65.8	**2,579.5**	328.4	1,441.2	**1,769.6**	46.8	559.7	25.9	74.0	103.4
As at											
2 Jan.—1957	48.0	86.3	**2,579.2**	386.2	1,480.6	**1,866.8**	72.9	511.1	31.0	58.0	39.4
9	48.0	71.8	**2,566.6**	423.9	1,414.5	**1,838.4**	60.5	528.6	29.1	65.5	44.5
16	48.1	39.4	**2,509.4**	373.2	1,427.5	**1,800.7**	50.2	524.9	26.9	66.1	40.5
23	48.3	39.1	**2,477.9**	377.5	1,386.4	**1,763.9**	51.7	534.8	26.9	63.4	37.2
30	48.3	39.7	**2,438.6**	340.3	1,400.7	**1,741.0**	52.1	523.1	25.5	62.0	35.0
6 Feb.	48.9	56.4	**2,427.5**	328.5	1,408.7	**1,737.2**	60.1	481.0	31.4	72.9	45.0
13	48.9	41.1	**2,388.9**	339.4	1,390.5	**1,729.9**	50.2	469.9	29.4	60.3	49.2
20	48.9	47.4	**2,367.1**	330.8	1,390.5	**1,721.3**	48.6	466.8	25.6	59.4	45.5
27	49.3	97.5	**2,441.7**	308.3	1,407.5	**1,715.8**	98.4	495.6	25.6	63.8	42.4
6 Mar.	50.1	84.0	**2,435.0**	305.6	1,420.2	**1,725.7**	58.9	508.8	26.1	67.0	48.5
13	50.1	42.7	**2,429.3**	324.6	1,401.7	**1,726.3**	40.2	512.0	36.8	68.5	45.5
20	50.1	48.3	**2,432.1**	318.6	1,405.9	**1,724.4**	57.9	513.9	27.4	63.5	45.0
27	50.1	41.0	**2,421.2**	323.4†	1,398.8†	**1,722.2**	47.2	520.7	24.2	62.3	44.6
3 Apr.	50.6	91.9	**2,489.9**	291.5†	1,441.6†	**1,733.2**	54.2	560.1	25.0	62.7	54.7
10	51.1	87.7	**2,478.8**	320.8†	1,420.1†	**1,740.9**	49.8	543.2	24.7	67.2	53.0
17	51.4	51.4	**2,486.7**	303.3†	1,452.8†	**1,756.2**	42.5	533.7	26.0	63.1	65.3
24	51.4	41.4	**2,513.1**	345.2	1,412.2	**1,757.4**	43.6	565.4	24.5	68.8	53.4
1 May	52.2	43.5	**2,484.9**	296.6	1,459.0	**1,755.5**	37.3	548.9	22.6	59.6	61.0
8	52.2	89.3	**2,559.3**	331.6	1,423.6	**1,755.2**	62.9	560.8	25.4	76.3	78.7
15	52.2	46.3	**2,526.6**	317.0	1,439.3	**1,756.3**	42.5	564.3	27.2	71.8	64.5
22	52.9	35.3	**2,498.9**	338.0	1,419.5	**1,757.5**	35.7	548.1	26.0	71.1	60.5
29	54.0	50.4	**2,527.3**	338.0	1,415.8	**1,753.8**	47.8	550.1	26.0	68.8	80.8
5 June	55.1	75.1	**2,576.7**	306.0	1,456.8	**1,762.8**	45.8	526.9	27.3	74.7	139.3
12	55.4	66.7	**2,572.9**	335.9	1,435.0	**1,770.9**	52.3	566.6	26.1	72.7	84.3
19	55.5	67.0	**2,581.6**	331.9	1,438.3	**1,770.1**	43.7	571.6	24.9	74.4	96.9
26	55.5	54.6	**2,586.9**	339.9	1,434.9	**1,774.8**	45.5	573.6	25.4	74.4	93.2

1. Foreign exchange and foreign securities 2. Industrial Development Bank capital stock, bonds and debentures. 3. Bank premises and all other assets. 4. Capital, rest fund and all other liabilities. 5. On Dec. 31, 1956, the basis for the valuation of securities held by the Bank of Canada was changed from "not exceeding market values" to amortized values, and for this reason figures for Dec. 31 and later dates are not comparable with those for earlier dates. * Not available. † Revised.

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CHARTERED BANKS

MONTHLY SERIES

Bank of Canada

Millions of Dollars

I. CANADIAN CASH RESERVES★

	Cash Reserves: Bank of Canada Deposits	Cash Reserves: Bank of Canada Notes	Cash Reserves: Total	Canadian Dollar Deposit Liabilities	Average Cash Reserve Ratio 1
Averages					
1951	567	225	**792**	7,759	10.2
1952	606	239	**844**	8,110	10.4
1953	627	256	**883**	8,624	10.2
1954 1st Half	634	260	**894**	8,820	10.1
1954 2nd Half★	525	286	**811**	9,097	8.9
1955	541	293	**834**	9,915	8.4
1956	548	325	**873**	10,527	8.3
1955–Dec.	552	312	**863**	10,487	8.2
1956–Jan.	568	310	**877**	10,515	8.4
Feb.	504	354	**858**	10,448	8.2
Mar.	542	299	**841**	10,285	8.2
Apr.	561	294	**855**	10,357	8.3
May	545	310	**856**	10,409	8.2
June	560	318	**878**	10,597	8.3
July	544	332	**876**	10,608	8.3
Aug.	563	338	**900**	10,649	8.5
Sept.	549	328	**877**	10,563	8.3
Oct.	544	340	**885**	10,607	8.3
Nov.	539	341	**881**	10,591	8.3
Dec.	553	338	**890**	10,704	8.3
1957–Jan.	523	355	**878**	10,660	8.2
Feb.	475	390	**865**	10,525	8.2
Mar.	514	335	**848**	10,371	8.2
Apr.	542	314	**856**	10,489	8.2
May	553	310	**863**	10,528	8.2
June*	556	321	**877**	10,693	8.2

II. LIABILITIES

	Advances from Bank of Canada	Govt. of Canada	Provincial Governments	Canadian Dollar Deposits: Personal Savings	Other Notice	Other Banks 2	Public Demand	Total	Foreign Currency Deposits	Acceptances, Guarantees, & Letters of Credit	All Other Liabilities	Shareholders Equity 3	Total Liabilities
As at Dec. 31													
1951	–	88	185	4,296	316	95	2,993	**7,973**	878	225	7	375	**9,458**
1952	–	49	214	4,600	325	75	3,373	**8,636**	905	199	7	381	**10,128**
1953	–	473	166	4,756	278	69	3,368	**9,111**	963	155	8	419	**10,656**
1954	–	176	190	5,218	397	104	3,597	**9,683**	1,030	155	43	521	**11,433**
1955	2	517	181	5,633	464	139	3,915	**10,848**	1,056	203	26	567	**12,702**
1956	–	246	169	6,007	444	116	4,180	**11,162**	1,369	210	34	653	**13,428**
End of													
1955—Dec.	2	517	181	5,633	464	139	3,915	**10,848**	1,056	203	26	567	**12,702**
1956—Jan.	–	501	148	5,676	469	117	3,596	**10,507**	1,070	216	28	567	**12,387**
Feb.	–	493	152	5,721	476	123	3,483	**10,449**	1,118	226	21	567	**12,380**
Mar.	5	488	223	5,791	466	125	3,316	**10,408**	1,148	229	21	568	**12,380**
Apr.	–	355	162	5,919	480	124	3,766	**10,805**	1,185	220	27	569	**12,806**
May	16	494	168	5,844	485	110	3,554	**10,655**	1,203	216	24	587	**12,700**
June	–	413	172	5,881	459	118	3,817	**10,860**	1,236	217	23	609	**12,944**
July	–	279	143	5,923	472	115	3,773	**10,706**	1,315	210	27	619	**12,878**
Aug.	–	275	123	5,941	477	110	3,731	**10,658**	1,354	226	24	628	**12,889**
Sept.	–	281	117	6,020	476	110	3,812	**10,816**	1,315	223	23	631	**13,008**
Oct.	–	153	154	6,098	453	155	3,846	**10,859**	1,334	216	48	647	**13,104**
Nov.	–	417	103	5,974	439	123	3,821	**10,877**	1,376	221	38	652	**13,164**
Dec.	–	246	169	6,007	444	116	4,180	**11,162**	1,369	210	34	653	**13,428**
1957—Jan.	–	254	138	6,039	438	110	3,499	**10,479**	1,409	209	41	653	**12,791**
Feb.	–	391	142	6,090	454	103	3,445	**10,625**	1,506	236	36	656	**13,058**
Mar.	–	377	191	6,153	444	105	3,496	**10,765**	1,450	232	36	667	**13,150**
Apr.	–	309	217	6,211	442	109	3,716	**11,004**	1,546	235	38	672	**13,494**
May	–	284	173	6,161	450	106	3,564	**10,738**	1,667	235	35	677	**13,351**

III. ASSETS

	Bank of Canada Deposits and Notes	Cdn. Day-to-Day Loans	Treasury Bills	Government of Canada Direct and Guaranteed Bonds 6: 2 yrs. and under	Over 2 years	Total	Other Canadian Securities 6: Provincial 7, 8	Municipal 8	Corporate	Total	Ins. Res. Mtges.	Call and Short 9: To Stock-Brokers 11	To Others	Provincial 8	Municipal 8
As at Dec. 31															
1951	892	–	236	499	2,019	2,518	321	167	393	881	–	78	30	68	94
1952	899	–	138	869	1,777	2,647	304	159	370	834	–	73	82	79	97
1953	888	–	244	482	2,034	2,516	280	152	341	773	–	61	92	65	96
1954	791	68	360	636	2,318	2,953	264	177	353	794	74	68	75	61	103
1955	840	81	427	475	2,157	2,632	322	218	482	1,022	294	112	67	83	124
1956	882	74	740	406	1,269	1,675	269	185	510	964	493	90	62	95	177
End of															
1955–Dec.	840	81	427	475	2,157	2,632	322	218	482	1,022	294	112	67	83	124
1956–Jan.	819	59	512	436	2,047	2,482	317	213	480	1,009	317	113	52	60	143
Feb.	759	82	564	406	1,993	2,400	308	210	489	1,007	331	116	56	54	166
Mar.	725	75	593	398	1,922	2,319	298	210	485	993	345	109	53	6	200
Apr.	836	43	756	350	1,695	2,045	295	211	489	995	361	120	56	16	223
May	824	64	767	558	1,424	1,982	297	208	504	1,010	377	118	73	33	215
June	810	97	772	557	1,398	1,955	291	206	510	1,007	393	121	57	27	157
July	805	109	742	511	1,383	1,893	292	202	511	1,005	412	127	58	36	150
Aug.	830	68	814	522	1,325	1,847	291	200	520	1,010	432	123	37	57	145
Sept.	820	114	786	526	1,322	1,848	286	197	519	1,003	448	110	38	81	167
Oct.	884	85	791	464	1,320	1,784	295	197	516	1,008	471	104	39	83	168
Nov.	875	64	743	485	1,280	1,765	265	192	518	975	489	89	36	124	152
Dec.	882	74	740	406	1,269	1,675	269	185	510	964	493	90	62	95	177
1957–Jan. 5	818	86	800	503 4	1,232 4	1,735 4	284 4	178	501 5	963 4	500	86	40	60	201
Feb.	758	101	809	545	1,223	1,768	288	178	499	964	507	90	63	74	218
Mar.	744	162	805	538	1,227	1,764	260	178	501	940	508	85	65	40	250
Apr.	846	105	758	520	1,227	1,747	268	175	502	945	509	104	91	23	270
May	755	125	812	489	1,248	1,736	266	172	505	943	512	99	61	20	263

	Loans 9 In Canada: Grain Dealers 10, 11	C.S.B. 11, 12	Sub-Total 11	General Loans 11	Total Loans	Total of Foregoing Assets	Canadian Dollar Items in Transit (Net)	Foreign Cash Items Securities & Loans: Cash Items 13	Foreign Sec.	Loans Outside Canada	Customers' Liability Under Acceptances, Guarantees, & Letters of Credit	All Other Assets 14	Total Assets
As at Dec. 31													
1951	177	137	583	2,588	3,172	**7,699**	512	254	206	409	225	153	**9,458**
1952	257	146	734	2,787	3,520	**8,038**	752	283	262	435	199	159	**10,128**
1953	391	165	871	3,236	4,106	**8,527**	751	280	244	540	155	159	**10,656**
1954	404	147	859	3,237	4,096	**9,137**	827	332	322	488	155	172	**11,433**
1955	361	163	910	3,981	4,891	**10,187**	1,002	327	282	518	203	183	**12,702**
1956	373	169	966	4,432	5,398	**10,226**	1,330	356	375	720	210	211	**13,428**
End of													
1955–Dec.	361	163	910	3,981	4,891	**10,187**	1,002	327	282	518	203	183	**12,702**
1956–Jan.	360	144	872	4,031	4,903	**10,101**	736	297	291	554	216	191	**12,387**
Feb.	356	129	877	4,087	4,964	**10,107**	677	301	293	585	226	191	**12,380**
Mar.	354	114	836	4,235	5,071	**10,121**	629	310	295	607	229	189	**12,380**
Apr.	319	97	831	4,353	5,184	**10,219**	936	314	314	611	220	191	**12,806**
May	312	76	828	4,461	5,289	**10,313**	717	296	326	632	216	200	**12,700**
June	340	60	763	4,536	5,299	**10,333**	920	294	339	641	217	200	**12,944**
July	350	45	765	4,543	5,308	**10,274**	836	314	380	657	210	205	**12,878**
Aug.	358	34	753	4,570	5,323	**10,325**	697	334	355	750	226	203	**12,889**
Sept.	341	22	759	4,523	5,281	**10,300**	859	313	396	711	223	206	**13,008**
Oct.	359	4	756	4,610	5,367	**10,390**	843	381	371	701	216	202	**13,104**
Nov.	361	193	955	4,577	5,532	**10,443**	878	314	395	712	221	201	**13,164**
Dec.	373	169	966	4,432	5,398	**10,226**	1,330	356	375	720	210	211	**13,428**
1957–Jan. 5	359	148	895	4,410 5	5,305 5	**10,209 5**	715	311	370	763 5	209	215	**12,791**
Feb.	355	132	931	4,427	5,359	**10,266**	814	352	395	780	236	215	**13,058**
Mar.	391	115	945	4,446	5,392	**10,314**	907	330	357	793	232	217	**13,150**
Apr.	375	94	958	4,525	5,482	**10,394**	1,078	347	385	843	235	213	**13,494**
May	370	77	891	4,608	5,499	**10,383**	911	341	387	879	235	216	**13,351**

★ For periods prior to July 1954 all figures in this section are daily averages. From July 1954, in accordance with section 71 of the Bank Act of 1954, Bank of Canada deposits are averages of the juridical days in the month shown while Bank of Canada notes and Canadian dollar deposit liabilities are averages of the 4 consecutive Wednesdays ending with the second last Wednesday in the previous month.

1. Prior to July 1st, 1954, the statutory minimum requirement was 5 per cent for each day; since that date it has been a monthly average of 8 per cent, calculated as described in footnote ★.
2. Mainly deposits of foreign banks.
3. Capital, rest fund, and undivided profits as at the latest fiscal year-end.
4. Beginning January 31, 1957, month-end figures for chartered bank holdings of Government of Canada and provincial government securities are based on "amortized value" and are therefore not directly comparable with figures for preceding month-ends, which are based on "not exceeding market value".
5. Beginning January 31, 1957, figures for certain chartered bank asset items are not strictly comparable with those for earlier dates, owing to the reallocation of inner reserves consequent upon the securities valuation change referred to in footnote 4. Investment reserves which became redundant were reallocated to apply against other asset items, mainly general loans, loans outside Canada and corporate securities.
6. Including issues payable in foreign currency.
7. Includes securities guaranteed by provincial governments.
8. Securities purchased direct from issuer with a term of less than one year at time of issue are classified as loans.
9. Excluding Canadian day-to-day loans.
10. Loans to grain dealers and exporters.
11. "Call & Short loans to Stockbrokers", "Grain Dealers", "Canada Savings Bonds" and "General Loans" are Research Department estimates.
12. Loans to finance the purchase of Canada Savings Bonds at time of issue.
13. Includes deposits with other banks in foreign currencies, foreign bank notes, gold and coin outside Canada and foreign currency items in transit (net).
14. Includes bank premises, shares of and loans to controlled corporations, gold and coin in Canada, Canadian dollar deposits with other banks and other assets.

* Preliminary.

NOTE: For data back to 1946 see pages 14–21 in the "Financial Supplement 1954" and pages 14–17 in the "Financial Supplement 1955".

CHARTERED BANKS

ESTIMATED WEEKLY SERIES

Bank of Canada

Millions of Dollars

	Bank of Canada Deposits & Notes ★	Cdn. Day-to-Day Loans	Treasury Bills	Govt. of Canada Bonds 1	Other Canadian Securities: Provincial 1, 3, 4	Other Canadian Securities: Municipal 4	Other Canadian Securities: Corporate	Other Canadian Securities: Total	Insured Residential Mortgages	Call & Short 2: To Stock-Brokers	Call & Short 2: To Others	Call & Short 2: Provincial 4	Call & Short 2: Municipal 4
Average of Wednesdays													
1955—June	803	111	409	3,229	313	204	409	926	138	83	63	23	130
July	854	114	391	3,268	312	203	435	950	152	94	88	17	132
Aug.	848	80	416	3,270	315	211	437	964	173	95	52	16	115
Sept.	852	54	379	3,210	334	211	443	988	196	95	40	32	123
Oct.	859	50	363	3,127	336	213	449	997	221	94	52	38	130
Nov.	854	53	298	3,051	336	215	473	1,024	250	99	55	66	117
Dec.	879	57	375	2,721	329	217	482	1,029	281	106	56	94	121
1956—Jan.	921	55	442	2,541	320	214	478	1,012	303	107	53	67	126
Feb.	796	80	542	2,432	312	211	482	1,005	324	114	53	54	147
Mar.	841	61	570	2,352	297	208	482	987	339	117	48	33	179
Apr.	874	17	640	2,184	295	208	480	984	352	119	57	11	213
May	858	59	759	1,994	294	207	489	990	368	126	65	24	216
June	886	78	760	1,932	289	206	504	1,000	385	119	62	39	188
July	871	77	739	1,906	288	202	509	999	400	128	58	25	151
Aug.	878	62	790	1,871	290	200	514	1,004	420	127	41	41	145
Sept.	885	78	798	1,850	289	197	516	1,002	438	120	35	61	153
Oct.	873	76	785	1,826	293	195	517	1,005	459	107	40	69	167
Nov.	881	79	771	1,773	280	191	515	987	480	95	36	108	142
Dec.	905	70	747	1,706	267	186	510	964	493	88	53	124	159
1957—Jan.	905	80	766	1,629	265	179	506	950	496	89	47	67	186
Feb.	805	113	813	1,658 7	270 7	179	504	952 7	502	87	48	72	199
Mar.	832	116	816	1,762	259	176	498	932	507	88	58	60	231
Apr.	866†	90	792	1,740	268	173	498	939	505	94	76	26	259
May	879	107	774	1,732	266	171	500	936	508	104	68	24	264
As at													
1956—Nov. 7	864	70	790	1,784	291	191	518	1,000	473	98	40	92	144
14	857	69	795	1,775	284	191	515	990	478	96	33	99	138
21	881	80	761	1,762	281	192	515	987	482	93	35	121	140
28	924	97	738	1,772	265	191	514	971	486	91	35	122	145
Dec. 5	858	51	753	1,756	264	186	513	963	490	90	48	134	151
12	911	63	750	1,722	270	187	512	969	493	87	50	128	156
19	942	92	737	1,682	268	185	509	962	497	87	57	118	161
26	909	75	749	1,665	268	185	507	961	494	89	57	113	169
1957—Jan. 2	897	69	753	1,660	265	182	506	953	493	89	59	86	175
9	953	68	753	1,639	265	180	505	950	494	90	45	67	180
16	898	76	762	1,624	265	178	506	948	498	90	48	59	184
23	912	101	762	1,615	266	178	506	950	496	88	42	60	191
30	863	86	804	1,608	265	178	507	950	499	86	39	60	201
Feb. 6	809	110	818	1,607	264	180	507	951	499	85	40	67	187
13	809	115	814	1,626	264	179	506	950	501	86	37	72	195
20	798	117	812	1,642	266	178	505	950	503	85	55	74	204
27 7	804	112	808	1,758 7	285 7	176	497	958 7	506	91	62	74	211
Mar. 6	814	86	829	1,766	258	176	496	930	506	91	64	71	221
13	837	117	822	1,767	259	175	499	934	506	87	53	64	228
20	832	109	813	1,765	259	176	498	932	506	89	57	61	236
27	844†	152	802	1,749	259	176	498	933	508	87	59	42	240
Apr. 3	852†	93	819	1,755	268	173	496	938	504	90	84	22	252
10	864	95	806	1,733	268	173	498	939	504	91	81	24	254
17	837†	76	778	1,735	268	173	498	939	506	96	70	29	260
24	911	96	766	1,737	268	173	498	939	507	98	67	28	271
May 1	845	105	763	1,740	267	171	498	936	507	105	85	29	272
8	892	114	757	1,742	266	171	498	935	507	106	70	27	268
15	881	109	756	1,727	266	170	499	935	508	103	69	22	259
22	886	91	782	1,731	265	170	501	936	509	104	63	23	265
29	888	116	811	1,721	264	170	503	937	510	104	55	21	257
June 5	833	105	829	1,727	263	168	502	933	500	105	46	23	264
12	903	109	789	1,726	263	168	501	932	500	106	61	24	263
19	903	106	785	1,726	256	168	498	922	502	108	56	27	248

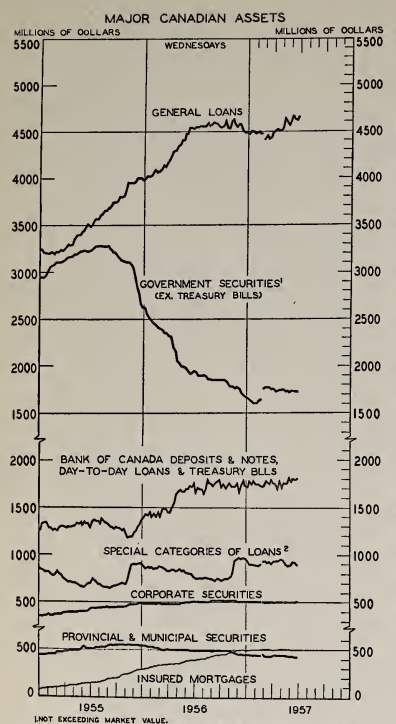
	Loans 2 in Canada: Grain Dealers 5	Loans 2 in Canada: C.S.B. 6	Loans 2 in Canada: Sub-Total	Loans 2 in Canada: General Loans	Loans 2 in Canada: Total Loans	Total of Foregoing Assets	Estimated Items in Transit (net)	Canadian Dollar Deposits: Personal Savings	Canadian Dollar Deposits: Govt. of Canada Deposits	Canadian Dollar Deposits: All Other	Canadian Dollar Deposits: Total	
Average of Wednesdays												
1955—June	317	60	676	3,486	4,162	9,778	561	5,529	158	4,374	10,061	June—1955
July	337	48	716	3,570	4,286	10,016	516	5,599	200	4,456	10,255	July
Aug.	351	36	665	3,653	4,318	10,068	491	5,670	182	4,433	10,285	Aug.
Sept.	353	24	665	3,737	4,402	10,083	506	5,727	165	4,421	10,313	Sept.
Oct.	361	12	687	3,817	4,504	10,120	546	5,775	124	4,492	10,392	Oct.
Nov.	369	112	817	3,948	4,766	10,295	558	5,655	443	4,421	10,520	Nov.
Dec.	359	174	909	3,988	4,897	10,237	605	5,603	541	4,351	10,495	Dec.
1956—Jan.	361	153	868	4,015	4,884	10,157	562	5,651	510	4,228	10,390	Jan.—1956
Feb.	358	136	863	4,069	4,932	10,110	539	5,693	495	4,136	10,324	Feb.
Mar.	355	119	852	4,156	5,008	10,158	511	5,754	530	4,057	10,342	Mar.
Apr.	331	103	834	4,287	5,121	10,172	591	5,822	367	4,234	10,423	Apr.
May	313	85	830	4,427	5,256	10,285	654	5,859	437	4,298	10,595	May
June	321	66	794	4,537	5,331	10,371	622	5,867	488	4,275	10,630	June
July	340	53	753	4,552	5,305	10,297	721	5,898	296	4,428	10,623	July
Aug.	355	39	747	4,571	5,319	10,343	613	5,918	307	4,338	10,563	Aug.
Sept.	341	26	737	4,563	5,300	10,351	669	5,982	312	4,342	10,635	Sept.
Oct.	347	11	740	4,571	5,312	10,335	700	6,047	184	4,413	10,644	Oct.
Nov.	357	130	867	4,581	5,449	10,420	674	5,992	370	4,299	10,661	Nov.
Dec.	361	178	963	4,512	5,475	10,361	718	5,960	341	4,355	10,655	Dec.
1957—Jan.	361	157	907	4,482	5,389	10,216	683	5,992	242	4,258	10,492	Jan.—1957
Feb.	355	138	899	4,463	5,363	10,207	612	6,063	335	4,010	10,408	Feb.
Mar.	365	121	923	4,447	5,369	10,334	588†	6,102	436	3,955†	10,492†	Mar.
Apr.	374	105	933	4,512	5,445	10,376	634	6,151	311	4,093†	10,556†	Apr.
May	373	86	919	4,581	5,500	10,436	684	6,167	328	4,179	10,674	May
As at												
1956—Nov. 7	354	36	765	4,627	5,392	10,372	666	6,048	293	4,296	10,636	7 Nov.—1956
14	356	97	819	4,577	5,397	10,360	647	5,995	297	4,284	10,576	14
21	356	193	938	4,549	5,487	10,440	726	5,969	488	4,289	10,745	21
28	361	193	947	4,572	5,519	10,506	656	5,955	404	4,326	10,685	28
Dec. 5	357	187	967	4,570	5,538	10,409	697	5,984	371	4,334	10,689	5 Dec.
12	359	181	961	4,509	5,470	10,378	619	5,946	385	4,255	10,586	12
19	366	175	965	4,483	5,448	10,361	788	5,954	330	4,399	10,682	19
26	363	169	960	4,485	5,445	10,297	770	5,956	279	4,431	10,665	26
1957—Jan. 2	364	165	939	4,472	5,411	10,236	1,030	6,009	164	4,704	10,877	2 Jan.—1957
9	361	161	904	4,500	5,404	10,261	553	5,985	233	4,176	10,394	9
16	363	157	901	4,486	5,387	10,193	698	5,985	262	4,234	10,481	16
23	360	153	895	4,474	5,369	10,205	550	5,984	295	4,070	10,349	23
30	359	148	894	4,480	5,374	10,183	582	5,998	257	4,106	10,360	30
Feb. 6	358	144	880	4,491	5,372	10,166	584	6,066	332	3,947	10,345	6 Feb.
13	354	140	884	4,476	5,360	10,174	570	6,054	324	3,959	10,337	13
20	356	136	909	4,474	5,383	10,204	641	6,061	340	4,040	10,441	20
27 7	355	132	925	4,413 7	5,338 7	10,284	654	6,071	344	4,096	10,511	27
Mar. 6	356	127	930	4,448	5,379	10,310	569	6,102	442	3,918	10,463	6 Mar.
13	363	123	919	4,422	5,341	10,323	555	6,094	455	3,884	10,434	13
20	366	119	928	4,436	5,364	10,322	648	6,102	425	4,022	10,550	20
27	370	115	914	4,479	5,393	10,382†	578†	6,108	419	3,995†	10,523†	27
Apr. 3	373	111	933	4,508	5,441	10,402†	654†	6,163	307	4,101†	10,571†	3 Apr.
10	373	107	929	4,523	5,452	10,393†	542	6,144	320	4,022†	10,486†	10
17	375	102	932	4,506	5,438	10,309†	661†	6,149	309	4,074†	10,531†	17
24	375	98	938	4,510	5,448	10,403	682	6,150	309	4,177	10,635	24
May 1	375	94	959	4,528	5,487	10,384	879	6,219	309	4,295	10,823	1 May
8	373	90	935	4,632	5,567	10,514	542	6,178	343	4,076	10,597	8
15	373	86	912	4,589	5,501	10,417	690	6,152	356	4,157	10,666	15
22	371†	82	906†	4,558†	4,464	10,399	708	6,152	336	4,200	10,688	22
29	370	77	885	4,598	5,483	10,466	599	6,132	294	4,169	10,595	29
June 5	381	73	893	4,654	5,546	10,472	601	6,179	294	4,151	10,625	5 June
12	403	69	926	4,635	5,561	10,520	559	6,159	314	4,166	10,639	12
19	410	65	914	4,617	5,531	10,475	689	6,161	248	4,312	10,721	19

★ For data on cash reserves, see section 1 of table on page 168. 1. Valued at "not exceeding market value". 2. Excluding Canadian day-to-day loans. 3. Includes securities guaranteed by provincial governments. 4. Securities purchased direct from issuer with a term of less than 1 year at time of issue are classified as loans. 5. Loans to grain dealers and exporters. 6. Loans to finance the purchase of Canada Savings Bonds at time of issue. 7. Beginning with the weekly statistics for Feb. 27 the chartered banks' holdings of Government of Canada and provincial government securities are valued at "amortized value" rather than at "not exceeding market value" as previously. Because of this change in valuation procedure and the consequent reallocation of inner reserves most of the asset figures for Feb. 27 and subsequent dates, particularly holdings of the securities in question and general loans, are not directly comparable with those of previous weeks. † Revised.

NOTE: For data back to August 1953 see pages 22–25 in the "Financial Supplement 1954" and pages 18–23 in the "Financial Supplement 1955".

CHARTERED BANKS

ASSETS AND LIABILITIES



1. NOT EXCEEDING MARKET VALUE.
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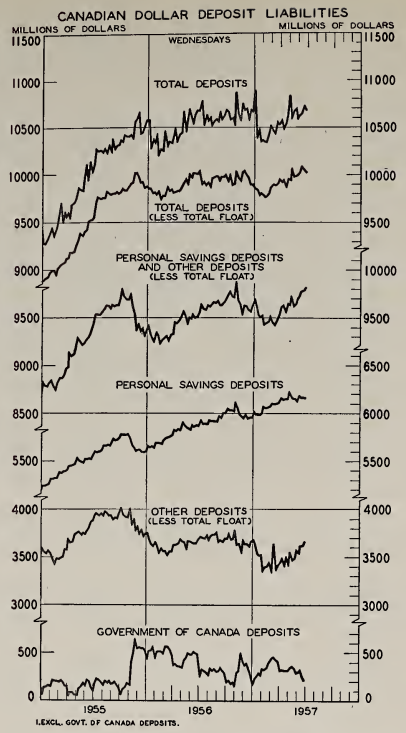

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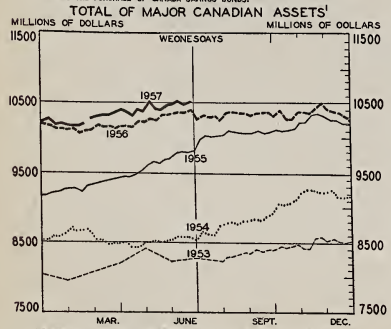

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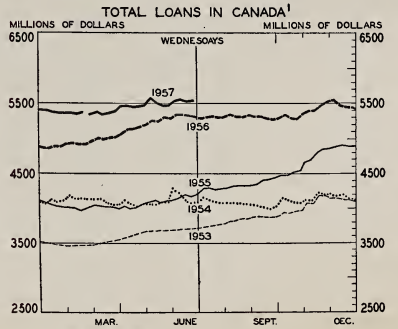

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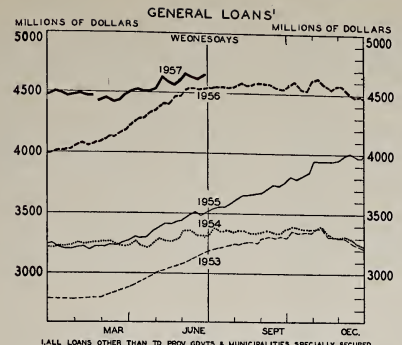

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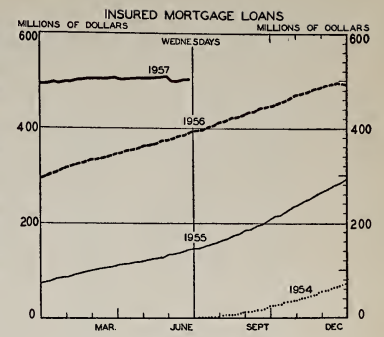

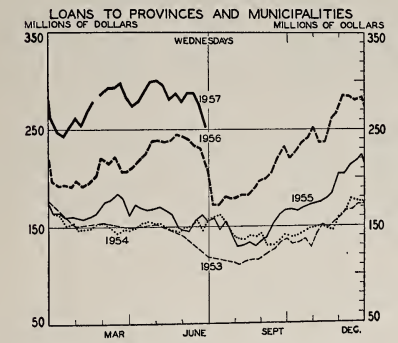

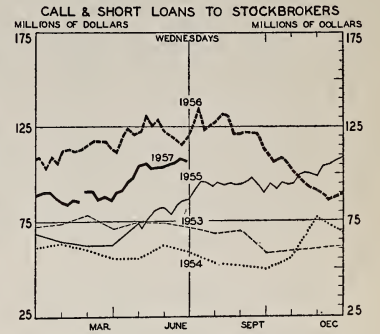

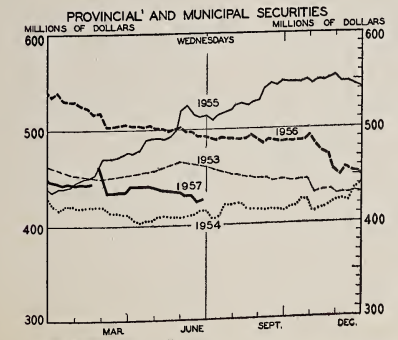

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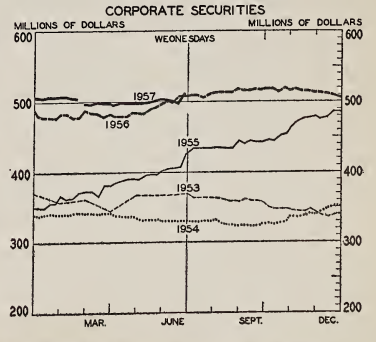

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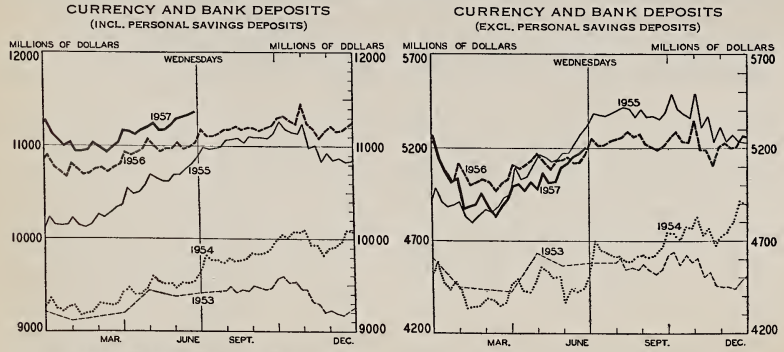
CANADIAN DOLLAR CURRENCY AND BANK DEPOSITS HELD BY THE GENERAL PUBLIC

Millions of Dollars — *Bank of Canada*

	Currency Outside Banks			Chartered Bank Deposits			Total Currency and Chartered Bank Deposits [1]	
	Notes	Coin	Total	Personal Savings Deposits	Other Deposits [1]	Total [1]	Excluding Personal Savings Deposits	Including Personal Savings Deposits
As at Dec. 31								
1952	1,289	88	1,377	4,600	3,281	7,881	4,658	9,258
1953	1,335	94	1,429	4,756	3,129	7,885	4,558	9,314
1954	1,362	96	1,458	5,218	3,462	8,680	4,920	10,137
1955	1,449	101	1,550	5,633	3,697	9,330	5,248	10,881
1956	1,498	108	1,605	6,007	3,580	9,587	5,185	11,192
End of								
1955—July	1,413	98	1,511	5,630	3,886	9,516	5,397	11,027
Aug.	1,374	97	1,471	5,696	3,931	9,627	5,402	11,098
Sept.	1,436	99	1,535	5,757	3,853	9,610	5,388	11,145
Oct.	1,397	100	1,497	5,839	3,929	9,768	5,426	11,265
Nov.	1,395	100	1,495	5,615	3,815	9,430	5,310	10,925
Dec.	1,449	101	1,550	5,633	3,697	9,330	5,248	10,881
1956—Jan.	1,358	98	1,457	5,676	3,593	9,269	5,049	10,726
Feb.	1,375	99	1,474	5,721	3,557	9,278	5,031	10,753
Mar.	1,458	102	1,561	5,791	3,501	9,292	5,062	10,853
Apr.	1,415	102	1,517	5,919	3,596	9,514	5,113	11,031
May	1,425	102	1,527	5,844	3,600	9,444	5,127	10,972
June	1,500	104	1,604	5,881	3,646	9,527	5,250	11,131
July	1,458	103	1,561	5,923	3,668	9,591	5,229	11,152
Aug.	1,515	106	1,621	5,941	3,745	9,686	5,366	11,306
Sept.	1,514	106	1,620	6,020	3,656	9,676	5,276	11,295
Oct.	1,472	106	1,578	6,098	3,764	9,862	5,342	11,440
Nov.	1,543	108	1,651	5,974	3,607	9,582	5,258	11,233
Dec.	1,498	108	1,605	6,007	3,580	9,587	5,185	11,192
1957—Jan.	1,445	104	1,549	6,039	3,470	9,509	5,019	11,058
Feb.	1,457	105	1,562	6,090	3,329	9,419	4,892	10,982
Mar.	1,500	107	1,607	6,153	3,328	9,481	4,935	11,088
Apr.	1,457	107	1,564	6,211	3,406	9,617	4,970	11,181
May	1,523	109	1,631	6,161	3,382	9,543	5,014	11,174

1. Less total float, i.e. cheques and other items in transit (net). Excludes Government of Canada deposits.

CURRENCY AND CHARTERED BANK DEPOSITS[1] HELD BY THE GENERAL PUBLIC



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CLASSIFICATION OF GOVERNMENT OF CANADA DIRECT AND GUARANTEED SECURITIES

Millions of Dollars, Par Value — *Bank of Canada*

	Direct Funded Debt Outstanding							Guaranteed Funded Debt	Total Outstanding [2]
	Treasury Bills	Treasury Notes	Deposit Certificates	Other Unmatured Market Issues	Matured and Outstanding Market Issues	Non-market Issues [1]	Total		
As at Dec. 31									
1952	450	750	200	11,995	19	1,250	14,664	522	**15,186**
1953	650	750	–	12,066	19	1,632	15,117	520	**15,637**
1954	780	750	–	10,854	74	2,090	14,547	918	**15,465**
1955	1,225	500	–	10,952	30	2,433	15,140	860	**16,000**
1956	1,575	–	–	10,298	27	2,541	14,441	793	**15,234**
End of									
1956—Jan.	1,300	500	–	10,903	34	2,420	15,157	860	**16,017**
Feb.	1,430	500	–	10,903	32	2,405	15,270	793	**16,063**
Mar.	1,600	500	–	10,903	30	2,387	15,420	793	**16,213**
Apr.	1,650	500	–	10,903	30	2,363	15,446	793	**16,239**
May	1,690	–	–	10,903	28	2,327	14,948	793	**15,741**
June	1,690	–	–	10,848	35	2,293	14,866	793	**15,659**
July	1,700	–	–	10,448	34	2,264	14,446	793	**15,238**
Aug.	1,710	–	–	10,448	30	2,237	14,425	793	**15,218**
Sept.	1,730	–	–	10,448	29	2,210	14,417	793	**15,210**
Oct.	1,720	–	–	10,448	28	2,199	14,395	793	**15,188**
Nov.	1,625	–	–	10,448	26	2,593	14,692	793	**15,485**
Dec.	1,575	–	–	10,298	27	2,541	14,441	793	**15,234**
1957—Jan.	1,565	–	–	10,298	23	2,508	14,394	793	**15,187**
Feb.	1,605	–	–	10,298	21	2,475	14,399	793	**15,192**
Mar.	1,625	–	–	10,298	20	2,436	14,379	793	**15,172**
Apr.	1,625	–	–	10,298	20	2,394	14,337	793	**15,130**
May	1,625	–	–	10,298	19	2,350	14,292	793	**15,084**

For footnotes see table below.

DISTRIBUTION OF GOVERNMENT OF CANADA DIRECT AND GUARANTEED SECURITIES

Millions of Dollars, Par Value — *Bank of Canada*

	Bank of Canada	Chartered Banks [3]	Government of Canada Accounts			General Public			Total Outstanding [2]
			Securities Investment Account [4]	Unemployment Insurance Fund	Other	Market Issues [3]	Non-market Issues [1]	Total [3]	
As at Dec. 31									
1952	2,271	2,905	47	859	195	7,659	1,250	8,909	**15,186**
1953	2,322	2,862	119	919	276	7,507	1,632	9,139	**15,637**
1954	2,267	3,375	–	892	312	6,529	2,090	8,619	**15,465**
1955	2,416	3,132	200	884	407	6,528	2,433	8,961	**16,000**
1956	2,426	2,534	160	924	434	6,215	2,541	8,756	**15,234**
End of									
1956—Jan.	2,276	3,067	345	884	400	6,626	2,420	9,046	**16,017**
Feb.	2,246	3,027	475	867	410	6,633	2,405	9,038	**16,063**
Mar.	2,290	2,978	695	853	401	6,608	2,387	8,995	**16,213**
Apr.	2,346	2,872	810	838	413	6,596	2,363	8,959	**16,238**
May	2,299	2,815	350	841	415	6,694	2,327	9,021	**15,741**
June	2,374	2,797	341	850	415	6,588	2,293	8,881	**15,659**
July	2,387	2,717	80	862	414	6,514	2,264	8,777	**15,238**
Aug.	2,428	2,751	105	880	418	6,400	2,237	8,636	**15,218**
Sept.	2,453	2,732	105	895	422	6,394	2,210	8,604	**15,210**
Oct.	2,454	2,675	165	909	421	6,363	2,199	8,562	**15,188**
Nov.	2,478	2,624	190	919	430	6,250	2,593	8,844	**15,485**
Dec.	2,426	2,534	160	924	434	6,215	2,541	8,756	**15,234**
1957—Jan.	2,302	2,535	182	917	437	6,305	2,508	8,813	**15,187**
Feb.	2,249	2,580	182	899	442	6,365	2,475	8,840	**15,192**
Mar.	2,288	2,573	182	878	429	6,386	2,436	8,822	**15,172**
Apr.	2,353	2,509	182	858	433	6,400	2,394	8,794	**15,130**
May	2,354	2,549	112	847	530	6,342	2,350	8,693	**15,084**

1. Refundable Tax, War Savings Certificates and Canada Savings Bonds, and since May 1, 1954, Canada Savings Bonds only.
2. Foreign pay issues are converted at the rate of £1 = $2.80 U.S. = $2.80 Cdn. Excludes sinking fund and government account "N" holdings of Newfoundland sterling securities assumed by the Government of Canada. For details by issue at June 30, 1957, see table on page 177.
3. Chartered bank holdings are shown at estimated par value; the figures for general public holdings are residuals obtained by deducting all other holdings from the total outstanding.
4. Market issues only, i.e., excludes holdings of Canada Savings Bonds being purchased on the payroll plan by Government employees, which are included under general public holdings of non-market issues.

GOVERNMENT OF CANADA DIRECT AND GUARANTEED SECURITIES★

Bank of Canada

NEW ISSUES AND RETIREMENTS

Millions of Dollars

Date of Issue or Retirement	Type of Security	Amount (Par Values) 1, 2 New Issues	Amount (Par Values) 1, 2 Retirements	Currency of Payment	Coupon Rate %	Date of Final Maturity	Earliest Call Date	Date of Issue	Issue or Call Price	Yield to Final Maturity
	Direct Market Issues (ex. Special Short-term)									
1954										
Mar. 1	2nd Victory Loan (in part)		470	C	3	Mar. 1/54	Mar. 1/52	Mar. 1/42	101.00	
June 1	Loan	550		C	2 ¼	Dec. 15/56	NC	June 1/54	99.70	2.37
1	Loan	300		C	3 ¼	June 1/76	June 1/74	June 1/54	99.00	3.31
1	3rd Victory Loan		847 [3]	C	3	Nov. 1/56	Nov. 1/53	Nov. 1 /42	101.00	
July 1	Loan		100	C	2	July 1/54	NC	Mar. 1/53		
23	Loan	200		C	1 ½	Nov. 15/54	NC	July 23/54	99.97	1.59
Oct. 1	Loan	700		C	2	Oct. 1/57	NC	Oct. 1/54	99.75	2.09
1	Loan	400		C	3 ¼	Oct. 1/79	NC	Oct. 1/54	100.00	3.25
1	4th Victory Loan		1,111 [3]	C	3	May 1/57	May 1/54	May 1/43	100.00	
Nov. 15	Loan		200	C	1 ½	Nov. 15/54	NC	July 23/54		
Dec. 1	Loan		88 [3]	C	3	June 1/58	June 1/53	1938-39	100.00	
15	Refunding Loan		395	C	2	Dec. 15/54	NC	June 15/50		
15	Loan		150	C	2	Dec. 15/54	NC	Nov. 1/52		
	Other Retirements		2	£						
		2,150	3,362							
1955										
July 1	Loan	700		C	2	May 1/58	NC	July 1/55	100.00	2.00
1	Loan		200	C	2 ¼	July 1/55	NC	Mar. 1/53		
1	Loan		400	C	2 ¼	July 1/55	NC	Nov. 1/53		
	Other Retirements		2	£						
		700	602							
1956										
Jan. 15	Loan		48 [3]	US	3 ¼	Jan. 15/61	Jan. 15/56	Jan. 15/36	100.00	
June 1	Loan		55 [3]	C	3 ¼	June 1/66	June 1/56	June 1/36	100.00	
July 1	Loan		400	C	2 ¼	July 1/56	NC	Nov. 1/50		
Sept. 15	Loan	250		C	3 ¾	Mar. 15/98	Sept. 15/96	Sept. 15/56	97.00	3.90
Sept. 15	5th Victory Loan (in part)		250 [3]	C	3	Jan. 1/59	Jan. 1/56	Nov. 1/43	98.625	
Dec. 15	Loan	150		C	2 ¼	June 15/57	NC	Dec. 15/56	99.125	4.03
Dec. 15	Loan	250		C	2 ¼	Dec. 15/57	NC	Dec. 15/56	98.00	4.31
Dec. 15	Loan		550	C	2 ¼	Dec. 15/56	NC	June 1/54		
	Other Retirements		1	£						
		650	1,304							
1957										
June 15	Loan		150	C	2 ¼	June 15/57	NC	Dec. 15/56		
			150							
	Guaranteed Issues									
1954										
Feb. 1	C.N.R.	200		C	3 ¾	Feb. 1/74	Feb. 1/72	Feb. 1/54	99.50	3.78
1	C.N.R.		50	C	5	Feb. 1/54	NC	Feb. 1/24		
May 1	National Harbours Bd.		**	C	5 ¼	May 1/54	NC	May 1/24		
Dec. 15	C.N.R.	250		C	2 ¾	Feb. 1/63	Feb. 1/61	Dec. 15/54	99.00	2.89
	Other Retirements		2	£						
		450	52							
1955										
Mar. 1	C.N. (West Indies) S.S.		9	C £ US	5	Mar. 1/55	NC	Mar. 1/30		
June 15	C.N.R.		49	C £ US	4 ¾	June 15/55	NC	June 15/30		
			58							
1956										
Feb. 1	C.N.R.		67	C £ US	4 ½	Feb. 1/56	NC	Feb. 1/31		
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★ Excluding Treasury Bills, Treasury Notes and Canada Savings Bonds. For complete details of loans outstanding see "Loans of Government of Canada and Loans Guaranteed by the Government of Canada" published annually by the Bank of Canada. For information on Treasury Bills Issues see the table "Money Market Statistics" on pages 178–179 and on Treasury Notes see the table "Classification of Government of Canada Direct and Guaranteed Securities" on page 175.

1. For totals outstanding at month-ends see page 175.
2. Foreign pay issues are converted into Canadian dollars at the rates £1 = $2.80 U.S. = $2.80 Cdn.
3. Called prior to maturity.
4. Assumed by the Government of Canada at the time of union. Amounts are net of sinking fund and government account "N" holdings.
5. After notice.

* Preliminary.

** Less than $0.5 million.

DETAILS OF UNMATURED OUTSTANDING ISSUES

Millions of Dollars

Date of Final Maturity	Type of Security	Amount Outstanding (Par Values) 1, 2 Dec. 31 1953	Dec. 31 1954	Dec. 31 1955	Dec. 31 1956	June 30 1957	Currency of Payment	Coupon Rate %	Earliest Call Date	Date of Issue
	Direct Market Issues (ex. Special Short-term)									
1954–Mar. 1	2nd Victory Loan	470	–	–	–	–	C	3	1.3.52	1.3.42
July 1	Loan	100	–	–	–	–	C	2	NC	1.3.53
Dec. 15	Refunding Loan	395	–	–	–	–	C	2	NC	15.6.50
Dec. 15	Loan	150	–	–	–	–	C	2	NC	1.11.52
1955–July 1	Loan	200	200	–	–	–	C	2 ¼	NC	1.3.53
July 1	Loan	400	400	–	–	–	C	2 ¼	NC	1.11.53
1956–July 1	Loan	400	400	400	–	–	C	2 ¼	NC	1.11.50
Nov. 1	3rd Victory Loan	847 [3]	–	–	–	–	C	3	1.11.53	1.11.42
Dec. 15	Loan	–	550	550	–	–	C	2 ¼	NC	1.6.54
1957–May 1	4th Victory Loan	1,111 [3]	–	–	–	–	C	3	1.5.54	1.5.43
June 15	Loan	–	–	–	150	–	C	2 ¼	NC	15.12.56
Oct. 1	Loan	–	700	700	700	700	C	2	NC	1.10.54
Dec. 15	Loan	–	–	–	250	250	C	2 ¼	NC	15.12.56
1958–May 1	Loan	300	300	300	300	300	C	3	NC	1.11.53
May 1	Loan	–	–	700	700	700	C	2	NC	1.7.55
June 1	Loan	88 [3]	–	–	–	–	C	3	1.6.53	1938-39
1959–Jan. 1	5th Victory Loan	1,197	1,197	1,197	947	947	C	3	1.1.56	1.11.43
1960–June 1	6th Victory Loan	1,165	1,165	1,165	1,165	1,165	C	3	1.6.57	1.5.44
1961–Jan. 15	Loan	48	48	48 [3]	–	–	US	3 ¼	15.1.56	15.1.36
1962–Feb. 1	7th Victory Loan	1,316	1,316	1,316	1,316	1,316	C	3	1.2.59	1.11.44
1963–July 1	Registered Stock	2	2	2	2	2	£	3 ¼	1.7.58	1.7.38
July 1	Govt. of Newfoundland [4]	30	28	26	25	25*	£	3	1.7.43	1933-34
Aug. 1	Loan	150	150	150	150	150	US	3	1.8.58	1.8.48
Oct. 1	8th Victory Loan	1,296	1,296	1,296	1,296	1,296	C	3	1.10.59	1.5.45
1966–June 1	Loan	55	55	55 [3]	–	–	C	3 ¼	1.6.56	1.6.36
Sept. 1	9th Victory Loan	1,692	1,692	1,692	1,692	1,692	C	3	1.9.61	1.11.45
1968–June 15	Refunding Loan	350	350	350	350	350	C	2 ¾	15.6.67	15.6.50
1974–Sept. 1	Loan	100	100	100	100	100	US	2 ¾	30 Days [5]	1.9.49
1975–Sept. 15	Loan	50	50	50	50	50	US	2 ¾	30 Days [5]	15.9.50
1976–June 1	Loan	–	300	300	300	300	C	3 ¼	1.6.74	1.6.54
1978–Jan. 15	Loan	100	100	100	100	100	C	3 ¾	15.1.75	15.1.53
1979–Oct. 1	Loan	–	400	400	400	400	C	3 ¼	NC	1.10.54
1998–Mar. 15	Loan	–	–	–	250	250	C	3 ¾	15.9.96	15.9.56
Perpetual	Loan	55	55	55	55	55	C	3	15.9.66	15.9.36
	Total [1]	**12,066**	**10,854**	**10,952**	**10,298**	**10,148***				
	Guaranteed Issues									
1954–Feb. 1	C.N.R.	50	–	–	–	–	C	5	NC	1.2.24
1955–Mar. 1	C.N. (West Indies) S.S.	9	9	–	–	–	C £ US	5	NC	1.3.30
June 15	C.N.R.	49	49	–	–	–	C £ US	4 ¾	NC	15.6.30
1956–Feb. 1	C.N.R.	67	67	67	–	–	C £ US	4 ½	NC	1.2.31
1957–July 1	C.N.R.	64	64	64	64	64	C US	4 ½	NC	1.7.27
1958–July 20	Can. Northern Rly.	6	6	6	6	6	C £	3 ½	NC	–3.10
1959–Jan. 15	C.N.R.	35	35	35	35	35	C	3	15.1.54	15.1.39
1961–May 19	Can. North. Ont. Rly.	2	2	2	2	2	£	3 ½	NC	8.12.11
1962–Jan. 1	Grand Trunk Pac. Rly.	26	26	26	26	26	C £ US	3	NC	1.7.05
Jan. 1	Grand Trunk Pac. Rly.	8	8	8	8	8	C £ US	4	NC	5.8.14
1963–Feb. 1	C.N.R.	–	250	250	250	250	C	2 ¾	1.2.61	15.12.54
1966–Jan. 3	C.N.R.	35	35	35	35	35	C	3	3.1.61	3.1.49
1967–Jan. 2	C.N.R.	50	50	50	50	50	C	2 ¾	2.1.64	2.1.47
1969–Sept. 15	C.N.R.	70	70	70	70	70	C	2 ⅞	15.9.64	15.9.49
1971–Jan. 16	C.N.R.	40	40	40	40	40	C	2 ⅞	16.1.66	16.1.50
1974–Feb. 1	C.N.R.	–	200	200	200	200	C	3 ¾	1.2.72	1.2.54
1975–June 15	C.N.R.	6	6	6	6	6	US	2 ¾	30-60 Days [5]	15.6.50
	All other	2	**	**	**	**	£			
	Total [1]	**520**	**918**	**860**	**793**	**793**				

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MONEY MARKET STATISTICS

WEEKLY SERIES

Bank of Canada

	Bank of Canada [1]			Chartered Banks					Treasury Bills [2]								Distribution of Govt. of Canada Direct and Gtd. Securities [2] (Including Treasury Bills)								
	Outstanding Advances to Chartered and Savings Banks	Can. Govt. Securities Held Under Purchase & Resale Agreements		Cash Ratio Statutory Basis		Day-to-Day Loans			Distribution				Weekly Tender on Thurs. following Wed. date shown				Total	Bank of Canada	Chartered Banks [3]	Government Accounts	General Public				
		At Date	Maximum During Week	At Date	Average: Month to Date	Closing Rate	Wkly Av. of Daily Closing Rates	Amount Outstanding	Total	Bank of Canada	Chartered Banks	Other	Average Yield 3 Month Bills	Average Yield 9 Month Bills	Amount Sold 3 Month Bills	Amount Sold 9 Month Bills					Canada Savings Bonds	Matured & Outstanding Market Issues	Other Unmatured	Total	
	Millions of Dollars			*Percent*				*mm. of $*	*Par Value in Millions of Dollars*				*Percent*		*Millions of Dollars*		*Par Value in Millions of Dollars*								
Wednesdays																									**Wednesdays**
1955—Apr. 27	–	–	–	8.7	8.4	2 3/4	.98	69	930	236	368	326	1.25	1.52	40	15	15,453	2,256	3,605	1,218	2,012	50	6,312	8,374	27 Apr.—1955
May 25	–	–	–	8.1	8.4	1	.94	117	970	196	424	350	1.30	1.61	40	15	15,440	2,204	3,690	1,199	1,988	46	6,313	8,347	25 May
June 29	–	–	4	8.4	8.3	1 1/8	1.20	104	1,020	275	375	370	1.44	1.71	40	15	15,410	2,298	3,667	1,207	1,961	41	6,236	8,238	29 June
July 27	–	–	–	8.1	8.4	1 1/8	1.08	109	1,050	282	407	361	1.43	1.72	40	15	15,519	2,301	3,741	1,247	1,942	40	6,248	8,230	27 July
Aug. 31	–	–	8	8.1	8.3	1 1/2	1.53	90	1,075	242	419	414	1.70	1.95	40	15	15,519	2,314	3,735	1,279	1,921	37	6,233	8,191	31 Aug.
Sept. 28	–	–	–	8.4	8.2	1 5/8	1.80	41	1,095	251	364	480	1.83	2.10	40	15	15,520	2,357	3,611	1,360	1,902	35	6,255	8,192	28 Sept.
Oct. 26	16	4	12	8.4	8.3	2 1/8	2.13	53	1,145	303	317	525	2.20	–	60	–	15,582	2,347	3,498	1,434	1,917	33	6,353	8,303	26 Oct.
Nov. 30	4	–	2	8.4	8.3	2 1/4	2.25	54	1,170	303	328	539	2.58	–	60	–	15,974	2,422	3,323	1,334	2,461	31	6,403	8,895	30 Nov.
Dec. 28	–	–	–	8.2	8.2	2 3/8	2.38	56	1,205	264	416	525	2.56	–	75	–	15,982	2,423	3,108	1,492	2,435	30	6,494	8,959	28 Dec.
1956—Jan. 25	–	–	–	8.3	8.4	2 1/4	2.33	54	1,275	234	480	561	2.53	–	100	–	15,989	2,303	3,038	1,604	2,415	35	6,595	9,044	25 Jan.—1956
Feb. 29	–	6	6	8.1	8.2	2 1/2	2.50	82	1,430	341	564	525	2.56	–	115	–	16,063	2,246	3,027	1,752	2,405	32	6,601	9,038	29 Feb.
Mar. 28	–	–	3	7.9	8.2	2 5/8	2.58	62	1,575	444	573	558	2.64	–	115	–	16,188	2,296	2,957	1,935	2,387	30	6,583	9,000	28 Mar.
Apr. 25	10	–	–	8.3	8.2	2 5/8	2.68	13	1,640	336	727	577	2.89	–	125	–	16,229	2,329	2,856	2,067	2,363	30	6,584	8,976	25 Apr.
May 30	26	–	–	8.2	8.2	2 3/4	2.73	63	1,690	394	759	537	2.72	–	130	–	15,737	2,302	2,802	1,604	2,323	28	6,678	9,029	30 May
June 27	5	–	–	8.3	8.3	2 3/8	2.48	62	1,690	465	795	430	2.52	–	130	–	15,658	2,392	2,795	1,606	2,293	35	6,538	8,865	27 June
July 25	12	–	–	8.1	8.3	2 5/8	2.63	81	1,695	467	735	493	2.65	–	130	–	15,236	2,398	2,699	1,352	2,266	35	6,487	8,787	25 July
Aug. 29	–	–	–	8.2	8.4	2 1/4	2.40	32	1,705	494	835	376	2.90	–	135	–	15,214	2,422	2,762	1,403	2,237	31	6,360	8,627	29 Aug.
Sept. 26	–	–	–	8.2	8.3	2 3/4	2.88	95	1,725	521	806	398	3.16	–	135	–	15,205	2,441	2,739	1,424	2,210	29	6,362	8,601	26 Sept.
Oct. 31	–	–	26	8.6	8.3	2 3/4	2.90	85	1,720	560	794	366	3.34	–	115	–	15,187	2,454	2,675	1,496	2,199	28	6,336	8,562	31 Oct.
Nov. 28	50	–	–	8.5	8.2	2 7/8	3.03	97	1,645	532	741	372	3.52	–	115	–	15,494	2,451	2,610	1,540	2,582	26	6,285	8,893	28 Nov.
Dec. 26	10	–	–	8.2	8.3	3 1/4	3.25	75	1,585	519	752	314	3.67	–	125	–	15,233	2,506	2,530	1,447	2,530	28	6,193	8,750	26 Dec.
1957—Jan. 30	–	–	–	8.2	8.2	3	3.00	86	1,565	418	807	340	3.70	–	125	–	15,178	2,312	2,530	1,536	2,500	23	6,278	8,800	30 Jan.—1957
Feb. 27	–	–	12	8.4	8.2	3 1/2	3.55	112	1,605	437	811	357	3.76	–	125	–	15,187	2,254	2,570	1,520	2,470	21	6,352	8,844	27 Feb.
Mar. 27	10	–	14	8.2	8.2	3 5/8	3.70	152	1,625	482	805	338	3.70	–	125	–	15,169	2,280	2,554	1,501	2,433	20	6,380	8,833	27 Mar.
Apr. 24	21	–	5	8.4	8.1	3 3/4	3.71	96	1,625	503	769	353	3.75	–	125	–	15,132	2,353	2,506	1,477	2,396	20	6,380	8,796	24 Apr.
May 29	25	–	–	8.2	8.2	3 3/8	3.53	116	1,625	474	814	337	3.76	–	125	–	15,082†	2,352	2,535	1,494	2,348	19†	6,335	8,701	29 May
June 26	24	–	9	8.4	8.2	3 3/4	3.83	97	1,625	516	795	314	3.81	–	125	–	14,899	2,404	2,520	1,397	2,312	21	6,245	8,578	26 June
Weekly																									**Weekly**
1957—Jan. 2	–	–	–	8.1	8.1	3	3.25	69	1,575	495	756	324	3.65	–	125	–	15,233	2,410	2,529	1,518	2,540	27	6,209	8,777	2 Jan.—1957
9	30	6	10	8.3	8.1	3 1/2	3.35	68	1,565	486	756	323	3.71	–	125	–	15,210	2,374	2,508	1,542	2,528	26	6,232	8,786	9
16	–	–	1	8.2	8.2	3 1/4	3.40	76	1,565	486	765	314	3.72	–	125	–	15,196	2,379	2,502	1,543	2,516	25	6,232	8,773	16
23	–	–	–	8.3	8.2	3	3.35	101	1,565	456	765	344	3.72	–	125	–	15,186	2,350	2,493	1,541	2,506	24	6,273	8,803	23
30	–	–	–	8.2	8.2	3	3.00	86	1,565	418	807	340	3.70	–	125	–	15,178	2,312	2,530	1,536	2,500	23	6,278	8,800	30
Feb. 6	–	–	4	8.3	8.4	3 1/4	3.25	110	1,575	385	821	369	3.72	–	125	–	15,188	2,272	2,544	1,531	2,500	22	6,319	8,841	6 Feb.
13	–	8	8	8.2	8.2	3 1/2	3.40	115	1,585	393	817	375	3.75	–	125	–	15,184	2,261	2,559	1,531	2,487	22	6,324	8,832	13
20	–	20	22	8.1	8.2	3 3/4	3.70	117	1,595	403	815	377	3.81	–	125	–	15,186	2,233	2,572	1,530	2,479	21	6,350	8,850	20
27	–	–	12	8.4	8.2	3 1/2	3.55	112	1,605	437	811	357	3.76	–	125	–	15,187	2,254	2,570	1,520	2,470	21	6,352	8,844	27
Mar. 6	–	1	10	8.1	8.0	3 3/4	3.50	86	1,615	474	832	309	3.72	–	125	–	15,192	2,253	2,598	1,516	2,466	21	6,339	8,826	6 Mar.
13	11	–	17	8.2	8.1	3 3/4	3.75	117	1,625	490	825	311	3.73	–	125	–	15,187	2,279	2,592	1,510	2,451	21	6,335	8,807	12
20	–	–	–	8.2	8.1	3 1/2	3.65	109	1,625	501	816	308	3.69	–	125	–	15,177	2,292	2,581	1,508	2,441	21	6,336	8,797	20
27	10	–	14	8.2	8.2	3 5/8	3.70	152	1,625	482	805	338	3.70	–	125	–	15,169	2,280	2,554	1,501	2,433	20	6,380	8,833	27
Apr. 3	30	–	–	8.3	8.1	3 5/8	3.55	93	1,625	467	822	336	3.69	–	125	–	15,165	2,277	2,577	1,490	2,430	20	6,372	8,822	3 Apr.
10	–	4	49	8.2	8.1	3 3/4	3.73	95	1,625	468	809	348	3.71	–	125	–	15,148	2,295	2,542	1,485	2,413	20	6,394	8,827	10
17	–	28	28	8.1	8.1	3 3/4	3.75	76	1,625	490	781	355	3.73	–	125	–	15,138	2,344	2,516	1,481	2,402	20	6,376	8,798	17
24	21	–	5	8.4	8.1	3 3/4	3.71	96	1,625	503	769	353	3.75	–	125	–	15,132	2,353	2,506	1,477	2,396	20	6,380	8,796	24
May 1	–	–	–	8.2†	8.2†	3 3/4	3.73	105	1,625	501	766	359	3.76	–	125	–	15,127	2,352	2,506	1,473	2,392	20	6,385	8,796	1 May
8	–	6	29	8.3	8.1	3 7/8	3.80	114	1,625	504	760	361	3.78	–	125	–	15,115†	2,364	2,501	1,498	2,379	19	6,352	8,751	8
15	–	–	4	8.3	8.2	3 5/8	3.75	109	1,625	516	759	350	3.78	–	125	–	15,099	2,379	2,486	1,497	2,364	19	6,354	8,737	15
22	–	–	–	8.1	8.2	3 3/8	3.72	91	1,625	496	785	344	3.76	–	125	–	15,091	2,362	2,516	1,497	2,357	19	6,341	8,717†	22
29	25	–	–	8.2	8.2	3 3/8	3.53	116	1,625	474	814	337	3.76	–	125	–	15,082†	2,352	2,535	1,494	2,348	19†	6,335	8,701	29
June 5	–	32	32	7.9	7.9	3 7/8	3.70	105	1,625	494	832	299	3.79	–	125	–	15,078	2,395	2,558	1,482	2,344	19	6,280	8,643	5 June
12	–	–	26	8.3	8.1	3 3/4	3.85	109	1,625	505	792	328	3.79	–	125	–	15,064	2,401	2,518	1,480	2,331	18	6,315	8,665	12
19	–	6	23	8.3	8.1	3 7/8	3.83	106	1,625	506	788	331	3.80	–	125	–	14,916	2,410	2,514	1,398	2,321	30	6,244	8,595	19
26	24	–	9	8.4	8.2	3 3/4	3.83	97	1,625	516	795	314	3.81	–	125	–	14,899	2,404	2,520	1,397	2,312	21	6,245	8,579	26

1. Bank Rate, the minimum rate at which the Bank of Canada will make temporary loans or advances, stood at 2% from October 1950 to February 14, 1955 when it was reduced to 1½%. The rate was raised to 2% on August 5, 1955, to 2¼% on October 12, 1955, to 2¾% on November 18, 1955, to 3% on April 4, 1956, to 3¼% on August 9, 1956, and to 3½% on October 17, 1956. Since November 1, 1956, Bank Rate has been ¼ of 1% above the latest weekly average tender rate for 91-day Treasury Bills.

2. This table has been revised to show all holdings of Government of Canada direct and guaranteed securities at par value, and for this reason the figures for Bank of Canada and chartered bank holdings differ from those appearing on pages 166, 168 and 170. Foreign-pay issues are valued at uniform exchange rates of £1 = $2.80 U.S. = $2.80 Cdn.

3. Estimated par value.

† Revised.

TREASURY BILL RATES, GOVERNMENT BOND PRICES[1] AND MARKET YIELDS[2] SELECTED ISSUES[3]

CANADA, UNITED STATES, UNITED KINGDOM

Bank of Canada

	Weighted Average of Tender Rates on 3 Month Treasury Bills[4]			Canada								United States						United Kingdom				
				3% Sept. 1/61–66		2¾% June 15/67–68		3¾% Jan. 15/75–78		3¼% Oct. 1/79		2½% Dec. 15/63–68		2½% Dec. 15/67–72		3¼% June 15/78–83		3% Apr. 15/59–69		3% Aug. 15/65–75		
	Canada	U.S.	U.K.	Price	Yield	Price	Yield	Price	Yield	Price	Yield	Price	Yield	Price	Yield	Price	Yield	Price	Yield	Price	Yield	
Wednesdays				*Cdn. $*		*Cdn. $*		*Cdn. $*		*Cdn. $*		*U.S. $*		*U.S. $*		*U.S. $*		£		£		**Wednesdays**
1955—June 29	1.44	1.40	3.97	102	2.65	98 1/2	2.89	108	3.20	101 1/2	3.16	96 7/32	2.84	95 3/4	2.81	106	2.89	85 5/8	4.40	82 17/32	4.30	29 June—1955
July 27	1.43	1.72	3.97	101 1/2	2.73	97 7/8	2.95	107 1/2	3.23	100 7/8	3.20	95 31/32	2.93	94 31/32	2.94	104 7/8	2.96	83 13/32	4.65	80 5/32	4.51	27 July
Aug. 31	1.70	2.09	4.07	99 3/4	3.03	96 3/4	3.06	105 3/4	3.34	99 3/8	3.27	95 1/16	2.92	94 15/32	2.90	104 1/4	2.99	79 1/4	5.14	76 1/2	4.85	31 Aug.
Sept. 28	1.83	2.12	4.07	99 1/4	3.08	96 3/8	3.10	105 1/2	3.36	99 5/8	3.27	96	2.86	95 9/32	2.85	104 3/4	2.96	81 3/4	4.85	78	4.71	28 Sept.
Oct. 26	2.20	2.23	4.07	99 1/4	3.08	95 3/4	3.16	105 1/2	3.36	99 5/8	3.27	96 7/8	2.78	95 27/32	2.81	105 3/4	2.90	84 3/32	4.60	80 21/32	4.48	26 Oct.
Nov. 30	2.58	2.45	4.07	97 1/2	3.28	94 3/8	3.30	105	3.39	97 3/4	3.39	96 3/8	2.83	94 27/32	2.89	105 1/4	2.93	82 15/16	4.74	79	4.64	30 Nov.
Dec. 28	2.56	2.69	4.07	97 1/4	3.31	93 1/2	3.39	103 3/4	3.48	97 3/8	3.41	95 3/4	2.89	94 13/16	2.89	105 1/32	2.94	82 1/32	4.85	78 3/8	4.69	28 Dec.
1956—Jan. 25	2.53	2.25	4.07	98	3.22	94 1/2	3.29	104 1/2	3.43	98 3/8	3.35	96 1/2	2.83	95 3/4	2.82	105 3/4	2.90	80 13/32	5.04	77	4.83	25 Jan.—1956
Feb. 29	2.56	2.41	5.20	98	3.23	95	3.25	105 1/4	3.37	99 1/8	3.30	96 15/32	2.83	95 27/32	2.83	105 11/16	2.90	80 1/2	5.06	76 7/8	4.85	29 Feb.
Mar. 28	2.64	2.17	5.17	97 1/8	3.33	93 1/2	3.40	103 1/2	3.49	97 3/8	3.41	94 29/32	3.00	93 15/16	2.96	104 31/32	3.00	79 1/32	5.23	75 3/32	5.03	28 Mar.
Apr. 25	2.89	2.79	5.01	94 3/4	3.61	92 1/2	3.51	100 3/4	3.69	94 1/2	3.60	93 23/32	3.10	92 25/32	3.06	102 1/8	3.12	80 13/32	5.08	75 13/16	4.96	25 Apr.
May 30	2.72	2.57	5.01	95 5/8	3.51	92 5/8	3.51	102	3.60	95 5/8	3.51	95 13/16	2.90	95 1/4	2.86	104 5/16	2.98	79	5.27	74 3/4	5.07	30 May
June 27	2.52	2.54	5.14	96 3/8	3.42	93 3/8	3.40	103 3/4	3.47	98	3.37	95 1/16	2.96	94 9/16	2.92	104 1/4	2.99	77 17/32	5.45	73 19/32	5.24	27 June
July 25	2.65	2.30	4.98	95 3/8	3.55	92 1/2	3.53	101 1/2	3.64	95 1/4	3.55	93 31/32	3.09	93 1/32	3.03	102 1/16	3.12	77 27/32	5.43	72 1/16	5.36	25 July
Aug. 29	2.90	2.83	5.02	93 7/8	3.74	90	3.81	99 1/2	3.78	93 1/8	3.69	91 15/32	3.35	90 15/16	3.22	100 3/32	3.25	79 1/4	5.28	74 1/4	5.14	29 Aug.
Sept. 26	3.16	2.99	5.09	92 7/8	3.87	89 1/2	3.88	98	3.89	91 1/2	3.81	92 5/16	3.27	91 13/16	3.15	100 1/8	3.24	77 17/32	5.51	72 5/32	5.37	26 Sept.
Oct. 31	3.34	2.89	5.00	92 1/4	3.96	89	3.94	98	3.89	91 1/8	3.84	91 13/16	3.34	90 23/32	3.24	99 7/16	3.30	78 3/4	5.37	72 3/8	5.35	31 Oct.
Nov. 28	3.52	3.17	5.02	91 1/8	4.11	88 3/4	3.97	97	3.96	90 3/4	3.86	90 31/32	3.42	89 19/32	3.34	98 1/4	3.35	77 3/4	5.49	71 1/4	5.47	28 Nov.
Dec. 26	3.67	3.22	4.86	90 7/8	4.16	88 3/4	3.98	96 3/4	3.98	90 1/4	3.90	90 15/32	3.48	88 9/16	3.44	97 9/32	3.39	78 13/32	5.43	72 13/32	5.36	26 Dec.
1957—Jan. 30	3.70	3.28	4.54	89 1/2	4.35	86 3/4	4.23	95	4.11	87	4.14	92 9/16	3.26	91 9/16	3.18	99 1/4	3.29	83	4.86	77 5/8	4.84	30 Jan.—1957
Feb. 27	3.76	3.29	4.00	91 5/8	4.07	88 1/2	4.02	96 1/4	4.02	89 1/2	3.96	91 13/32	3.34	90 9/16	3.27	99 15/16	3.29	82 5/8	4.91	76 31/32	4.91	27 Feb.
Mar. 27	3.70	3.03	4.11	91 1/2	4.13	87 1/2	4.15	96 1/4	4.02	90	3.92	92 9/16	3.27	91 1/2	3.19	99 1/8	3.30	81 13/32	5.05	75 17/32	5.06	27 Mar.
Apr. 24	3.75	3.05	3.91	89 5/8	4.36	86	4.35	96 1/4	4.02	89 1/2	3.96	91 1/16	3.44	89 7/8	3.33	97 7/16	3.41	81 1/4	5.11	75	5.12	24 Apr.
May 29	3.76	3.25	3.92	89	4.46	85	4.49	94 1/2	4.15	86 3/4	4.17	89 1/2	3.62	88 7/16	3.47	96 7/8	3.48	79 5/16	5.38	72 29/32	5.36	29 May
June 26	3.81	3.23	3.85	88	4.62	84 1/2	4.56	94	4.19	86 3/4	4.17	87 1/4	3.89	86 3/8	3.66	93 7/8	3.61	78 3/32	5.45	70 9/16	5.60	26 June
Weekly																						**Weekly**
1957—Jan. 9	3.71	3.20	4.77	90	4.27	87 3/4	4.11	95	4.11	87 3/4	4.08	89 7/8	3.55	88 3/8	3.46	96 9/16	3.45	79 29/32	5.25	74 11/16	5.13	9 Jan.—1957
16	3.72	3.22	4.66	90	4.27	87 3/4	4.11	95 1/4	4.09	87 1/2	4.10	91 7/16	3.38	90 1/4	3.29	97 13/16	3.38	80 3/4	5.14	75 5/8	5.03	16
23	3.72	3.09	4.55	89 5/8	4.33	87 1/4	4.16	94 3/4	4.13	86 3/4	4.16	92 3/8	3.28	91 5/8	3.17	99 1/8	3.30	82 3/16	4.96	76 5/16	4.90	23
30	3.70	3.28	4.54	89 1/2	4.35	86 3/4	4.23	95	4.11	87	4.14	92 9/16	3.26	91 9/16	3.18	99 1/4	3.29	83	4.86	77 5/8	4.84	30
Feb. 6	3.72	3.13	4.23	89 1/4	4.39	86 3/4	4.23	94 3/4	4.13	86 3/4	4.16	93 1/8	3.20	92 1/16	3.15	100 7/16	3.22	83 5/16	4.83	77 5/16	4.87	6 Feb.
13	3.75	3.06	4.28	91 5/8	4.06	88	4.08	95 1/4	4.09	88 1/4	4.05	93 6/8	3.15	92 7/16	3.11	99 7/8	3.26	83 1/2	4.81	77 6/32	4.89	13
20	3.81	3.18	4.15	90 3/4	4.19	88 1/8	4.05	95 3/8	4.08	88 3/4	4.01	92 7/16	3.28	91 3/16	3.21	99 7/16	3.28	82 15/16	4.89	76 23/32	4.94	20
27	3.76	3.29	4.00	91 5/8	4.07	88 1/2	4.02	96 1/4	4.02	89 1/2	3.96	91 13/16	3.34	90 9/16	3.27	99 6/16	3.29	82 5/8	4.91	76 31/32	4.91	27
Mar. 6	3.72	3.25	4.02	91 1/4	4.12	88	4.09	95 3/4	4.05	89 3/4	3.94	91 5/16	3.40	90 5/16	3.29	99 9/16	3.27	82 7/32	4.96	76 31/32	4.91	6 Mar.
13	3.73	3.24	4.12	91 5/8	4.07	88 1/4	4.06	96	4.04	90	3.92	91 13/16	3.35	90 7/8	3.24	99 11/16	3.27	82 21/32	4.92	76 27/32	4.93	13
20	3.69	3.04	4.13	91 1/4	4.13	87 1/2	4.15	96 1/4	4.02	90	3.92	92 3/16	3.29	91 3/16	3.22	99 1/2	3.28	81 15/32	5.09	75 3/32	5.10	20
27	3.70	3.03	4.11	91 1/4	4.13	87 1/2	4.15	96 1/4	4.02	90	3.92	92 9/16	3.27	91 1/2	3.19	99 5/8	3.30	81 13/32	5.05	75 17/32	5.06	27
Apr. 3	3.69	3.05	4.15	91	4.16	87 1/4	4.19	96 1/4	4.02	90	3.92	92 7/16	3.29	91 3/8	3.20	98 13/16	3.32	81 17/32	5.07	75 5/8	5.06	3 Apr.
10	3.71	3.15	4.04	90 3/4	4.20	87	4.22	96 1/4	4.00	89 3/4	3.94	92 5/8	3.32	91	3.24	98 11/16	3.33	81 9/32	5.10	75 1/2	5.07	10
17	3.73	3.19	3.94	90 3/8	4.26	86 1/2	4.28	96 3/8	4.01	89 3/4	3.94	91 1/8	3.43	89 7/8	3.33	98 1/8	3.36	80 15/32	5.19	74 3/8	5.18	17
24	3.75	3.05	3.91	89 5/8	4.36	86	4.35	96 1/4	4.02	89 1/2	3.96	91 1/16	3.44	89 7/8	3.33	97 5/16	3.41	81 1/4	5.11	75	5.12	24
May 1	3.76	3.04	3.74	89 3/8	4.40	85 1/4	4.45	96	4.04	89	4.00	91 1/8	3.44	89 13/16	3.34	96 5/8	3.45	81 3/4	5.06	75 5/16	5.09	1 May
8	3.78	2.91	3.81	89 3/8	4.40	85 1/4	4.45	95 1/2	4.07	88	4.07	90 15/16	3.46	89 7/8	3.34	97	3.42	82 7/16	4.97	75 6/16	5.09	8
15	3.78	2.89	3.83	89 1/4	4.42	85 1/4	4.45	95	4.11	87	4.15	90 3/8	3.51	89 1/4	3.39	96 15/16	3.43	80 7/8	5.17	73 21/32	5.26	15
22	3.76	3.12	3.91	89	4.46	84 3/4	4.51	94 3/4	4.13	86 3/4	4.17	90 1/2	3.50	89 1/2	3.37	96 15/16	3.43	79 15/16	5.29	72 19/32	5.38	22
29	3.76	3.25	3.92	89	4.46	85	4.49	94 1/2	4.15	86 3/4	4.17	89 1/2	3.62	88 7/16	3.47	96 1/8	3.48	79 6/16	5.38	72 25/32	5.36	29
June 5	3.79	3.37	3.91	89	4.46	85	4.49	94 7/8	4.12	86 7/8	4.16	89 1/4	3.67	88 1/4	3.49	96	3.49	78 19/32	5.48	71 11/32	5.52	5 June
12	3.79	3.26	3.86	88 7/8	4.48	85	4.49	95 1/8	4.10	86 7/8	4.16	88 13/16	3.70	88	3.51	95 1/2	3.52	77 29/32	5.57	70 23/32	5.56	12
19	3.80	3.40	3.86	88 1/2	4.55	84 3/4	4.53	94 1/2	4.15	86 3/4	4.17	87 1/16	3.91	86 1/4	3.67	93 5/8	3.63	78 15/32	5.52	71 11/32	5.52	19
26	3.81	3.23	3.85	88	4.62	84 1/2	4.56	94	4.19	86 3/4	4.17	87 1/4	3.89	86 3/8	3.66	93 7/8	3.61	78 3/32	5.45	70 9/16	5.60	26

1. Government bond prices are closing bids at the Wednesday date for Canadian and United States issues. Prices of the United Kingdom Apr. 15/59–69 issue are closing transactions at the Wednesday date and of the United Kingdom Aug. 15/65–75 issue are approximate mid-market transactions at the Wednesday date. All prices exclude accrued interest.
2. Market yields are based on the prices shown and are expressed as per cent per annum to maturity date if at a discount and to earliest call date if at a premium.
3. On Jan. 1st, 1957 the amounts outstanding for the four Canadian bond issues were $1,692 million, $350 million, $100 million, and $400 million respectively; for the three United States bond issues, $2,824 million, $3,785 million, and $1,606 million respectively; and for the two United Kingdom bond issues £296 million and £1,073 million respectively.
4. Treasury Bill tender rates are at the date nearest the Wednesday shown. In Canada tenders are received on Thursday, in the United States on Monday, and in the United Kingdom on Friday.

NOTE: For data back to 1950 see pages 52–55 in the "Financial Supplement 1954" and pages 46–49 in the "Financial Supplement 1955".

GOVERNMENT OF CANADA THEORETICAL BOND YIELDS[1]

Bank of Canada

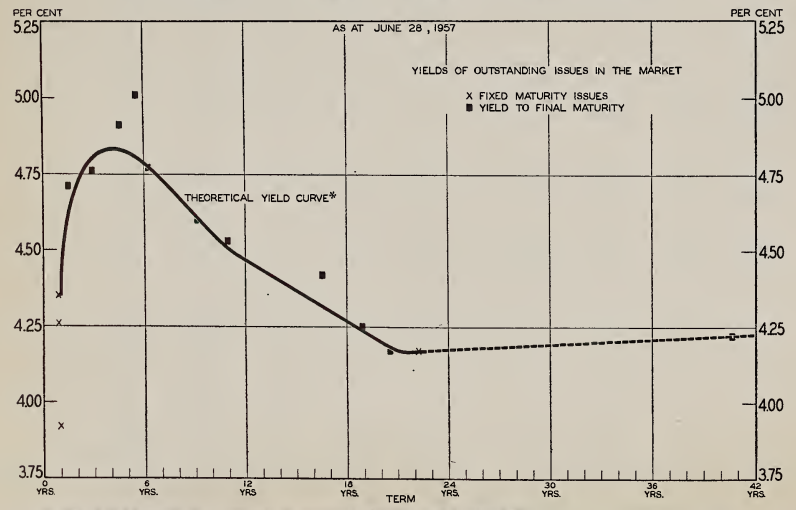
Percent per Annum

	1 Year	2 Years	3 Years	5 Years	10 Years	15 Years	20 Years	25 Years
1956—Mar. 15	2.82	3.05	3.16	3.29	3.28	3.31	3.34	3.38
Apr. 3	2.82	3.07	3.22	3.39	3.35	3.38	3.40	3.43
13	3.17	3.38	3.49	3.58	3.49	3.50	3.51	3.52
30	3.40	3.56	3.64	3.67	3.58	3.59	3.61	3.62
May 15	3.34	3.51	3.61	3.65	3.54	3.56	3.58	3.60
31	2.98	3.35	3.56	3.66	3.51	3.52	3.52	3.53
June 15	2.98	3.32	3.49	3.54	3.43	3.42	3.41	3.41
29	2.70	3.12	3.33	3.46	3.39	3.38	3.39	3.40
July 13	2.97	3.30	3.43	3.56	3.48	3.46	3.45	3.44
31	3.20	3.44	3.56	3.68	3.58	3.59	3.60	3.61
Aug. 15	3.69	3.93	3.97	3.95	3.78	3.76	3.75	3.74
31	3.57	3.86	3.89	3.88	3.78	3.77	3.76	3.76
Sept. 15	3.87	3.94	3.96	3.91	3.79	3.78	3.78	3.78
29	3.80	3.95	4.01	4.05	3.87	3.88	3.88	3.88
Oct. 15	3.82	3.97	4.03	4.05	3.86	3.85	3.84	3.84
31	4.03	4.12	4.17	4.19	3.94	3.90	3.87	3.85
Nov. 15	4.11	4.24	4.35	4.41	4.02	3.93	3.90	3.89
30	4.32	4.46	4.50	4.51	4.13	3.98	3.93	3.92
Dec. 14	4.32	4.48	4.51	4.51	4.08	3.97	3.95	3.94
31	4.41	4.56	4.60	4.60	4.10	4.01	4.00	3.99
1957—Jan. 15	4.62	4.84	4.84	4.67	4.23	4.13	4.10	4.08
31	4.74	4.80	4.81	4.79	4.28	4.18	4.16	4.13
Feb. 15	4.43	4.49	4.52	4.54	4.05	4.03	4.02	4.01
28	4.08	4.26	4.38	4.45	4.03	4.00	3.98	3.97
Mar. 15	4.07	4.21	4.29	4.35	4.05	4.01	3.97	3.95
29	4.18	4.29	4.37	4.41	4.13	4.06	3.99	3.95
Apr. 15	4.14	4.34	4.43	4.49	4.20	4.10	4.00	3.94
30	4.18	4.49	4.58	4.61	4.35	4.16	4.01	3.96
May 15	4.25	4.58	4.64	4.64	4.40	4.27	4.15	4.11
31	4.33	4.68	4.74	4.69	4.46	4.31	4.17	4.14
June 15	4.30	4.65	4.73	4.77	4.47	4.30	4.16	4.14
28	4.35	4.72	4.81	4.82	4.56	4.37	4.20	4.18

1. Obtained as indicated by chart below.

NOTE: FOR DATA BACK TO 1952 SEE PAGES 38–39 IN THE "FINANCIAL SUPPLEMENT 1955".

GOVERNMENT OF CANADA THEORETICAL BOND YIELDS



* Free-hand curve which takes into account certain qualitative differences in outstanding issues.

CANADIAN INVESTMENT TRANSACTIONS OF TWELVE LIFE INSURANCE COMPANIES[1]

Millions of Dollars

NET INVESTMENT IN:—		Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	Apr.	May	5 Month Total*	June	July	Aug.	Sept.	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.	Annual Total*
Govt. of Canada Bonds[2]	1954	−6.2	8.0	−14.6	−10.6	−30.0	−53.3	−1.1	−11.4	−0.6	−10.4	7.6	−12.3	−15.2	−96.7
	1955	7.4	−2.6	−11.4	15.8	−10.4	−1.2	−15.1	−8.4	1.3	3.8	5.0	−2.7	−22.2	−39.4
	1956	−10.7	−11.4	−17.9	−26.7	−9.1	−75.7	−24.7	−21.5	−7.6	5.3	−6.3	−6.3	−11.1	−147.8
	1957	−10.1	3.2	−5.2	−11.7	−1.3	−25.1								
Provincial Bonds[2]	1954	2.7	3.7	4.1	1.1	18.3	29.9	−2.5	2.9	−6.4	−3.8	1.2	−4.0	−2.2	15.1
	1955	−4.6	−2.0	16.2	−1.1	−0.6	7.9	−1.0	2.4	−7.9	−1.2	−0.9	−1.6	−0.3	−2.7
	1956	13.6	0.1	−8.5	0.4	12.0	17.6	−5.4	5.9	−3.6	−1.6	3.9	−1.2	2.1	17.7
	1957	1.7	4.5	0.3	13.0	−9.5	10.0								
Municipal Bonds[2]	1954	0.3	0.9	3.0	2.9	1.1	8.2	0.9	3.1	1.2	1.3	1.1	0.6	0.4	16.8
	1955	2.6	2.1	0.9	−1.4	1.0	5.2	2.4	−0.7	3.2	0.7	1.4	2.1	8.1	22.6
	1956	1.7	3.7	0.7	2.8	1.9	10.9	9.7	3.1	0.7	−0.3	1.4	1.3	1.5	28.2
	1957	2.8	4.3	1.8	−0.2	−1.7	7.0								
Corporate & Other Bonds	1954	9.4	5.8	18.7	17.3	3.6	54.8	7.9	6.1	0.2	10.8	−4.7	15.9	1.6	92.5
	1955	1.3	−2.3	8.0	−6.3	23.0	23.7	8.6	−1.1	−4.2	−8.8	−2.2	7.6	11.0	34.7
	1956	31.2	17.2	30.9	21.2	2.3	102.8	6.9	−1.7	8.1	−5.9	3.4	2.6	12.4	128.4
	1957	15.0	7.9	7.7	19.7	3.0	53.3								
Pref. & Com. Stocks	1954	−0.5	−0.5	−0.5	−0.4	−0.3	−2.2	−0.1	−0.6	−0.7	−1.1	0.4	0.2	0.9	−3.2
	1955	0.3	0.3	0.4	0.5	−0.2	1.2	−1.5	−1.5	−0.6	−0.5	−0.5	0.2	4.3	1.1
	1956	0.1	0.5	–	0.1	0.2	0.8	1.3	0.7	−1.0	–	−0.3	−0.2	0.2	1.3
	1957	−0.2	0.7	0.9	0.7	0.1	2.2								
Mortgage Loans (Gross)[3]	1954	22.2	19.0	22.0	21.3	24.8	109.3	29.4	32.6	34.4	38.7	33.0	42.2	37.5	357.1
	1955	33.8	26.8	28.0	23.8	33.7	146.0	38.3	45.5	44.0	46.8	41.0	40.4	39.3	441.3
	1956	35.9	27.6	27.5	27.4	34.5	152.8	46.6	45.7	50.7	45.1	52.5	45.0	40.2	478.6
	1957	37.5	25.6	25.6	24.1	33.8	146.7								
Real Estate[4]	1954	1.0	1.2	0.8	1.8	2.0	6.8	3.4	3.0	1.7	2.6	2.5	2.5	4.7	27.1
	1955	0.7	4.6	5.0	1.2	1.9	13.3	1.9	2.6	3.7	0.9	0.1	2.0	0.4	24.8
	1956	2.5	0.4	1.9	0.5	6.5	11.8	0.9	1.1	1.2	1.5	1.5	1.0	5.1	24.0
	1957	1.2	1.2	1.6	1.8	8.1	13.8								
Policy Loans	1954	1.0	0.8	1.2	1.3	1.2	5.5	1.3	1.0	0.9	1.1	1.0	0.7	0.6	12.1
	1955	0.8	0.6	1.0	0.9	0.8	4.1	0.9	0.7	0.5	0.7	0.6	0.3	0.3	8.1
	1956	0.8	0.9	1.0	1.2	2.0	5.9	2.2	1.5	1.6	1.7	1.8	1.3	0.5	16.5
	1957	1.7	1.9	1.9	2.1	2.0	9.5								
Total[5]	1954	29.9	38.9	34.7	34.7	20.7	159.0	39.2	36.7	30.7	39.2	42.1	45.8	28.3	420.8
	1955	42.3	27.5	48.1	33.4	49.2	200.2	34.5	39.5	40.0	42.4	44.5	48.3	40.9	490.5
	1956	75.1	39.0	35.6	26.9	50.3	226.9	37.5	34.8	50.1	45.8	57.9	43.5	50.9	546.9
	1957	49.6	49.2	34.7	49.5	34.5	217.4								
NET SOURCE OF FUNDS:—															
Mortgage Repayments (Gross)[3]	1954	11.3	10.3	11.8	10.4	11.7	55.4	10.8	12.1	11.5	12.1	12.1	12.7	10.1	136.7
	1955	14.2	11.0	13.1	11.7	14.1	64.2	13.6	13.0	13.5	13.2	14.3	14.4	12.4	158.5
	1956	15.6	12.5	13.2	14.4	17.2	73.0	15.3	17.2	15.0	14.1	22.6	14.9	13.5	185.6
	1957	16.0	12.9	14.1	14.9	15.8	73.7								
Funds Transferred From Abroad	1954	−2.5	–	2.6	−0.7	2.1	1.5	2.4	3.2	2.3	2.6	3.9	2.6	4.4	22.8
	1955	1.6	0.1	3.4	−0.1	4.0	8.9	1.6	4.8	1.4	0.4	6.6	−1.1	12.7	35.5
	1956	17.0	7.2	3.3	−8.5	5.8	24.8	2.0	3.0	9.2	8.1	19.4	7.3	8.9	82.5
	1957	2.3	6.0	4.3	4.3	−0.2	16.6								
Funds From Canadian Insurance Operations★	1954	21.1	28.6	20.3	25.0	6.9	102.1	26.0	21.4	16.9	24.5	26.1	30.5	13.8	261.3
	1955	26.5	16.4	31.6	21.8	31.1	127.1	19.3	21.7	25.1	28.8	23.6	35.0	15.8	296.5
	1956	42.5	19.3	19.1	21.0	27.3	129.1	20.2	14.6	25.9	23.6	15.9	21.3	28.5	278.8
	1957	31.3	30.3	16.3	30.3	18.9	127.1								

1. Data are based on cash transactions affecting ledger assets and taking place in Canadian dollars, by 12 companies whose net premium income in Canada in 1956 was 77.6% of the total for all companies registered under the federal Insurance Acts. Total Canadian assets of these 12 companies at December 31, 1950 to 1956 are shown on page 87. 2. Includes guaranteed bonds. 3. Includes sale agreements. 4. Includes real estate for the production of income. 5. Includes gross mortgage loans. * Figures rounded to the nearest $100,000. Due to rounding, totals may not equal the sum of the monthly components. ★ Balancing item in the table, representing mainly Canadian dollars available from insurance operations *plus* any reduction or *minus* any increase in Canadian dollar cash balances.

NOTE: FOR 1952 AND 1953 DATA SEE PAGE 56 IN THE "FINANCIAL SUPPLEMENT 1955".

INSTALMENT FINANCE COMPANIES: RETAIL AND WHOLESALE FINANCING

Dominion Bureau of Statistics

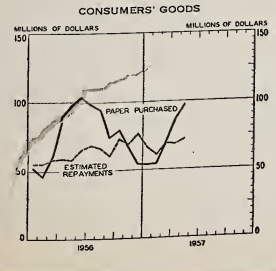
Millions of Dollars

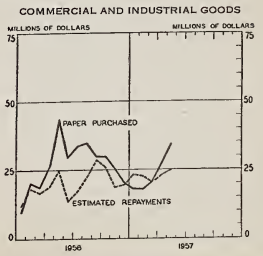
	Consumers' Goods									Commercial and Industrial Goods									Total Retail			
	Paper Purchased			Estimated Repayments [1]			Balances Outstanding (end of period)			Paper Purchased			Estimated Repayments [1]			Balances Outstanding (end of period)						
	Passenger Cars [2]	Other	Total	Passenger Cars [2]	Other	Total	Passenger Cars [2]	Other	Total	Comm. Vehicles [2]	Other	Total	Comm. Vehicles [2]	Other	Total	Comm. Vehicles [2]	Other	Total	Paper Purchased	Estimated Repayments [1]	Balances Outstanding (end of period)	
Calendar Years																						**Calendar Years**
1951	255	45	300	262	55	317	161	24	185	128	40	168	99	32	131	95	33	128	467	447	313	1951
1952	477	114	591	339	64	403	299	74	373	162	66	228	137	52	189	120	47	167	819	592	540	1952
1953	574	145	719	462	114	576	411	105	516	153	76	229	150	62	212	123	61	184	948	787	701	1953
1954	507	124	631	524	131	655	394	98	492	111	63	174	130	64	194	104	60	164	805	850	656	1954
1955	604	156	759	519	132	652	478	121	599	123	95	218	121	70	190	106	85	192	977	842	791	1955
1956	746	179	925	611	157	768	614	143	756	165	159	324	133	104	236	138	141	279	1,248	1,004	1,035	1956
Quarterly																						**Quarterly**
1953—I	122	39	161	89	21	110	332	92	424	31	16	47	39	13	52	112	50	162	208	162	586	I—1953
II	188	42	230	104	28	132	416	106	522	50	27	77	38	15	53	124	62	186	307	185	708	II
III	149	34	183	126	31	157	439	109	548	38	18	56	36	17	53	126	63	189	239	210	737	III
IV	115	30	145	143	34	177	411	105	516	34	15	49	37	17	54	123	61	184	194	230	701	IV
1954—I	104	25	129	123	30	153	392	100	492	25	11	36	34	15	49	114	57	171	165	203	663	I—1954
II	166	28	194	136	32	168	422	96	518	34	20	54	31	15	46	117	62	179	248	214	697	II
III	142	31	173	135	33	168	429	94	523	28	17	45	32	16	48	113	63	176	218	216	699	III
IV	95	40	135	130	36	166	394	98	492	24	15	39	33	18	51	104	60	164	174	217	656	IV
1955—I	101	33	134	106	27	134	388	103	492	19	15	35	33	17	50	91	58	149	168	184	640	I—1955
II	196	34	229	130	35	165	454	102	555	36	27	63	30	13	43	96	72	169	292	208	724	II
III	185	41	226	141	34	175	498	109	607	38	26	64	29	19	48	105	80	185	290	222	792	III
IV	122	48	170	142	36	178	478	121	599	30	24	56	29	21	50	106	85	192	227	228	791	IV
Monthly																						**Monthly**
1956—Jan.			53			55			597			10			12			189	62	67	786	Jan.—1956
Feb.			47			55			588			20			18			192	67	73	780	Feb.
Mar.			66			59	470	127	596			19			17	107	86	193	85	76	790	Mar.
I	127	39	166	135	34	169				27	22	49	26	21	47				214	216		I
Apr.			90			59			627			27			19			201	116	78	828	Apr.
May			98			59			666			43			25			220	141	83	886	May
June			103			66	572	132	703			30			14	124	112	236	133	80	939	June
II	246	45	291	144	40	184				51	49	100	34	24	58				390	241		II
July			99			68			734			34			17			252	132	85	986	July
Aug.			94			67			671			34			22			265	129	89	1,026	Aug.
Sept.			74			61	637	137	775			30			29	137	129	266	104	90	1,040	Sept.
III	221	46	267	156	40	196				47	51	98	35	33	68				365	264		III
Oct.			80			73			781			30			26			270	109	99	1,051	Oct.
Nov.			67			69			779			27			19			278	94	88	1,056	Nov.
Dec.			54			77	614	143	756			20			19	138	141	279	75	96	1,035	Dec.
IV	152	49	201	176	43	219				40	37	77	39	25	64				278	283		IV
957—Jan.			54			67			743			18			23			274	72	90	1,017	Jan.—1957
Feb.			54			61			736			18			23			269	72	84	1,006	Feb.
Mar.			69			69	601	135	736			21			20			270	90	90	1,006	Mar.
I	145	32	177	157	40	197				33	24	57	36	31	66	135	134		234	263		I
Apr.			87			67†			757†			28			23			274	115†	91†	1,031†	Apr.
May			98			72			782			35			25			284	132	97	1,066	May

	Wholesale			Total Retail and Wholesale			Average Repayment Terms on Retail Paper Purchased (months)			
							Consumers' Goods		Commercial and Industrial Goods	
	Paper Purchased	Estimated Repayments [1]	Balances Outstanding (end of period)	Paper Purchased	Estimated Repayments [1]	Balances Outstanding (end of period)	Passenger Cars [2]	Other	Comm. Vehicles [2]	Other
Calendar Years										
1956	1,213	*	182	2,461	*	1,217	20.4	18.4	20.1	19.1
Quarterly										
1956—I	257	*	198	471	*	988	20.0	18.4	19.9	19.6
II	447	419	226	837	660	1,165	20.4	18.6	20.0	18.5
III	241	323	144	606	587	1,184	20.6	18.5	20.3	19.3
IV	268	230	182	546	513	1,217	20.2	18.3	20.0	19.0
1957—I	348	268	261	581	531	1,267	19.6	18.0	19.2	19.5

1. Repayments are estimated by subtracting the net change in balances outstanding during a period from the paper purchased. The figure therefore also includes cancellations and any other adjustments to the two reported series. 2. New and used vehicles. * Not available. † Revised.

RETAIL FINANCING





FOREIGN EXCHANGE RATES[1]

Canadian cents per unit — *Bank of Canada*

Business Days	U.S. Dollar					£ Sterling				
	Spot Rates			Average Noon Rates[2]		Spot Rates			Average Noon Rates[2]	
	High	Low	Close	Spot	90-Day Forward Rate[2]	High	Low	Close	Spot	90-Day Forward Rate[2]
1951	107 5/16	101 3/16	101 3/16	105.28	104.92	300 1/2	281 3/8	281 3/8	294.68	294.71
1952	101 1/4	95 7/8	97 3/32	97.89	98.09	281 1/4	266 3/4	272 9/16	273.40	272.26
1953	99 25/32	96 3/4	97 3/8	98.34	98.66	280 15/16	272 3/8	273 5/8	276.66	277.02
1954	98 3/4	96 11/32	96 19/32	97.32	97.65	278 5/16	269	269	273.39	274.19
1955	100 1/16	96 15/32	99 29/32	98.63	98.62	280 7/16	268 3/4	280 3/32	275.35	274.23
1956	99 31/32	95 21/32	95 31/32	98.41	98.64	280 11/16	266 3/16	267 7/16	275.16	274.13
1956—Apr.	99 7/8	99 7/32	99 15/32	99.68	99.75	280 3/8	278 1/2	279 7/32	279.93	278.31
May	99 15/32	98 7/8	98 15/16	99.18	99.30	279 15/32	277 9/16	277 13/32	278.49	277.27
June	99 1/16	98	98 9/32	98.53	98.75	277 5/8	274	274 15/32	276.16	275.25
July	98 13/32	97 27/32	98 5/32	98.18	98.45	275 3/32	273 3/16	273 1/4	274.30	273.51
Aug.	98 3/16	97 27/32	98 3/32	98.12	98.38	273 15/16	272 1/2	272 29/32	273.11	272.39
Sept.	98 1/16	97 1/16	97 15/32	97.77	98.10	272 7/8	271 3/16	271 1/2	272.14	271.43
Oct.	97 5/8	96 21/32	97 1/4	97.32	97.69	271 7/8	268 31/32	270 5/8	271.06	270.54
Nov.	97 3/16	95 31/32	96 1/8	96.44	96.81	270 7/16	266 9/16	267 7/16	268.36	267.56
Dec.	96 15/32	95 25/32	95 31/32	96.05	96.66	268 5/8	266 13/16	267 7/16	267.54	266.62
1957—Jan.	96 11/32	95 27/32	95 7/8	96.07	96.57	269 1/4	267 11/16	268 1/2	268.63	268.65
Feb.	95 15/16	95 3/4	95 3/4	95.83	96.24	268 1/2	267 13/16	267 13/16	268.21	268.39
Mar.	95 13/16	95 1/2	95 21/32	95.61	96.06	267 27/32	266 1/2	266 21/32	267.10	267.47
Apr.	96 7/32	95 11/16	95 25/32	95.97	96.21	268 11/32	266 5/8	267 13/32	267.71	267.58
May	95 25/32	95 5/16	95 17/32	95.56	95.84	267 17/32	266 1/8	266 1/2	266.76	266.59
June	95 1/2	95 7/32	95 11/32	95.32	95.66	266 1/2	265 19/32	266 3/32	266.02	266.07

1. Rates are as reported on transactions between banks in the exchange market. Noon rates prior to May 6, 1954 are not available and closing rates have been used.
2. The 90-day forward rates are the averages of approximate rates at noon.

NOTE: For data back to 1939 see page 59 in the "Financial Supplement 1954" and page 51 in the "Financial Supplement 1955".

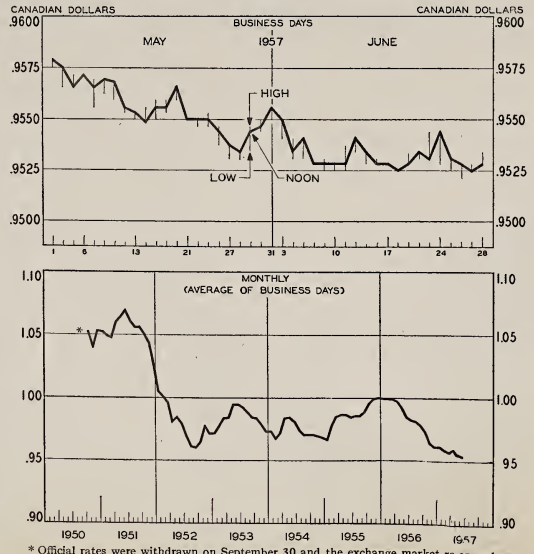
OFFICIAL HOLDINGS OF GOLD AND U.S. DOLLARS[1]

$ mm. U.S. — *Dept. of Finance*

End of Period	Gold	U.S. Dollars	Total
1951	841.7	936.9	1,778.6
1952	885.0	975.2	1,860.2
1953	986.1	832.4	1,818.5
1954	1,072.7	869.9	1,942.6
1955	1,133.9	766.9	1,900.8
1956	1,103.3	832.9	1,936.2
1955—Dec.	1,133.9	766.9	1,900.8
1956—Jan.	1,129.5	749.4	1,878.9
Feb.	1,122.2	755.5	1,877.7
Mar.	1,120.1	751.3	1,871.4
Apr.	1,106.1	759.0	1,865.1
May	1,100.4	785.0	1,885.4
June	1,100.6	798.9	1,899.5
July	1,104.8	788.5	1,893.3
Aug.	1,105.9	777.8	1,883.7
Sept.	1,105.5	798.0	1,903.5
Oct.	1,109.8	803.2	1,913.0
Nov.	1,114.2	818.4	1,932.6
Dec.	1,103.3	832.9	1,936.2
1957—Jan.	1,105.9	824.7	1,930.6
Feb.	1,101.5	818.2	1,919.7
Mar.	1,101.2	822.4	1,923.6
Apr.	1,105.7	796.1	1,901.8
May	1,109.0	823.6	1,932.6
June	1,102.8	839.0	1,941.8

1. Gold, U.S. dollars and short-term securities of the U.S. Gov't. held by the Exchange Fund Account, other Gov't. accounts, and the net holdings of the Bank of Canada.

UNITED STATES DOLLAR IN CANADIAN FUNDS



* Official rates were withdrawn on September 30 and the exchange market re-opened on October 2.

NOTE: For data back to 1945 see pages 60–61 in the "Financial Supplement 1954".

CONSUMER CREDIT OUTSTANDING

Millions of Dollars — ESTIMATES OF SELECTED ITEMS

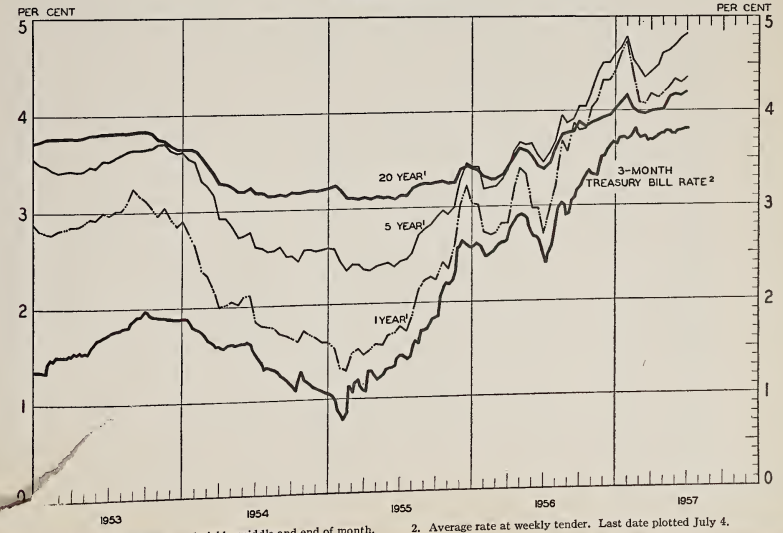
	Charge Accounts[1, 2]	Instalment Credit: Retail Dealers[1, 3]	Instalment Credit: Finance & Loan Companies[4]	Instalment Credit: Total	Cash Personal Loans[5]	Total of Selected Items
1952 — Sept. 30	241	192	334	526	435	1,202
Dec. 31	309	243	373	616	460	1,385
1953 — Mar. 31	283	242	426	668	477	1,428
June 30	268	247	524	771	525	1,564
Sept. 30	269	254	551	805	545	1,619
Dec. 31	339	284	520	804	567	1,710
1954 — Mar. 31	313	278	500	778	576	1,667
June 30	300	284	526	810	615	1,725
Sept. 30	297	285	532	817	635	1,749
Dec. 31	363	322	497	819	661	1,843
1955 — Mar. 31	301	304	497†	801†	675	1,777†
June 30	317	314	561†	875†	743	1,935†
Sept. 30	330	334	613†	947†	779	2,056†
Dec. 31	374	377	605†	982†	830	2,186†
1956 — Mar. 31	332	360	604†	964†	852†	2,148†
June 30	339	367	713†	1,080†	896†	2,315†
Sept. 30	349	377	785†	1,162†	901†	2,412†
Dec. 31	389	409	769	1,178	910	2,477
1957 — Mar. 31*	341	388	751	1,139	886	2,366

SOURCES: Dominion Bureau of Statistics, Department of Insurance, Department of Agriculture and Bank of Canada.
1. Data on retail dealers' charge accounts and instalment credit outstanding are based on a revised series published by D.B.S. Excluded from the above tabulation are the charge accounts and instalment credit of certain categories of dealers whose credit is extended mainly to farmers or other businesses rather than to consumers.
2. Consumers' charge accounts receivables outstanding on the books of retail dealers.
3. Consumers' instalment receivables outstanding on the books of retail dealers.
4. Instalment paper held in connection with the financing of retail purchases of consumer goods, largely new and used automobiles. In addition to the paper held by sales finance and acceptance companies as reported in the D.B.S. publication "Sales Financing" these totals include estimates of instalment paper held by small loan companies and licensed money lenders.
5. Includes estimated personal loans by chartered banks, small loan companies, licensed money lenders and credit unions.

* Preliminary.
† Revised.

NOTE: For data back to 1948 see page 59 in the "Financial Supplement 1955".

INTEREST RATES



1. Vertical government bond yields, middle and end of month.
2. Average rate at weekly tender. Last date plotted July 4.

STOCK MARKET STATISTICS

Toronto, Montreal and Canadian Stock Exchanges; Dominion Bureau of Statistics

	Brokers' Loans 1 (Millions of Dollars)	Market Transactions 1: Volume (Millions of Shares)	Market Transactions 1: Value (Millions of Dollars)	Index Numbers of Common Stock Prices 2 (1935–39 = 100): Investors' Total	Industrials: Total	Industrials: Pulp & Paper	Industrials: Oils	Total Utilities	Golds	Base Metals
1955—Apr.	79.8	219.8	336.6	216.5	222.0	911.0	157.5	185.6	71.1	199.8
May	90.0	124.4	324.1	222.1	227.8	991.4	154.0	191.7	72.8	209.0
June	97.0	195.8	436.0	237.1	244.4	1,044.7	163.6	202.9	75.9	226.0
July	108.3	148.0	355.0	246.5	252.8	1,069.8	169.2	208.9	75.0	241.8
Aug.	102.9	138.8	340.4	245.3	252.3	1,066.9	164.7	207.0	76.3	250.0
Sept.	98.8	144.3	333.6	255.9	265.9	1,098.2	174.1	211.2	75.3	252.0
Oct.	102.2	104.8	287.4	239.9	248.9	1,044.9	164.1	200.6	71.0	224.2
Nov.	107.6	94.0	264.5	245.6	255.3	1,062.5	168.8	201.4	71.2	230.2
Dec.	120.3	101.0	256.9	247.6	257.0	1,073.3	170.8	204.2	72.6	233.0
1956—Jan.	121.5	139.3	247.1	248.5	257.0	1,070.0	175.5	206.5	75.8	238.1
Feb.	123.2	219.1	304.4	249.2	258.1	1,077.3	182.6	204.1	76.7	235.8
Mar.	117.1	212.9	439.3	267.9	280.3	1,153.0	205.2	210.2	79.4	260.2
Apr.	131.3	258.1	479.6	273.0	286.2	1,123.9	210.0	209.3	78.8	269.7
May	129.6	148.1	399.6	268.5	282.9	1,192.5	211.7	204.2	78.8	268.5
June	133.4	103.3	259.4	267.0	283.0	1,146.0	219.4	199.8	76.7	273.1
July	139.3	104.6	309.0	282.4	299.0	1,185.8	234.9	207.9	79.5	291.5
Aug.	136.1	106.0	324.3	291.8	308.9	1,175.3	250.1	215.7	79.5	301.9
Sept.	123.7	81.6	213.3	278.9	294.4	1,077.2	243.7	209.2	74.1	282.2
Oct.	118.3	94.0	239.7	270.3	284.8	1,024.9	236.2	205.1	72.5	273.3
Nov.	103.6	80.4	255.4	262.3	276.0	994.2	239.2	200.3	68.6	262.2
Dec.	102.2	78.4	199.0	267.8	281.7	998.9	244.8	203.6	68.9	267.8
1957—Jan.	97.3	136.8	275.0	273.7	287.3	1,005.3	251.6	207.5	70.6	265.7
Feb.	100.7	108.3	200.3	263.2	276.0	946.4	244.8	203.6	69.3	243.2
Mar.	95.5	128.7	242.3	267.5	281.0	966.4	246.2	209.2	68.1	249.6
Apr.	114.0	124.6	310.9	278.8	294.2	997.0	262.9	212.5	72.4	255.4
May	109.6	117.5	324.4	287.6	304.8	996.4	278.8	216.1	76.2	234.2
June*		100.6		286.9	303.5	998.9	275.6	216.8	80.6	227.7

1. Toronto, Montreal and Canadian Stock Exchanges. Brokers' loan data are for the last business day of the month and include borrowings from chartered banks, trust companies and other sources. Customers' free credit balances are not included. 2. Calculated by the Dominion Bureau of Statistics from Montreal and Toronto exchange quotations. Monthly series is an average of Thursday closing prices during the month. * Preliminary.

PRICE INDEXES

"Prices and Price Indexes", Dominion Bureau of Statistics

	Wholesale Prices: General: Total Index (Mid-Month)	General: Raw and Partly Manufactured	General: Fully & Chiefly Manufactured	Construction: Non-Residential Building Materials	Farm 1: Grains	Farm 1: Livestock	Consumer Prices 2: Total Index (1st of Month)	Food	Shelter	Clothing	Household Operation	Other Commodities & Services
	1935–39 = 100			1949 = 100	1935–39 = 100		1949 = 100					
							100	32	15	11	17	25
Average of Mths.												
1951	**240.2**	237.9	242.4	118.6	217.3	407.8	**113.7**	117.0	114.4	109.8	113.1	111.5
1952	**226.0**	218.7	230.7	123.2	206.2	316.4	**116.5**	116.8	120.2	111.8	116.2	116.0
1953	**220.7**	207.0	228.8	124.4	201.0	288.1	**115.5**	112.6	123.6	110.1	117.0	115.8
1954	**217.0**	204.8	224.2	121.8	187.2	283.3	**116.2**	112.2	126.5	109.4	117.4	117.4
1955	**218.9**	209.7	224.5	123.4	188.0	263.2	**116.4**	112.1	129.4	108.0	116.4	118.1
1956	**225.6**	215.8	231.5	128.0	188.4	265.6	**118.1**	113.4	132.5	108.6	117.1	120.9
Monthly												
1956—Jan.	**222.0**	212.9	227.4	126.3	184.9	248.6	**116.8**	111.5	131.3	108.6	116.5	119.0
Feb.	**222.2**	213.3	227.6	126.5	186.6	245.1	**116.4**	109.9	131.5	108.6	116.7	119.3
Mar.	**223.3**	214.7	228.4	127.0	190.5	240.4	**116.4**	109.1	131.6	108.7	116.8	119.9
Apr.	**224.6**	216.3	229.5	127.1	191.5	241.5	**116.6**	109.7	131.9	108.7	116.6	120.1
May	**225.4**	217.3	230.3	127.2	192.0	252.3	**116.6**	109.3	132.1	108.8	116.5	120.5
June	**226.5**	219.2	231.3	127.5	190.8	272.8	**117.8**	112.5	132.6	108.6	116.7	120.6
July	**226.6**	219.0	231.6	127.2	188.4	278.4	**118.5**	114.4	132.7	108.6	116.7	121.1
Aug.	**227.0**	217.0	233.2	129.4	188.9	280.8	**119.1**	115.9	133.0	108.4	116.8	121.3
Sept.	**227.4**	216.2	234.4	129.2	188.8	284.2	**119.0**	115.5	133.1	108.4	117.1	121.4
Oct.	**227.0**	214.3	234.7	129.8	187.6	277.3	**119.8**	117.4	133.3	108.5	117.7	121.6
Nov.	**226.6**	213.3	234.6	129.5	185.9	281.0	**120.3**	117.9	133.4	108.4	118.1	122.8
Dec.	**228.0**	216.4	235.1	129.7	184.9	284.3	**120.4**	117.5	133.5	108.6	118.6	122.9
1957—Jan.	**229.4**	217.8	236.5	130.0	184.6	287.7	**120.3**	117.1	133.6	107.6	119.0	123.1
Feb.	**228.4**	214.9	236.8	130.1	182.3	287.6	**120.5**	117.2	133.8	107.4	119.1	123.8
Mar.	**228.4**	212.5	237.8	130.1	180.3	278.3	**120.5**	116.4	134.0	108.2	119.5	124.2
Apr.	**228.4**	211.7	238.3	130.1	178.5	281.8	**120.9**	116.7	134.0	108.5	119.4	125.1
May	**228.0**	209.6	238.8	130.2	174.5	283.5	**121.1**	116.7	134.2	108.5	119.2	126.3
June							**121.6**	117.7	134.8	108.4	119.1	126.5

1. Two sub-groups of the General Wholesale Price Index.
2. Components were selected and weighted on the basis of 1948 urban family incomes ranging from $1,650 to $4,050 with incomes between $2,000 and $3,000 most common.

NOTE: For the years 1952–1955 see page 86 in the "Financial Supplement 1955".

LABOUR FORCE STATUS OF THE POPULATION[1]

Thousands of Persons *"The Labour Force", Dominion Bureau of Statistics; Department of National Defence*

Survey Week Ending	Persons With Jobs: Agriculture	Non-Agricultural Industries	Total	Of Which On Temporary Lay-off and Short-time 2	Without Jobs and Seeking Work 3: Thousands	Percentage of Labour Force	Total Civilian Labour Force	Civilian Non-Institutional Population (14 years of age and over)	Armed Forces	Civilian Labour Force Participation Ratio 4: Total	Male	Female
1955—Sept. 17	844	4,651	5,495	*44*	138	2.4	5,633	10,574	117	53.3	82.4	24.3
Oct. 22	774	4,703	5,477	*40*	142	2.5	5,619	10,590	117	53.1	82.3	24.1
Nov. 19	728	4,691	5,419	*54*	162	2.9	5,581	10,602	117	52.6	81.2	24.3
Dec. 10	713	4,675	5,388	*67*	200	3.6	5,588	10,610	117	52.7	81.0	24.6
1956—Jan. 21	688	4,543	5,231	*74*	286	5.2	5,517	10,626	116	51.9	80.2	23.9
Feb. 18	678	4,538	5,216	*73*	308	5.6	5,524	10,635	117	51.9	80.3	23.9
Mar. 24	679	4,562	5,241	*66*	295	5.3	5,536	10,646	117	52.0	80.1	24.1
Apr. 21	764	4,562	5,326	*51*	257	4.6	5,583	10,663	117	52.4	80.7	24.3
May 19	817	4,682	5,499	*37*	165	2.9	5,664	10,680	116	53.0	81.9	24.4
June 23	804	4,843	5,647	*35*	117	2.0	5,764	10,699	116	53.9	83.1	24.9
July 21	897	4,892	5,789	*33*	102	1.7	5,891	10,714	116	55.0	85.3	25.0
Aug. 18	946	4,877	5,823	*36*	103	1.7	5,926	10,733	116	55.2	85.5	25.2
Sept. 22	841	4,835	5,676	*45*	97	1.7	5,773	10,752	117	53.7	82.7	25.0
Oct. 20	794	4,880	5,674	*39*	98	1.7	5,772	10,771	117	53.6	82.3	25.2
Nov. 17	693	4,937	5,630	*47*	135	2.3	5,765	10,791	117	53.4	81.7	25.5
Dec. 15	680	4,875	5,555	*59*	186	3.2	5,741	10,815	117	53.1	81.0	25.5
1957—Jan. 19	671	4,722	5,393	*74*	303	5.3	5,696	10,842	117	52.5	80.4	25.0
Feb. 16	654	4,708	5,362	*80*	323	5.7	5,685	10,861	117	52.3	80.4	24.6
Mar. 16	671	4,702	5,373	*87*	343	6.0	5,716	10,884	117	52.5	80.5	24.9
Apr. 20	706	4,736	5,442	*71*	306	5.3	5,748	10,926	117	52.6	80.7	24.9
May 18	773	4,914	5,687	*57*	194	3.3	5,881	10,968	116	53.6	82.1	25.5

1. The estimates are based on a sample of about 30,000 households and are therefore subject to sampling error which is relatively larger the smaller the estimate. Data not seasonally adjusted.
2. Includes those laid off for part of the week or on lay-off during the entire week, with definite instructions to return to their jobs within 30 days of the date on which lay-off began, provided they did not look for work during the survey week.
3. Includes persons who, though having jobs, did not work during the entire week and looked for work or would have looked for work only they were temporarily ill, on indefinite or prolonged lay-off or believed no work was available.
4. Civilian labour force as a percentage of civilian non-institutional population 14 years of age and over.

NOTE: For the years 1946–1955 see pages 84–85 in the "Financial Supplement 1955".

EMPLOYMENT AND LABOUR INCOME

"Employment and Payrolls", "Man-Hours and Hourly Earnings" and "Estimates of Labour Income", Dominion Bureau of Statistics

	Employment Indexes 1, 2: Manufacturing	Mining	Average Hours Worked 1, 3: Manufacturing	Mining	Average Hourly Earnings 1, 3, 4: Manufacturing	Mining	Monthly Labour Income 4: Total 5	Manufacturing	Construction	All Other 6
	Index 1949 = 100		Hours per week		Cents		Millions of Dollars			
Monthly Average										
1951	108.0	110.6	41.8	43.1	116.8	133.4	810	272	52	486
1952	109.3	116.8	41.5	42.7	129.2	147.1	906	303	63	540
1953	113.3	111.7	41.3	42.7	135.8	153.8	976	329	70	577
1954	107.7	109.8	40.6	42.6	140.8	157.3	1,000	323	69	608
1955	109.3	113.4	41.0	43.2	144.5	161.1	1,068	342	78	648
1956	115.4	122.0	41.1	42.9	151.5	171.4	1,190	379	93	718
1956—Jan.	109.8	114.4	39.0	42.0	147.5	165.1	1,077	349	71	657
Feb.	110.2	114.4	41.2	43.8	147.3	166.2	1,090	358	69	663
Mar.	112.3	115.9	41.3	44.0	148.5	166.8	1,094	365	70	659
Apr.	113.4	117.3	41.1	42.6	150.5	168.5	1,126	371	79	676
May	114.1	116.9	41.4	42.7	151.1	169.0	1,169	377	92	700
June	115.4	123.0	40.9	42.8	151.9	170.5	1,215	381	105	729
July	118.0	126.1	41.2	42.4	152.7	172.0	1,223	382	105	736
Aug.	117.9	128.2	40.8	42.6	152.4	172.7	1,236	382	108	746
Sept.	118.0	128.6	41.1	42.7	152.1	173.8	1,268	392	110	766
Oct.	118.6	126.5	41.5	43.6	153.3	176.2	1,273	394	114	765
Nov.	118.6	126.9	41.6	42.5	154.7	177.3	1,265	397	101	767
Dec.	118.0	125.4	41.5	43.1	155.5	179.0	1,248	397	90	761
1957—Jan.	114.8	122.7	37.9	40.7	158.0	181.6	1,197	384	76	737
Feb.	115.1	124.1	40.9	42.9	157.5	181.6	1,205	389	74	742
Mar.	115.0	124.7†	40.9	43.1	157.6	182.7	1,205	393	73	739
Apr.	115.4	123.3	41.1	42.3	158.7	183.5	1,217	395	82	740
May*	115.8									

1. As reported by employers usually having 15 or more employees. Dated first of month and covering the last pay period in the previous month.
2. Coverage, including salaried and part time workers at Apr. 1, 1957, was Manufacturing, 1,200,775; Mining, 109,715.
3. Include hourly rated wage earners only.
4. Gross earnings before deductions for taxes, unemployment insurance, etc.
5. Wages and salaries and includes bonuses and commissions, food, clothing, shelter and contributions to insurance, pensions, etc. provided by employer.
6. Includes all supplementary labour income. † Revised. * Preliminary.

NOTE: For the years 1952–1955 see page 83 in the "Financial Supplement 1955".

NATIONAL ACCOUNTS: QUARTERLY[1]

DATA NOT SEASONALLY ADJUSTED

Dominion Bureau of Statistics

Millions of Dollars

	First Quarter				Second Quarter				Third Quarter				Fourth Quarter				Years			
	1954	1955	1956*	1957*	1953	1954	1955	1956*	1953	1954	1955	1956*	1953	1954	1955	1956*	1953	1954	1955	1956*
NATIONAL INCOME AND GROSS NATIONAL PRODUCT																				
Wages, salaries and supplementary labour income	2,856	2,969	3,261	3,607	2,904	2,948	3,150	3,510	3,004	3,075	3,315	3,727	3,012	3,115	3,376	3,786	11,715	11,994	12,810	14,284
Military pay and allowances	83	93	93	108	77	92	100	106	79	95	101	113	83	97	100	112	309	367	394	424
Investment income	817	876	1,070	1,083	1,019	956	1,123	1,276	1,014	995	1,229	1,290	864	893	1,111	1,146	3,782	3,661	4,339	4,782
Net income of unincorporated business: farm [2]	59	−17	−2	36	113	147	198	111	1,374	740	1,063	1,267	146	201	160	232	1,652	1,147	1,404	1,608
other [3]	319	347	376	393	448	418	460	497	440	432	478	537	442	456	508	541	1,675	1,625	1,793	1,951
Net National Income At Factor Cost	**4,134**	**4,268**	**4,798**	**5,227**	**4,561**	**4,561**	**5,031**	**5,500**	**5,911**	**5,337**	**6,186**	**6,934**	**4,547**	**4,762**	**5,255**	**5,817**	**19,133**	**18,794**	**20,740**	**23,049**
Indirect taxes less subsidies	724	756	855	956	733	741	800	909	744	734	831	912	740	748	851	925	2,907	2,947	3,238	3,601
Depreciation and similar business costs [4]	613	652	710	778	600	673	712	780	607	675	744	819	664	712	770	842	2,418	2,673	2,878	3,151
Residual error of estimate	−74	+63	+18	−23	−75	−6	−3	−58	+25	−14	−23	−11	+71	+16	+23	+116	+15	−78	+60	+65
G.N.P. At Market Prices	**5,397**	**5,739**	**6,381**	**6,938**	**5,819**	**5,969**	**6,540**	**7,131**	**7,287**	**6,732**	**7,738**	**8,654**	**6,022**	**6,238**	**6,899**	**7,700**	**24,473**	**24,336**	**26,916**	**29,866**
G.N.P. less accrued net income of farm operators	5,338	5,756	6,383	6,902	5,706	5,822	6,342	7,020	5,913	5,992	6,675	7,387	5,876	6,037	6,739	7,468	22,821	23,189	25,512	28,258
GROSS NATIONAL EXPENDITURE																				
Personal expenditure on consumer goods and services	3,575	3,862	4,202	4,520	3,792	3,967	4,314	4,617	3,666	3,890	4,169	4,518	4,193	4,449	4,794	5,219	15,112	15,881	17,139	18,556
Government expenditure on goods and services: non-defence [5]	540	652	699	785	482	645	648	744	738	808	878	1,054	674	693	794	912	2,481	2,686	2,972	3,409
defence [6]	528	520	490	520	401	360	390	394	452	399	413	448	464	440	433	468	1,907	1,727	1,756	1,800
Gross domestic investment [7]: housing [8]	206	255	296	265	273	283	375	422	302	334	428	436	296	343	423	402	1,061	1,166	1,481	1,556
non-residential construction	356	366	436	540	412	398	426	589	523	475	544	789	460	430	511	735	1,706	1,659	1,847	2,549
machinery and equipment	439	401	519	640	592	585	563	729	520	421	489	629	439	396	494	635	2,073	1,841	1,947	2,512
change in inventories: business [9]	+99	+198	+377	+323	+221	−5	+9	+227	+146	−99	+66	+33	−76	−140	+46	+105	+395	−145	+319	+742
other [9]	−236	−285	−267	−265	−232	−100	−13	−203	+984	+479	+813	+953	−311	−273	−324	−286	+196	−130	+191	+197
Exports of goods and services [10, 11]	1,090	1,217	1,342	1,398	1,399	1,278	1,437	1,627	1,478	1,400	1,581	1,719	1,369	1,379	1,518	1,622	5,400	5,147	5,753	6,310
Gross Available Supply	**6,597**	**7,186**	**8,094**	**8,726**	**7,340**	**7,411**	**8,149**	**9,146**	**8,809**	**8,107**	**9,381**	**10,579**	**7,508**	**7,717**	**8,689**	**9,812**	**30,331**	**29,832**	**33,405**	**37,631**
Less: Imports of goods and services [11]	1,274	1,385	1,695	1,811	1,597	1,448	1,612	2,072	1,496	1,389	1,666	1,935	1,415	1,463	1,767	1,997	5,843	5,574	6,430	7,699
Residual error of estimate	+74	−62	−18	+23	+76	+6	+3	+57	−26	+14	+23	+10	−71	−16	−23	−115	−15	+78	−59	−66
G.N.E. At Market Prices	**5,397**	**5,729**	**6,381**	**6,938**	**5,819**	**5,969**	**6,540**	**7,131**	**7,287**	**6,732**	**7,738**	**8,654**	**6,022**	**6,238**	**6,899**	**7,700**	**24,473**	**24,336**	**26,916**	**29,866**
GROSS NATIONAL EXPENDITURE IN CONSTANT (1949) DOLLARS																				
Personal expenditure on consumer goods and services	3,032	3,255	3,533	3,666	3,256	3,359	3,663	3,888	3,113	3,276	3,537	3,764	3,572	3,769	4,070	4,317	12,905	13,436	14,525	15,502
Government expenditure on goods and services [5, 6]	816	873	845	862	696	758	757	781	934	919	951	1,046	881	855	883	945	3,452	3,348	3,464	3,617
Gross domestic investment [7]: housing [8]	162	197	219	182	215	221	287	310	236	260	323	318	231	266	317	293	832	909	1,124	1,140
non-residential construction	268	275	307	369	312	302	319	412	396	363	402	551	346	329	368	508	1,287	1,262	1,364	1,778
machinery and equipment	359	324	396	463	495	471	457	555	429	343	392	476	361	320	382	463	1,725	1,493	1,555	1,890
change in inventories: business	+130	+144	+259	+239	+181	−3	−13	+111	+90	−60	+12	−28	−41	−131	−33	+26	+328	−64	+110	+368
other	−270	−329	−308	−309	−271	−145	−81	−252	+1,197	+493	+1,045	+1,162	−403	−283	−359	−251	+256	−205	+276	+251
Exports of goods and services [10, 11]	993	1,084	1,143	1,164	1,254	1,152	1,249	1,377	1,336	1,265	1,366	1,451	1,247	1,261	1,299	1,367	4,856	4,671	4,998	5,338
Gross Available Supply	**5,490**	**5,823**	**6,394**	**6,636**	**6,138**	**6,115**	**6,638**	**7,182**	**7,731**	**6,859**	**8,028**	**8,740**	**6,194**	**6,386**	**6,927**	**7,568**	**25,641**	**24,850**	**27,416**	**29,884**
Less: Imports of goods and services [11]	1,162	1,246	1,455	1,528	1,443	1,305	1,443	1,782	1,351	1,256	1,489	1,675	1,283	1,335	1,543	1,725	5,297	5,058	5,721	6,637
Residual error of estimate	+61	−50	−14	+27	+63	+5	+2	+44	−21	+11	+18	+8	−59	−13	−18	−90	−12	+64	−48	−52
G.N.E. At Market Prices	**4,389**	**4,527**	**4,925**	**5,135**	**4,758**	**4,815**	**5,197**	**5,444**	**6,359**	**5,614**	**6,557**	**7,073**	**4,852**	**5,038**	**5,366**	**5,753**	**20,332**	**19,856**	**21,647**	**23,195**
PERSONAL INCOME AND EXPENDITURE																				
Wages, salaries and supplementary labour income	2,856	2,969	3,261	3,607	2,904	2,948	3,150	3,510	3,004	3,075	3,315	3,727	3,012	3,115	3,376	3,786	11,715	11,994	12,810	14,284
Less: Social insurance and Government pension fund contributions [12]	95	100	111	123	97	98	103	115	98	100	107	119	100	103	113	119	390	396	423	464
Military pay and allowances	83	93	93	108	77	92	100	106	79	95	101	113	83	97	100	112	309	367	394	424
Net income of unincorporated business [13]	383	309	370	449	598	574	675	614	1,736	1,151	1,528	1,784	654	668	663	771	3,332	2,776	3,175	3,539
Interest, dividends and net rental income of persons [14]	404	463	480	526	426	462	489	534	413	444	484	517	425	473	521	566	1,649	1,783	1,957	2,097
Transfer payments to persons [15]	488	548	554	605	358	400	433	435	359	393	407	421	364	404	400	416	1,517	1,685	1,788	1,826
Personal Income	**4,119**	**4,282**	**4,647**	**5,172**	**4,266**	**4,378**	**4,744**	**5,084**	**5,493**	**5,058**	**5,728**	**6,443**	**4,438**	**4,654**	**4,947**	**5,532**	**18,132**	**18,209**	**19,701**	**21,706**
Less: Personal direct taxes [16]	339	360	400	466	415	392	377	459	323	341	371	426	336	365	383	435	1,432	1,437	1,491	1,720
Personal Disposable Income	**3,780**	**3,922**	**4,247**	**4,706**	**3,851**	**3,986**	**4,367**	**4,625**	**5,170**	**4,717**	**5,357**	**6,017**	**4,102**	**4,289**	**4,564**	**5,097**	**16,700**	**16,772**	**18,210**	**19,986**
Expenditure on goods: non-durables	1,917	2,111	2,310	2,476	2,105	2,187	2,367	2,506	2,109	2,232	2,348	2,550	2,495	2,661	2,847	3,147	8,581	8,997	9,673	10,513
durables	396	381	428	457	495	467	545	605	419	406	487	516	452	425	506	512	1,790	1,694	1,919	2,061
Expenditure on services (including net expenditures abroad)	1,262	1,370	1,464	1,587	1,192	1,313	1,402	1,506	1,138	1,252	1,334	1,452	1,246	1,363	1,441	1,560	4,741	5,190	5,547	5,982
Personal saving: in farm inventories	−192	−227	−229	−258	−153	−67	−9	−195	+871	+462	+765	+926	−399	−318	−318	−333	+50	−115	+211	+169
other	+397	+287	+274	+444	+212	+86	+62	+203	+633	+365	+423	+573	+308	+158	+88	+211	+1,538	+1,006	+860	+1,261

For footnotes see pages 192–193.

NOTE: For data back to 1st Quarter 1952 see pages 68-69 in the "Financial Supplement 1955". For annual data back to 1926 for some of these series see page 88 in the "Financial Supplement 1954".

NATIONAL ACCOUNTS: QUARTERLY[1]
SEASONALLY ADJUSTED AT ANNUAL RATES[17]

Dominion Bureau of Statistics

Millions of Dollars

	1953			1954				1955				1956*				1957*
	II	III	IV	I	II	III	IV	I	II	III	IV	I	II	III	IV	I
NATIONAL INCOME AND GROSS NATIONAL PRODUCT																
Wages, salaries and supplementary labour income	11,744	11,804	11,792	11,836	11,876	12,048	12,216	12,360	12,672	12,976	13,232	13,636	14,108	14,560	14,832	15,076
Military pay and allowances	308	316	332	332	368	380	388	372	400	404	400	372	424	452	448	432
Investment income	3,880	3,700	3,704	3,596	3,696	3,620	3,732	3,864	4,304	4,512	4,676	4,748	4,784	4,736	4,860	4,788
Net income of unincorporated business: farm [2]	1,572	1,660	1,736	1,204	1,120	1,104	1,160	1,312	1,448	1,412	1,444	1,576	1,584	1,568	1,704	1,388
other [3]	1,700	1,668	1,636	1,624	1,616	1,604	1,656	1,752	1,776	1,812	1,832	1,916	1,920	2,012	1,956	2,008
Net National Income At Factor Cost	**19,204**	**19,148**	**19,200**	**18,592**	**18,676**	**18,756**	**19,152**	**19,660**	**20,600**	**21,116**	**21,584**	**22,248**	**22,820**	**23,328**	**23,800**	**23,692**
Indirect taxes less subsidies	2,952	2,928	2,868	2,960	2,956	2,904	2,968	3,096	3,192	3,284	3,380	3,480	3,628	3,604	3,692	3,880
Depreciation and similar business costs [4]	2,380	2,440	2,556	2,580	2,688	2,688	2,736	2,772	2,844	2,920	2,976	3,048	3,112	3,176	3,268	3,340
Residual error of estimate	−204	+184	+92	−120	−172	−64	+44	+204	−12	+76	−28	−50	−10	+122	+200	−2
G.N.P. At Market Prices	**24,332**	**24,700**	**24,716**	**24,012**	**24,148**	**24,284**	**24,900**	**25,732**	**26,624**	**27,396**	**27,912**	**28,726**	**29,550**	**30,230**	**30,960**	**30,910**
G.N.P. less accrued net income of farm operators	22,760	23,040	22,980	22,808	23,028	23,180	23,740	24,420	25,176	25,984	26,468	27,150	27,966	28,662	29,256	29,522
GROSS NATIONAL EXPENDITURE																
Personal expenditure on consumer goods and services	15,040	15,120	15,296	15,444	15,772	16,064	16,244	16,488	17,020	17,332	17,716	17,936	18,284	18,808	19,196	19,492
Government expenditure on goods and services [5, 6]	4,436	4,504	4,324	4,272	4,460	4,440	4,480	4,632	4,680	4,772	4,828	4,700	5,192	5,548	5,396	5,360
Gross domestic investment [7]: housing [8]	1,056	1,080	1,108	1,112	1,092	1,196	1,264	1,376	1,444	1,532	1,572	1,584	1,612	1,548	1,480	1,420
non-residential construction	1,688	1,776	1,760	1,724	1,640	1,624	1,648	1,776	1,772	1,856	1,984	2,228	2,476	2,664	2,828	2,764
machinery and equipment	2,088	2,128	1,888	1,876	1,972	1,776	1,740	1,748	1,884	2,040	2,116	2,268	2,452	2,624	2,704	2,828
change in inventories: business [9]	+500	+420	+312	+292	−396	−400	−76	+276	−16	+528	+488	+992	+856	+396	+724	+560
other [9]	−100	+112	+540	−268	−156	−128	+32	+104	+224	+212	+224	+292	−32	+144	+384	+48
Exports of goods and services [10, 11]	5,512	5,636	5,160	4,948	5,108	5,176	5,356	5,560	5,680	5,868	5,904	6,156	6,392	6,348	6,344	6,416
Gross Available Supply	**30,220**	**30,776**	**30,388**	**29,400**	**29,492**	**29,748**	**30,688**	**31,960**	**32,688**	**34,140**	**34,832**	**36,156**	**37,232**	**38,080**	**39,056**	**38,888**
Less: Imports of goods and services [11]	6,092	5,896	5,576	5,508	5,516	5,528	5,744	6,028	6,080	6,668	6,944	7,480	7,692	7,728	7,896	7,980
Residual error of estimate	+204	−180	−96	+120	+172	+64	−44	−200	+16	−76	+24	+50	+10	−122	−200	+2
G.N.E. At Market Prices	**24,332**	**24,700**	**24,716**	**24,012**	**24,148**	**24,284**	**24,900**	**25,732**	**26,624**	**27,396**	**27,912**	**28,726**	**29,550**	**30,230**	**30,960**	**30,910**
PERSONAL INCOME AND EXPENDITURE																
Wages, salaries and supplementary labour income	11,744	11,804	11,792	11,836	11,876	12,048	12,216	12,360	12,672	12,976	13,232	13,636	14,108	14,560	14,832	15,076
Less: Social insurance and Government pension contributions [12]	392	392	388	388	396	400	400	408	416	428	440	452	464	476	464	504
Military pay and allowances	308	316	332	332	368	380	388	372	400	404	400	372	424	452	448	432
Net income of unincorporated business [13]	3,396	3,196	3,552	2,852	2,780	2,608	2,864	2,976	3,292	3,172	3,260	3,476	3,528	3,500	3,652	3,476
Interest, dividends and net rental income of persons [14]	1,656	1,668	1,652	1,702	1,776	1,812	1,824	1,968	1,880	1,976	2,004	2,044	2,056	2,112	2,176	2,240
Transfer payments to persons [15]	1,488	1,552	1,596	1,604	1,668	1,700	1,768	1,808	1,812	1,772	1,760	1,824	1,816	1,836	1,828	1,992
Personal Income	**18,200**	**18,144**	**18,536**	**17,956**	**18,072**	**18,148**	**18,660**	**19,076**	**19,640**	**19,872**	**20,216**	**20,900**	**21,468**	**21,984**	**22,472**	**22,712**
Less: Personal direct taxes [16]	1,484	1,452	1,408	1,392	1,452	1,416	1,488	1,472	1,400	1,540	1,552	1,616	1,708	1,776	1,780	1,892
Personal Disposable Income	**16,716**	**16,692**	**17,128**	**16,564**	**16,620**	**16,732**	**17,172**	**17,604**	**18,240**	**18,332**	**18,664**	**19,284**	**19,760**	**20,208**	**20,692**	**20,820**
Expenditure on goods: non-durables	8,568	8,596	8,604	8,652	8,976	9,156	9,204	9,324	9,612	9,760	9,996	10,196	10,272	10,668	10,916	11,132
durables	1,788	1,760	1,776	1,784	1,664	1,660	1,668	1,720	1,916	2,008	2,032	1,948	2,100	2,112	2,084	2,052
Expenditure on services (including net expenditure abroad)	4,684	4,764	4,916	5,008	5,132	5,248	5,372	5,444	5,492	5,564	5,688	5,792	5,912	6,028	6,196	6,308
Total Personal Saving	**+1,676**	**+1,572**	**+1,832**	**+1,120**	**+848**	**+668**	**+928**	**+1,116**	**+1,220**	**+1,000**	**+948**	**+1,348**	**+1,476**	**+1,400**	**+1,496**	**+1,328**

1. Quarterly figures are available back to the beginning of 1947. The sources are the D.B.S. publications: "National Accounts, Income and Expenditure, By Quarters, 1947–1952" and "National Accounts, Income and Expenditure, First Quarter, 1956" and "First Quarter, 1957".
2. Accrued net income of farm operators from farm production. This item includes the undistributed earnings of the Canadian Wheat Board, and an inventory valuation adjustment for grain held by the Board.
3. Includes net income of independent professional practitioners.
4. Includes an estimate of capital outlay charged to current account, the claim portion of fire insurance premiums, and bad debt allowances.
5. Includes expenditure by Federal, Provincial and Municipal governments. Capital expenditure by government bodies other than public business enterprises, changes in inventories of government commodity agencies.
6. The Defence Production Revolving Fund is included in this item. However, shipments under NATO of previously produced military equipment are excluded but expenditure for the replacement of new equipment is included.
7. Includes capital expenditure by government business enterprises.
8. In 1955, data were based on a redesigned and enlarged sample and some discontinuity with previous years may exist.
9. Change in business inventories is the change in the book value. Change in "other inventories" is the value of the physical change in grain in commercial channels and inventories on farms.
10. Excludes exports financed by Government of Canada expenditure on Mutual Aid and foreign relief.
11. Minor adjustments have been made by D.B.S. to the figures of current receipts and payments as shown in the "Canadian Balance of International Payments" to achieve consistency with National Accounts concepts.
12. Includes both employer and employee contributions.
13. This item differs from the corresponding component of G.N.P. in that it excludes undistributed earnings (and inventory valuation adjustment) of the Canadian Wheat Board.
14. Includes all government debt interest paid to persons.
15. Includes transfer payments made by governments (except interest paid on transfer portion of the public debt), charitable donations from corporations and net bad debt losses of the corporations. In the G.N.P. account the latter are included in the item "Depreciation and Similar Business Costs" and amounted to an average of 7 (unadjusted) and 26 (adjusted at annual rates) per quarter over the last 16 quarters.
16. Includes succession duties and miscellaneous taxes as well as personal income taxes.
17. Note on Seasonal Adjustment:

Except in the case of crop production seasonal adjustments are based on normal seasonal patterns, and the effects of abnormal seasonal influences, as well as of all non-seasonal influences, are left in the seasonally-adjusted figures. In the case of crop production the annual value is divided equally between the four quarters of the calendar year.

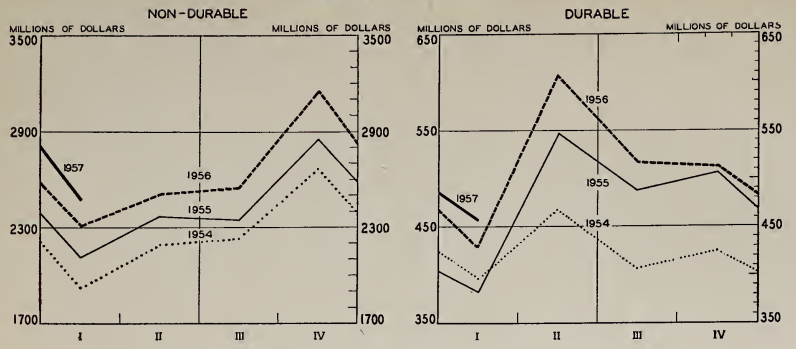
* Preliminary.

NOTE: For data back to 1st Quarter 1952 see pages 70-71 in the "Financial Supplement 1955". For quarterly data back to 1947 for some of these series see page 89 in the "Financial Supplement 1954".

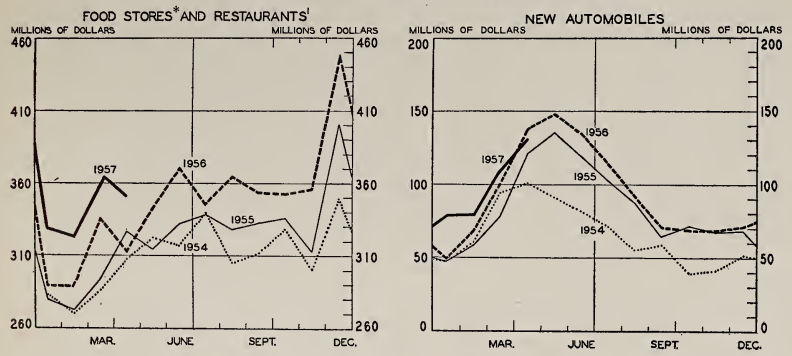
CONSUMER EXPENDITURE ON GOODS

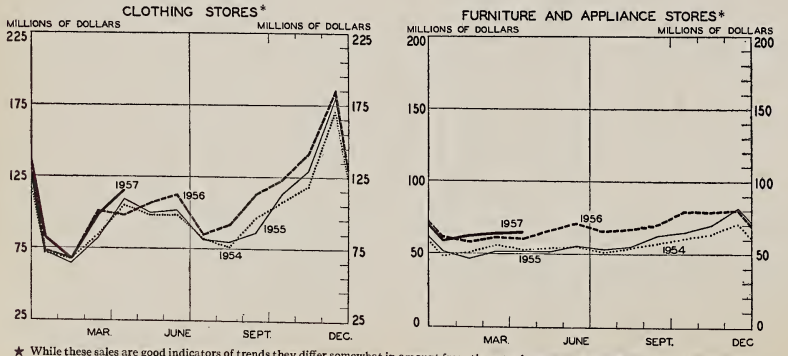
Dominion Bureau of Statistics

QUARTERLY ESTIMATES



TOTAL MONTHLY SALES OF SELECTED RETAIL OUTLETS★





★ While these sales are good indicators of trends they differ somewhat in amount from the actual consumer expenditure on the items selected.

* Includes department store sales in these categories.

1. Consists of grocery and combination stores, other food and beverage stores, and restaurants.

NEW PASSENGER AUTOMOBILE STATISTICS[1]

Thousands of Units — *"Ward's Automotive Reports" and Dominion Bureau of Statistics*

	Cdn. Passenger Automobiles		Imports of New Passenger Automobiles[3]				Total Domestic Supply	Domestic Sales		Apparent Change in Stocks[5]	Total Registrations (New and Used)
	Production	*Less:* Exports[2]	From U.S.A.	From U.K.	From all other Countries	Total Imports		Total	*% Financed*[4]		
Annual Totals											
1948	167.8	31.5	2.8	14.2	–	17.0	153.3	145.7	*20.5*	+7.6	1,496.8
1949	193.0	16.5	3.6	31.2	0.5	35.3	211.8	202.3	*26.3*	+9.5	1,672.4
1950	282.7	24.6	3.2	77.6	0.9	81.7	339.8	324.9	*29.9*	+14.9	1,906.9
1951	281.6	39.6	14.1	25.7	–	39.8	281.8	275.7	*29.6*	+6.1	2,097.6
1952	284.6	38.1	13.8	19.8	1.1	34.7	281.2	292.1	*42.8*	−10.9	2,296.4
1953	366.5	40.4	23.5	28.1	1.5	53.1	379.2	359.2	*40.8*	+20.0	2,513.8
1954	285.6	19.7	18.0	17.5	3.0	38.4	304.3	310.5	*40.6*	−6.2	2,688.5
1955	377.6	25.7	27.4	15.0	6.1	48.5	400.4	387.0	*40.4*	+13.4	2,935.4
1956**	373.7	25.0	38.8	20.7	16.6	76.1	424.9	407.7	*46.6*	+17.1	*
Quarterly											
1954—I	105.9	6.4	5.5	3.8	0.4	9.7	109.2	78.8	*35.0*	+30.4	*
II	93.3	8.1	7.5	8.8	1.0	17.3	102.5	107.2	*38.8*	−4.7	*
III	40.9	5.0	1.8	2.9	0.8	5.5	41.4	72.8	*46.6*	−31.4	*
IV	45.4	0.2	3.1	2.0	0.8	5.9	51.1	51.8	*44.5*	−0.7	*
1955—I	99.3	4.4	6.4	2.5	0.7	9.6	104.5	70.8	*34.5*	+33.7	*
II	134.3	11.7	6.2	6.1	2.0	14.3	136.9	144.2	*36.0*	−7.3	*
III	73.1	5.6	8.0	3.9	1.6	13.6	81.1	98.4	*49.5*	−17.3	*
IV	70.9	4.0	6.8	2.4	1.8	11.0	77.9	73.5	*41.6*	+4.4	*
1956—I	85.9†	6.8	21.9	4.6	3.7	30.3	109.4†	76.7	*37.9*†	+32.7†	*
II	135.8	9.0	12.3	8.4	4.7	25.3	152.1	152.7	*41.7*	−0.6	*
III**	58.0	5.7	1.0	3.6	3.6	8.2	60.6	102.4	*56.3*	−41.8	*
IV**	94.0	3.5	3.6	4.1	4.6	12.3	102.8	76.0	*52.2*	+26.8	*
1957—I**	105.8	5.6	6.5	4.8	5.2	16.5	116.7	91.3	*37.4*	+25.4	*

1. Includes Newfoundland commencing in 1949. 2. Manufacturers' shipments for export. 3. Less re-exports, assumed to be entirely of other than U.S.A. origin. 4. Data on domestic sales financed include only financing through sales finance companies. 5. In the hands of manufacturers, wholesalers and retailers. A limited number of new automobiles pass into use without being reported in sales of new vehicles (e.g. dealers' demonstration models). Thus the "Apparent Change in Stocks" contains an upward bias which makes any cumulative estimate unreliable, especially over periods longer than one year.
† Revised. * Not available. ** Preliminary.

NEW COMMERCIAL VEHICLE STATISTICS[1]

Thousands of Units — *"Ward's Automotive Reports" and Dominion Bureau of Statistics*

	Cdn. Commercial Vehicles		Imports of New Commercial Vehicles[3]				Total Domestic Supply	Domestic Sales		Apparent Change in Stocks[5]	Total Registrations (New and Used)
	Production	*Less:* Exports[2]	From U.S.A.	From U.K.	From All other Countries	Total Imports		Total	*% Financed*[4]		
Annual Totals											
1948	95.8	23.4	1.5	2.1	–	3.6	76.0	75.6	*29.0*	+0.4	504.2
1949	98.0	13.3	1.2	2.2	–	3.4	88.1	84.0	*33.7*	+4.1	578.3
1950	105.4	9.2	1.6	5.2	–	6.8	103.0	104.8	*36.5*	−1.8	649.7
1951	133.2	27.2	3.4	2.3	–	5.7	111.7	110.0	*40.5*	+1.7	731.6
1952	149.1	37.7	3.2	1.1	–	4.3	115.7	108.7	*43.9*	+7.0	817.3
1953	117.3	19.8	4.1	0.9	0.3	5.3	102.8	103.4	*41.2*	−0.6	876.7
1954	66.4	10.2	4.1	0.3	0.5	4.9	61.1	72.1	*38.9*	−11.0	918.5
1955	75.1	9.4	7.7	0.4	1.3	9.4	75.1	78.7	*36.7*†	−3.6	977.1
1956**	98.7	8.5	10.6	0.6	1.9	13.1	103.3	91.7	*38.0*	+11.6	*
Quarterly											
1954—I	26.0	4.1	0.9	–	0.1	1.0	22.9	19.4	*35.5*	+3.5	*
II	21.3	3.0	1.2	0.1	0.1	1.4	19.7	22.9	*38.9*	−3.2	*
III	9.6	1.9	0.7	0.1	0.2	1.0	8.7	16.8	*40.9*	−8.1	*
IV	9.6	1.2	1.3	0.1	0.1	1.5	9.9	13.0	*41.1*	−3.1	*
1955—I	13.3	1.8	1.3	0.1	0.2	1.6	13.1	12.5	*33.3*	+0.6	*
II	33.8	4.7	1.9	0.2	0.4	2.4	31.5	25.7	*33.8*	+5.8	*
III	17.7	1.8	2.4	0.1	0.3	2.8	18.7	22.9	*40.4*	−4.2	*
IV	10.3	1.1	2.2	0.1	0.4	2.6	11.8	17.6	*38.6*	−5.8	*
1956—I	20.4†	2.1	2.6	0.1	0.5	3.2	21.5†	16.5	*31.1*†	+5.0†	*
II	33.9	2.7	3.4	0.2	0.5	4.1	35.3	29.8	*35.1*	+5.5	*
III**	21.1	2.3	2.8	0.1	0.3	3.2	22.0	25.3	*40.0*	−3.3	*
IV**	23.3	1.4	1.8	0.2	0.6	2.6	24.5	20.1	*44.5*	+4.4	*
1957—I**	20.4	1.7	1.9	0.2	0.5	2.6	21.3	18.9	*36.3*	+2.4	*

1. Includes Newfoundland commencing in 1949. 2. Manufacturers' shipments for export. 3. Less re-exports, assumed to be entirely of other than U.S.A. origin. 4. Data on domestic sales financed include only financing through sales finance companies. 5. In the hands of manufacturers, wholesalers and retailers. A limited number of new vehicles pass into use without being reported in sales of new vehicles. Thus the "Apparent Change in Stocks" contains an upward bias which makes any cumulative estimate unreliable, especially over periods longer than one year.
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CORPORATION PROFITS: QUARTERLY[1]

Millions of Dollars — *Dominion Bureau of Statistics*

	BEFORE TAXES — By Industry							
	1955			1956*				1957*
	II	III	IV	I	II	III	IV	I
Foods and Beverages	51	64	57	35	54	64	64	35
Rubber Products	6	8	7	5	10	7	9	4
Textile Products	10	10	13	15	13	10	15	17
Wood and Paper Products	119	118	118	104	133	121	94	67
Iron and Steel Products	88	78	75	79	112	84	95	99
Non-Ferrous Metal Products	12	14	12	11	14	17	7	12
Electrical Apparatus and Supplies	14	21	25	17	19	18	23	17
Non-Metallic Mineral Products	25	29	18	13	29	26	17	9
Products of Petroleum and Coal	27	40	42	40	35	44	45	49
Chemical Products	27	26	22	23	30	25	20	20
Other Manufacturing Industries[2]	16	15	14	14	15	14	16	17
TOTAL MANUFACTURING	395	423	401	356	464	430	405	346
Mining, Quarrying and Oil Wells	75	87	96	95	91	103	73	67
Transportation, Storage and Communication	47	59	50	35	63	76	54	35
Public Utility Operation	14	10	13	21	17	12	14	22
Wholesale Trade	51	59	54	46	67	72	63	48
Retail Trade	51	51	62	27	56	59	70	29
Finance, Insurance and Real Estate	74	64	55	66	67	75	67	77
Service	13	15	11	11	15	17	11	12
Other Non-Manufacturing Industries[3]	35	46	23	28	44	45	25	23
Total All Industries	**755**	**814**	**765**	**685**	**884**	**889**	**782**	**659**
PROFITS AND RELATED DATA: ALL INDUSTRIES[4]								
Net Earnings	1,081	1,161	1,131	1,009	1,245	1,280	1,195	1,019
Less: Depreciation	326	347	366	324	361	391	413	360
Profits Before Taxes	755	814	765	685	884	889	782	659
Less: Income Tax Liabilities	340	363†	333	293	383	383	338	286
Profits After Taxes[5,6]	**415**	**451**	**432**	**392**	**501**	**506**	**444**	**373**

	AFTER TAXES — By Industry							
	1955			1956*				1957*
	II	III	IV	I	II	III	IV	I
Foods and Beverages	28	33	30	19	29	34	35	19
Rubber Products	3	4	4	3	6	4	5	2
Textile Products	7	7	9	9	8	7	10	11
Wood and Paper Products	64	65	65	58	75	67	51	35
Iron and Steel Products	47	42	43	44	62	46	51	53
Non-Ferrous Metal Products	6	8	7	6	8	9	4	6
Electrical Apparatus and Supplies	7	12	13	9	10	10	12	9
Non-Metallic Mineral Products	13	15	10	7	16	14	9	5
Products of Petroleum and Coal	15	21	23	22	19	24	33	28
Chemical Products	15	14	11	14	18	14	12	12
Other Manufacturing Industries[2]	9	8	8	8	9	8	9	9
TOTAL MANUFACTURING	214	229	223	199	260	237	231	189
Mining, Quarrying and Oil Wells	48	57	63	62	59	67	48	44
Transportation, Storage and Communication	26	33	28	20	37	44	30	19
Public Utility Operation	8	5	7	12	10	7	8	12
Wholesale Trade	27	31	28	26	36	40	34	26
Retail Trade	26	27	34	14	29	32	37	15
Finance, Insurance and Real Estate	39	35	31	37	37	44	37	48
Service	7	8	6	6	8	9	6	7
Other Non-Manufacturing Industries[3]	20	26	12	16	25	26	13	13
Total All Industries	**415**	**451**	**432**	**392**	**501**	**506**	**444**	**373**

1. Figures are obtained through the use of a stratified random sample and are projections, allocated by quarters, of annual totals contained in "Taxation Statistics", published by the Department of National Revenue. Figures are subject to revisions as later tax data become available.
2. Includes Tobacco, Leather and miscellaneous manufacturing industries.
3. Includes Agriculture, Forestry, Fishing and Construction.
4. For detail by industry see the D.B.S. publication "Quarterly Corporation Profits: 1950–1954", "Second Quarter 1955", "Second Quarter 1956" and "First Quarter 1957".
5. Depletion charges have not been deducted from profits.
6. Canadian dividends received are not included in profits.

* Subject to further revision.
† Corrected.

NOTE ("AFTER TAXES" DATA ONLY): FOR 1950 AND 1951 SEE PAGES 79–80 IN THE MARCH 1955 STATISTICAL SUMMARY. FOR 1952 SEE PAGE 80 IN THE "FINANCIAL SUPPLEMENT 1955". FOR 1953 AND 1954 SEE PAGES 269–270 IN THE SEPTEMBER 1956 STATISTICAL SUMMARY. ("BEFORE TAXES" DATA ONLY): FOR 1950 TO 1954 SEE PAGES 377–378 IN THE DECEMBER 1956 STATISTICAL SUMMARY.

SELECTED HOUSING STATISTICS

Central Mortgage and Housing Corporation and Dominion Bureau of Statistics

	Dwellings in New Structures 1				Composite Indexes of Residential Building Costs			Residential Construction Expenditures 3, 6		
	Areas of 5,000 Population and over 2		All Areas 3		Residential Building Materials 4	Wage Rates of All Construction Workers 5	Residential Building Materials and Wage Rates 4	New Dwellings and Major Improvements	Repair and Maintenance	Total
	Starts	Completions	Starts	Completions						
	thousands of units				*1949 = 100*			*millions of dollars*		
Calendar Years										
1951	47.4	61.2	68.6	81.3	125.5	119.2	123.1	821.6	221.0	1,042.6
1952	63.4	54.3	83.2	73.1	124.9	129.5	126.6	825.6	203.2	1,028.8
1953	80.3	73.4	102.4	96.8	123.9	137.2	128.9	1,083.7	213.6	1,297.3
1954	89.8	80.6	113.5	102.0	121.7	141.1	129.0	1,178.0	221.8	1,399.8
1955	97.4	93.9	138.3	127.9	124.3	146.6	132.7	1,499.3	238.0	1,737.3
1956	87.3	95.2	127.3	135.7	128.5	152.4	137.5	1,574.2	255.5	1,829.7
Monthly										
1956—Jan.	3.5	6.9	4.2	9.5	127.1	147.3	134.7			
Feb.	4.1	5.8	4.7	7.5	127.1	147.4	134.7	299.1	62.4	361.5
Mar.	4.5	7.3	5.6	8.7	127.9	147.5	135.3			
Apr.	7.6	7.4	10.4	9.1	128.8	147.8	135.9			
May	11.1	7.9	15.9	9.7	129.1	148.5	136.4	425.0	63.3	488.3
June	11.0	7.8	19.4	13.6	129.0	148.5	136.3			
July	11.1	7.4	15.9	9.7	129.0	148.9	136.4			
Aug.	9.0	7.4	14.0	10.7	129.0	150.5	137.1	442.4	64.4	506.8
Sept.	8.9	7.7	13.3	12.2	128.7	151.1	137.1			
Oct.	7.8	10.7	11.8	18.5	128.8	152.4	137.7			
Nov.	5.7	10.1	8.0	14.1	128.7	151.9	137.4	407.7	65.4	473.1
Dec.	3.2	8.7	4.1	12.5	128.4	153.0	137.6			
1957—Jan.	1.4	7.1	1.7	10.2	128.6	153.3	137.9			
Feb.	1.7	6.0	2.0	7.5	128.7	153.4	138.0	267.5	66.2	333.7
Mar.	3.4	5.2	4.1	6.9	128.9	153.6	138.2			
Apr *	6.1	5.5	7.9	7.0	128.8	156.7	139.3			
May *	8.4	5.6	11.9	7.6	129.2	157.5	139.8			

1. Excludes conversions. From 1951 to 1956 these are estimated to have totalled approximately 3.5, 3.2, 3.8, 4.4, 4.3 and 3.6 thousand respectively. 2. Based on a complete enumeration. 3. In areas outside the centres of 5,000 population and over, information relating to starts and completions is based on a sample survey. In the latter part of 1954 the sample was redesigned and enlarged and some discontinuity with previous years resulted. There is probably an understatement of total starts and completions and of expenditures in 1954 and earlier years. Total number of starts in 1957 is subject to upward revision when the results of the June survey are available. 4. Calendar year figures are the averages of 12 months. 5. Index of average hourly wage rates including holiday pay allowances. Annual data refer to the month of October each year. 6. Expenditures on work put in place. * Preliminary.

NOTE: FOR DATA BACK TO 1952 SEE PAGE 78 IN THE "FINANCIAL SUPPLEMENT 1955".

MANUFACTURING: SHIPMENTS, ORDERS AND INVENTORIES

ESTIMATES FOR ALL ITEMS IN ALL INDUSTRIES

Millions of Dollars — *"Inventories, Shipments and Orders in Manufacturing Industries", DBS*

	Shipments During Month 1	Orders: New Orders Received During Month 2	Orders: Unfilled Orders at end of Month 3	Inventories at End of Month: Owned 4	All Inventories Held: Total 5	Raw Materials	Goods in Process	Finished Products
1955—Sept.	1,747	1,733	2,730	3,499	3,971	1,675	1,109	1,187
Oct.	1,702	1,674	2,702	3,527	4,013	1,712	1,135	1,166
Nov.	1,695	1,737	2,744	3,552	4,028	1,737	1,110	1,181
Dec.	1,644	1,684	2,784	3,636	4,070	1,766	1,105	1,199
1956—Jan.	1,539	1,752	2,997	3,706	4,138	1,788	1,106	1,244
Feb.	1,621	1,672	3,048	3,790	4,233	1,816	1,142	1,276
Mar.	1,761	1,759	3,046	3,833	4,262	1,823	1,150	1,289
Apr.	1,752	1,779	3,074	3,845	4,281	1,817	1,158	1,306
May	1,888	1,852	3,037	3,883	4,342	1,838	1,184	1,320
June	1,867	1,760	2,930	3,933	4,397	1,854	1,191	1,352
July	1,764	1,739	2,905	3,937	4,392	1,882	1,164	1,346
Aug.	1,810	1,831	2,926	3,938	4,399	1,897	1,170	1,332
Sept.	1,798	1,812	2,940	3,970	4,441	1,903	1,189†	1,349
Oct.	1,911	1,858	2,886	3,989	4,464	1,926	1,205	1,333
Nov.	1,849	1,846	2,883	4,059	4,545	1,954	1,229†	1,362
Dec.	1,717†	1,966†	3,133†	4,119†	4,608†	1,995†	1,236	1,377†
1957—Jan.	1,693	1,799	3,239	4,166	4,668	1,992	1,257	1,419
Feb.	1,656	1,647	3,230	4,265	4,777	2,012	1,283	1,482
Mar.*	1,845	1,792	3,177	4,275	4,805	2,024	1,287	1,495
Apr. *	1,797	1,740	3,120	4,257	4,778	2,002	1,295	1,491
May *	1,886	1,854	3,087	4,262	4,798	1,999	1,299	1,500

1. Represent an estimated projection, on a monthly basis, of the latest available Census of Industry values. The value level used being the factory selling value. 2. Indicates the rate at which new business is being received. These are new orders received during the period at estimated selling value. 3. Estimated selling value of orders received but not yet shipped, irrespective of work done on them. 4. Estimated book value of inventory owned by manufacturers in connection with manufacturing operations. Excludes value of goods purchased for re-sale. 5. Estimated total value of manufacturers' inventory holdings in connection with manufacturing operations, regardless of ownership. Includes progress payments inventory. † Revised. * Preliminary.

SELECTED SEASONALLY ADJUSTED STATISTICS★

Dominion Bureau of Statistics

	Gross National Production		Personal Income and Expenditure				Change in Business Inventories	Corporation Profits before Taxes 1	Expenditure on Construction 2	External Trade Value Indexes		Labour Force Survey			Industrial Production Index	Manufacturing						
			Labour Income	Disposable Income	Expenditure on Goods					Exports of Goods	Imports of Goods	Without Jobs	Non-Agric. Employment	Employment in Construction		Total		Durable Goods		Non-Durable Goods		
	Total	Ex. Farm			Durable	Non-Dur.										Production Index	Employment Index	Employment Index	Hrs. Worked per Week	Employment Index	Hrs. Worked per Week	
	Millions of Dollars									1949 = 100		Thousands of Persons			1935–39 = 100	1949 = 100			Average	1949 = 100	Average	
1955—May	26,624	25,176	12,672	18,240	1,916	9,612	−16	2,752	3,216	134	165	236	4,482†	359	263	268	108†	115†	41.2	102	40.6	May—1955
June			12,816							138	159	224			266	271	109†	116†	41.4	103	40.7	June
July			12,864							142	160	220			269	275	110†	117†	40.9	103	40.9	July
Aug.	27,396	25,984	13,008	18,332	2,008	9,760	528	3,052	3,388	147	181	208	4,589†	374	270	276	111	118	41.4	103	40.9	Aug.
Sept.			13,056							157	180	230			272	278	112	119	41.3	104†	41.0	Sept.
Oct.			13,140							159	201	209			274	278	112†	119	41.4	104	40.8	Oct.
Nov.	27,912	26,468	13,236	18,664	2,032	9,996	488	3,232	3,556	143	183	195	4,635†	382	278	279	113†	121†	41.5	105	40.9	Nov.
Dec.			13,320							143	182	198			275	277	113	122†	41.2	105†	40.8	Dec.
1956—Jan.			13,476							159	199	200			276	278	113	121	41.2	106†	41.1	Jan.—1956
Feb.	28,726†	27,150†	13,644	19,284	1,948	10,196	992	3,112	3,812†	162	199	202	4,669†	391	274	275	114†	121	41.2	106	41.1	Feb.
Mar.			13,788							151	216	193			278	280	114†	123†	41.1	106†	40.9	Mar.
Apr.			13,992							166	225	188			279	281	115	124†	41.0	106	40.3	Apr.
May	29,550†	27,966†	14,100	19,760	2,100	10,272	856	3,216	4,088†	149	199	183	4,710†	419	278	282	115†	124†	41.4	106	40.7	May
June			14,232							161	202	167			287	290	116	126†	41.1	106	40.9	June
July			14,484							164	198	150			293	299	117†	127†	41.3	107	41.0	July
Aug.	30,230†	28,662†	14,496	20,208	2,112	10,668	396	3,256†	4,212†	162	200	164	4,772†	416	287	288	117	127	41.5	108	40.8	Aug.
Sept.			14,700							182	210	162			289	290	116	125	41.3	106†	40.7	Sept.
Oct.			14,760							173	220	144			290	290†	117	127†	41.3	107	40.9	Oct.
Nov.	30,960†	29,256†	14,832	20,692	2,084	10,916	724	3,216†	4,308†	155	219	163	4,874	416	292	291	119†	131†	41.5	107	40.7	Nov.
Dec.			14,904							166	200	175			291	290	119	131	41.2	108	40.7	Dec.
1957—Jan.			14,964							168	217	212			291†	289	119	130	40.2	108	39.7	Jan.—1957
Feb.	30,910	29,522	15,072	20,820	2,052	11,132	560	3,080	4,184	166	222	212	4,844†	430	292†	292†	119	130	40.8	108	40.9	Feb.
Mar.			15,192							156	214	224			291	290	117	126	40.6	108	40.6	Mar.
Apr.			15,108							157	223*	223			288	282	117	126	40.9	108	40.6	Apr.
May												216	4,944	448								May

★ Note: All dollar series are expressed at annual rates. 1. As per survey of corporate earnings: profits before payment of dividends abroad and including earnings of Canadian corporations abroad. 2. As per National Accounts: expenditure on private residential and non-residential construction. † Revised. * Preliminary.

NOTE: For data back to 1952 for most of this series, see page 87 in the "Financial Supplement 1955".

VOLUME OF INDUSTRIAL PRODUCTION

INDEXES NOT SEASONALLY ADJUSTED

1935–39 = 100 *"Canadian Statistical Review", Dominion Bureau of Statistics*

	Total	Mining	Manufacturing			Electricity and Manufactured Gas
			Total	Non-Durables	Durables	
Weighting	100.0	16.8	75.6	46.1	29.5	7.6
Annual Average						
1951	226.5	161.8	242.1	214.0	285.9	214.2
1952	233.0	174.7	246.3	215.2	294.8	228.8
1953	248.4	185.8	263.0	224.1	323.9	241.9
1954	244.6	209.7	251.4	221.7	297.7	254.6
1955	265.8	242.0	270.1	235.2	324.8	275.7
1956	284.4	272.5	285.6	245.6	348.9	295.2
Monthly						
1955—Sept.	281.2	275.7	284.3	250.2	337.6	262.3
Oct.	284.0	285.3	284.9	247.5	343.2	272.3
Nov.	283.7	273.9	284.6	248.6	341.0	296.5
Dec.	264.3	245.5	265.5	229.5	321.9	293.2
1956—Jan.	257.7	239.8	259.5	223.5	315.8	278.8
Feb.	266.4	243.6	269.7	232.8	327.5	283.2
Mar.	277.5	250.5	282.5	240.9	347.5	286.9
Apr.	277.4	234.5	286.6	244.1	353.0	279.8
May	283.3	257.5	288.0	244.3	356.3	293.2
June	298.7	279.5	303.3	260.1	370.8	295.3
July	285.5	284.3	286.1	240.2	358.0	282.7
Aug.	288.6	294.3	287.3	252.5	341.8	289.1
Sept.	298.8	308.6	296.5	260.2	353.2	300.6
Oct.	300.7	308.4	297.1	256.4	360.8	319.5
Nov.	298.2	298.4	296.2	254.4	361.6	317.1
Dec.	279.4	270.4	277.7	237.7	340.3	316.3
1957—Jan.	271.6	260.0	269.8	227.4†	336.2†	314.6
Feb.	281.8	263.8	282.4	242.7	344.5	315.4
Mar.	282.9*	258.4*	286.0*	245.5*	349.2*	306.4
Apr.	286.8*	275.1*	286.9	248.9*	346.2*	312.0

† Revised. * Preliminary.

NOTE: For the years 1952–1955 see page 82 in the "Financial Supplement 1955".

U.S.A. ECONOMIC STATISTICS

U.S. Department of Commerce *U.S. Dept. of Labor* *Federal Reserve*

	Gross National Product	Change in Business Inventories	Govt. Expenditure on National Security 1	Personal Savings as a Percentage of Disposable Income	Total Personal Income	Construction 3	Unemployment	Retail Sales 4	Consumer Price Index	Wholesale Prices: All Commodities	Average Hourly Earnings in Manufacturing 5	Total Industrial Production 4
	Billions of Dollars 2				Billions of $ 2	Billions of $	Millions	Billions of $	1947–49 = 100		Dollars	1947–49 = 100
Annual Averages 6												
1951	328.2	10.4	37.3	7.8	255.3	31.2	1.9	158.2	111.0	114.8	1.59	120
1952	345.4	3.0	48.8	8.0	271.8	33.0	1.7	164.1	113.5	111.6	1.67	124
1953	363.2	0.3	51.5	7.9	286.0	35.3	1.6	170.7	114.4	110.1	1.77	134
1954	360.7	−2.3	43.0	7.0	287.3	37.6	3.2	170.7	114.8	110.3	1.81	125
1955	390.9	4.2	41.2	6.1	306.1	43.0	2.7	185.5	114.5	110.7	1.88	139
1956	412.4	3.5	41.6	7.3	325.2	46.1†	2.6	191.5	116.2	114.3	1.98	143
Monthly												
1956—Jan.	403.4	4.1	40.5	6.6	316.7	3.0†	2.9	15.7	114.6	111.9	1.93	143
Feb.					317.1	2.9†	2.9	15.3	114.6	112.4	1.93	143
Mar.					318.6	3.2†	2.8	15.7	114.7	112.8	1.95	141
Apr.	408.3	3.5	40.7	7.4	321.7	3.6†	2.6	15.5	114.9	113.6	1.96	143
May					322.8	4.0†	2.6	15.9	115.4	114.4	1.97	141
June					324.9	4.3†	2.9	16.0	116.2	114.2	1.97	141
July	413.8	2.0	41.9	7.4	324.3	4.4†	2.8	16.0	117.0	114.0	1.97	136
Aug.					328.1	4.5†	2.2	16.3	116.8	114.7	1.98	143
Sept.					329.5	4.4†	2.0	16.0	117.1	115.5	2.00	144
Oct.	423.8	4.1	43.2	7.6	332.5	4.3†	1.9	16.1	117.7	115.6	2.02	146
Nov.					333.5	4.0†	2.5	16.4	117.8	115.9	2.03	146
Dec.					334.0	3.5†	2.5	16.5	118.0	116.3	2.05	147
1957—Jan.	427.1	−1.2	45.0	6.9	335.0	3.2†	3.2 7	16.4	118.2	116.9	2.05	146
Feb.					336.7	3.0†	3.1	16.5	118.7	117.0	2.05	146
Mar.					338.1	3.3†	2.9	16.3	118.9	116.9	2.05	145†
Apr.					339.3	3.6†	2.7	16.3	119.3	117.2	2.06†	144†
May					340.4	4.0	2.7	16.4	119.6	117.1	2.06	143

1. Includes stockpiling, atomic energy, and Mutual Defence Assistance in addition to strictly military programmes.
2. Seasonally adjusted annual rates.
3. Value of new work put in place.
4. Seasonally adjusted.
5. Production workers.
6. Quarterly averages for first four columns. Calendar year totals in the case of "Construction" and "Retail Sales".
7. New series starting Jan. 1957; not strictly comparable with earlier figures. Includes persons temporarily laid-off who were classed as employed prior to 1957.

† Revised.

CANADIAN BALANCE OF INTERNATIONAL PAYMENTS: QUARTERLY

"Quarterly Estimates of the Canadian Balance of International Payments", Dominion Bureau of Statistics

Millions of Dollars

	1955				1956*				1957**
	I	II	III	IV	I	II	III	IV	I
					★				★
Current Receipts 1									
Merchandise exports (adjusted) 2	967	1,098	1,127	1,140	1,051	1,263	1,246	1,273	1,103
Gold production available for export	39	39	37	40	37	40	38	35	39
Travel expenditures	26	66	182	54	26	65	191	54	30
Interest and dividends	26	32	27	75	35	39	25	41	24
Freight and shipping	82	100	108	108	102	115	117	116	104
Inheritances and immigrants' funds	16	25	24	21	17	28	26	27	29
All other current receipts	77	105	105	104	91	112	108	119	98
Total Current Receipts	**1,233**	**1,465**	**1,610**	**1,542**	**1,359**	**1,662**	**1,751**	**1,665**	**1,427**
Current Payments 1									
Merchandise imports (adjusted) 2	971	1,150	1,163	1,259	1,242	1,541	1,350	1,434	1,327
Travel expenditures	78	119	156	96	93	133	169	103	99
Interest and dividends	131	99	91	162	112	116	121	181	126
Freight and shipping	78	108	113	116	99	134	131	134	109
Inheritances and emigrants' funds	21	22	30	31	25	28	29	30	25
Official contributions	5	4	8	7	9	10	5	6	7
All other current payments	134	125	134	136	142	135	150	147	143
Total Current Payments	**1,418**	**1,628**	**1,695**	**1,807**	**1,722**	**2,097**	**1,955**	**2,035**	**1,836**
Balance on merchandise trade	−4	−52	−36	−119	−191	−278	−104	−161	−224
Balance on other transactions (excluding "Official contributions")	−176	−107	−41	−139	−163	−147	−95	−203	−178
Official contributions	−5	−4	−8	−7	−9	−10	−5	−6	−7
Current Account Balance	**−185**	**−163**	**−85**	**−265**	**−363**	**−435**	**−204**	**−370**	**−409**
Capital Account 3									
Direct Investment									
Direct investment in Canada 4	+85	+115	+104	+113	+121	+169	+120	+185	+100
Direct investment abroad 4	−11	−12	−12	−39	−66	−5	−24	−15	+20
Canadian Securities									
Trade in outstanding issues	−33	+5	−24	+25	+77	+43	+70	+17	+41
New issues	+109	+27	+17	+13	+111	+181	+178	+211	+248
Retirements	−86	−61	−19	−18	−71	−23	−24	−22	−43
Foreign Securities									
Trade in outstanding issues	+14	−6	+6	+11	−16	+10	+10	+23	−11
New issues	−5	−17	−4	−22	−1	−5	−3	−6	−4
Retirements	+3	−	+14	−	−	−	−	−	+1
Loans by Government of Canada									
Repayment of post-war loans	−	+10	+2	+27	−	+13	−	+26	−
Repayment of war loans	+7	+8	+7	+8	+7	+8	+7	+8	+7
Change in Canadian dollar holdings of foreigners	+30	+39	+6	+14	−23	−5	−3	+5	−31
Change in official holdings of gold and foreign exchange (minus sign denotes increase)	+71	−56	−7	+36	+29	−30	−5	−27	+13
Other capital movements 5	+1	+111	−5	+97	+195	+79	−122	−35	+108
Net Capital Movement	**+185**	**+163**	**+85**	**+265**	**+363**	**+435**	**+204**	**+370**	**+409**

★ The current account balances in 1st Qtr. of 1956 and 1957 with the United States were: −414 and −475; with the United Kingdom: +68 and +29; with all other countries: −17 and +37.

1. Mutual Aid to NATO countries is not included in either current receipts or current payments.
2. As used in the balance of payments, merchandise trade is adjusted to exclude such non-commercial items as settlers' effects, and tourist purchases which are covered elsewhere in the accounts.
3. A minus sign indicates an outflow of capital from Canada.
4. Exclusive of undistributed profits.
5. This item includes mainly short-term capital movements in the form of changes in international open account commercial indebtedness, private and chartered bank holdings of exchange (including interest arbitrage investments), and loans between private unrelated parties. It also includes the balancing item representing unrecorded capital movements and errors and omissions. Includes changes in holdings of International Monetary Fund and International Bank for Reconstruction and Development.

* Subject to revision.

** Preliminary.

NOTE: For data back to 1952 see page 72–73 in the "Financial Supplement 1955".

EXTERNAL TRADE AND TRADE INDEXES

Millions of Dollars — *Compiled from "Trade of Canada", Dominion Bureau of Statistics*

TOTAL EXPORTS (EXCLUDING GOLD) TO 1

	U.S.A.	U.K.	Other Sterling Area 2	Western Europe & Colonies 3	Central and South America	All Other	Total All Countries	New Gold Production Available for Export ‡	Export Indexes 4 (1948=100) Total Value	Price	Physical Volume
Calendar Yrs.											
1951	2,334	636	267	364	217	145	**3,963**	150	127.3	123.0	103.5
1952	2,349	751	291	468	281	216	**4,356**	150	139.9	121.8	114.9
1953	2,463	669	252	367	207	215	**4,173**	144	133.9	118.3	113.2
1954	2,367	658	208	349	196	169	**3,947**	155	126.2	115.1	109.6
1955	2,612	774	254	379	172	160	**4,351**	155	139.2	117.7	118.3
1956	2,879	818	257	465	188	256	**4,863**	150	155.7	121.3	128.4
12 Mths. ending Apr. 1957	2,890	788	252	515	212	258	**4,915**	151			
Monthly											
1955–Nov.	240.1	64.2	18.1	43.3	13.2	13.3	**392.2**	15.0	150.7	119.1	126.5
Dec.	230.1	62.3	19.3	35.6	15.5	18.1	**380.9**	13.4	146.6	119.4	122.8
1956–Jan.	217.3	72.9	19.9	26.5	14.1	14.7	**365.4**	12.4	140.4	119.3	117.7
Feb.	216.0	58.8	19.5	31.4	12.4	14.8	**352.9**	12.7	135.7	119.9	113.2
Mar.	208.4	49.2	21.0	28.6	12.0	14.0	**333.2**	12.0	127.8	120.8	105.8
Apr.	236.6	65.6	19.9	30.7	15.0	20.4	**388.2**	12.5	149.3	121.4	123.0
May	261.8	59.3	25.4	40.3	16.3	32.2	**435.3**	14.4	167.1	122.0	137.0
June	233.6	65.7	28.5	47.0	17.0†	37.3	**429.1**	12.9	165.3	122.1	135.4
July	237.5	75.9	22.1	44.8	16.4	33.6	**430.3**	11.1	165.6	121.7	136.1
Aug.	267.5	69.1	19.2	37.0	13.6	20.8	**427.1**	14.5	164.1	121.9	134.6
Sept.	235.8	75.7	19.9	42.0	15.3	20.6	**409.3**	12.2	157.5	122.0	129.1
Oct.	285.5	67.4	17.9	47.0	21.2	17.1	**456.1**	12.3	175.2	122.4	143.1
Nov.	243.2	83.9	22.7	44.9	16.4	14.6	**425.7**	12.3	163.4	122.5	133.4
Dec.	235.9	75.0	20.8	45.1	18.4	15.4	**410.6**	10.4	157.5	122.2	128.9
1957–Jan.	219.0	63.8	23.1†	51.3	22.6	23.6	**403.4†**	13.9	154.8	122.5	126.4
Feb.	214.2	52.3	18.5	33.6	14.8	13.5	**346.9**	12.5	132.7†	122.0	108.8
Mar.	227.6	45.5	15.2	44.2†	21.4	14.3	**368.2†**	12.1	140.9	122.8	114.7
Apr.	228.6	54.3	18.2	38.0	18.6	15.1	**372.8**	10.9	142.7*	122.8*	116.2*
May *	266.8	68.8					**445.4**	15.4			

TOTAL IMPORTS (EXCLUDING GOLD) FROM

	U.S.A.	U.K.	Other Sterling Area 2	Western Europe & Colonies 3	Central and South America	All Other	Total All Countries	Excess of Merchandise Exports over Merchandise Imports	Import Indexes 4 (1948=100) Total Value	Price	Physical Volume
Calendar Yrs.											
1951	2,813	421	309	181	275	86	**4,085**	−122	154.8	126.2	122.7
1952	2,977	360	186	157	285	65	**4,030**	326	152.3	110.4	138.0
1953	3,221	453	172	179	291	67	**4,383**	−210	165.2	109.4	151.0
1954	2,961	392	183	199	286	72	**4,093**	−146	154.4	109.5	141.0
1955	3,452	401	211	234	320	94	**4,712**	−361	177.1	110.5	160.3
1956	4,162	485	222	328	363	145	**5,705**	−842	214.9	113.1	190.0
12 Mths. ending Mar. 1957	4,232	501	224	336	360	140	**5,793**	−862			
Monthly											
1955–Nov.	303.5	40.3	24.7	32.8	31.7	10.7	**443.7**	−51.5	201.0	112.8	178.2
Dec.	289.9	28.1	11.6	21.3	26.0	8.9	**385.8**	−4.9	175.1	113.6	154.1
1956–Jan.	294.4	33.1	13.0	18.2	33.2	11.7	**403.7**	−38.3	183.3	113.4	161.6
Feb.	305.3	30.9	13.1	16.5	30.4	8.8	**405.0**	−52.1	183.4	113.8	161.2
Mar.	361.7	33.8	13.2	17.4	27.9	9.5	**463.5**	−130.3	210.0	114.4	183.6
Apr.	400.3	50.0	14.0	27.6	30.8	9.7	**532.4**	−144.2	240.0	113.8	210.9
May	397.7	49.5	26.5	32.9	32.4	11.0	**550.0**	−114.7	248.0	113.1	219.3
June	357.8	41.4	18.4	29.4	28.2	15.4	**490.6**	−61.5	221.6	113.5	195.2
July	341.7	45.9	22.5	28.8	29.8	13.9	**482.6**	−52.3	218.1	112.4	194.0
Aug.	329.7	42.8	21.6	30.9	35.1	13.6	**473.7**	−46.6	212.9	112.4	189.4
Sept.	309.9	35.8	21.2	29.0	28.4	13.4	**437.7**	−28.4	196.2	112.0	175.2
Oct.	394.6	43.7	21.6	38.5	27.9	16.5	**542.8**	−86.7	245.3	112.8	217.5
Nov.	368.7	48.5	26.4	35.8	30.7	11.4	**521.5**	−95.8	236.3	113.0	209.1
Dec.	299.9	29.3	11.2	22.7	28.1	10.7	**401.9**	+8.7	181.0	113.5	159.5
1957–Jan.	346.7	35.7	16.1	20.9	30.5	9.1	**459.0**	−55.6†	208.2	115.0	181.0
Feb.	330.0	34.8	10.1	18.4	29.9	8.2	**431.4**	−84.5	195.5	116.1	168.4
Mar.	354.6	43.2	14.5	21.5	27.8	7.3	**468.9**	−100.7	212.8*	115.9*	183.6*
Apr. *	396.7	52.2					**540.2**	−167.4			
May *	397.4	50.7					**557.4**	−112.0			

1. Includes exports of foreign produce. Excludes defence equipment transferred by Canada to North Atlantic Treaty countries which in 1951, 1952, 1953, 1954, 1955 and 1956 amounted to 109.1, 100.9, 182.0, 202.4, 165.9 and 96.8 respectively.
2. Consists of U.K. Dependencies, Union of South Africa, Ireland, India, Pakistan, Burma, Australia, New Zealand, Iceland, Jordan, Libya, Ceylon and Iraq.
3. Excludes Spain, but includes Greece and Turkey.
4. Excludes exports of foreign produce. Price indexes are based largely on unit values derived from the Customs' entries.

‡ See footnote ‡ to "Canadian Gold Statistics" table on page 124.

† Revised. * Preliminary.

NOTE: For the years 1952–1955 see pages 76–77 in the "Financial Supplement 1955".

MERCHANDISE EXPORTS : COMMODITY CLASSIFICATION BY VOLUME[1]

Compiled from "Trade of Canada—Exports", Dominion Bureau of Statistics

	Wheat	Wheat Flour [2]	Oats, Barley, Rye	Live Cattle	Beef	Bacon and Hams	Cheese	Milk (powdered condensed evaporated)	Fish (fresh and frozen)	Fish (canned and salted etc.)	Planks and Boards	Pulpwood
	mm. bus.	*mm. cwt.*	*mm. bus.*	*Thous.*	*Thous. cwt.*	*mm. lbs.*	*mm. lbs.*	*mm. lbs.*	*mm. lbs.*	*mm. lbs.*	*mm. bd. ft.*	*Thous. cord*
Calendar Yr												
1951	237	24	110	239	934	6	31	41	253	286	3,436	2,676
1952	336	26	193	15	668	4	2	69	279	263	3,329	2,329
1953	290	22	207	70	255	7	16	57	270	252	3,370	1,623
1954	208	20	126	89	186	8	5	33	294	281	4,034	1,645
1955	190	17	86	68	87	10	14	29	258	257	4,603	1,695
1956	302	17	102	57	128	8	12	32	283	226	3,936	1,777
12-mths ending May 1957	268	16	112	51	127	6	10	28	278	212	3,216	1,798
Monthly												
1955–Nov.	16.3	1.3	9.4	3.8	9.4	0.9	3.3	1.8	21.0	25.4	319.8	123.8
Dec.	14.6	1.3	7.8	3.9	10.9	0.9	2.1	1.9	18.3	25.1	315.9	115.2
1956–Jan.	16.3	1.2	3.3	3.2	6.8	0.7	1.4	1.2	17.4	19.9	309.4	149.8
Feb.	20.3	1.5	3.3	3.9	7.6	0.8	0.5	2.2	20.8	19.4	302.1	179.8
Mar.	17.6	1.4	1.7	4.3	7.7	0.6	0.4	1.7	21.3	17.8	320.7	122.1
Apr.	26.1	1.4	7.8	4.8	3.8	0.7	0.2	2.1	15.0	15.3	337.9	53.9
May	33.9	1.6	6.3	9.8	10.6	0.8	0.8	2.9	15.6	16.7	299.2	64.0
June	39.2	1.3	11.5	6.3	7.3	0.6	0.8	2.8	19.3	18.2	362.5	89.4
July	34.9	1.6	11.6	5.1	8.8	0.7	0.4	4.0	23.8	18.2	371.5	153.7
Aug.	23.7	1.5	12.6	5.0	10.1	0.7	2.1	3.1	35.3	12.6	367.0	229.9
Sept.	23.7	1.2	6.3	4.4	14.0	0.5	1.0	3.9	30.6	19.5	335.6	224.5
Oct.	24.1	1.5	13.8	4.1	15.7	0.5	0.9	2.7	46.7	24.0	369.2	230.8
Nov.	22.6	1.4	8.6	3.3	18.4	0.7	2.5	2.7	22.4	23.1	316.9	146.7
Dec.	20.0	1.3	15.5	2.2	12.7	0.6	1.3	2.7	14.3	21.2	244.1	132.7
1957–Jan.	19.3	1.5	7.8	2.5	9.1	0.4	0.7	1.4	19.1	15.5	253.9	135.9
Feb.	14.6	1.2	3.8	2.5	7.3	0.3	0.3	0.7	12.0	15.2	238.4	179.7
Mar.	13.1	1.2	5.7	3.5	9.1	0.4	–	1.2	21.3	15.5	268.5	144.5
Apr.	13.7	1.3	5.6	5.3	4.7	0.3	0.3	1.0	15.8	14.4	269.7	63.9
May	18.8	1.0	9.3	7.1	9.9	0.4	0.1	1.6	17.5	14.9	318.4	65.9

	Wood Pulp	News-print	Autos and Trucks	Aluminum (unmanufactured)	Copper (unmanufactured)	Lead (unmanufactured)	Zinc (unmanufactured)	Nickel (unmanufactured)	Silver (unmanufactured)	Asbestos (unmanufactured)	Iron Ore	New Gold Production Available for Export ‡
	Thous. tons	*Thous. tons*	*Thous.*	*Thous. tons*	*Thous. tons*	*Thous. tons*	*Thous. tons*	*Thous. tons*	*Thous. fine oz.*	*Thous. tons*	*Thous. tons*	*Thous. fine oz.*
Calendar Yr												
1951	2,243	5,112	60	375	152	127	305	131	17,795	942	3,226	4,080
1952	1,941	5,327	80	441	168	159	352	142	18,475	902	3,847	4,310
1953	1,950	5,375	45	491	200	165	355	145	20,319	879	4,820	4,167
1954	2,180	5,522	11	500	223	177	391	159	23,139	888	6,127	4,556
1955	2,366	5,763	18	538	230	151	410	174	22,472	1,002	14,569	4,506
1956	2,374	5,967	19	526	240	130	389	177	21,266	964	20,265	4,379
12-mths ending May 1957	2,371	5,915	20	574	260	140	402	179	21,346	993	20,226	4,464
Monthly												
1955–Nov.	214.8	506.3	0.1	39.8	21.4	11.1	39.6	13.1	1,376.3	90.9	2,151.8	430.0
Dec.	189.9	492.8	0.3	41.0	20.4	10.8	31.3	14.7	2,237.2	106.9	308.3	384.2
1956–Jan.	179.8	499.3	0.2	46.0	21.4	7.4	32.8	15.1	1,802.8	65.7	176.0	357.5
Feb.	200.9	441.2	1.3	36.0	15.6	5.8	26.3	13.9	1,534.0	60.8	198.7	364.6
Mar.	180.0	465.8	2.1	22.0	17.9	6.3	21.1	16.2	1,307.9	67.5	61.2	356.3
Apr.	201.3	503.0	1.5	41.7	19.5	10.5	29.7	14.5	1,747.9	73.2	105.4	359.9
May	214.1	545.2	3.9	39.7	18.3	9.8	25.8	14.7	1,442.7	106.2	1,806.7	417.9
June	202.7	456.9	1.5	43.1	15.9	9.5	29.1	16.4	1,562.9	83.4	2,140.2	377.0
July	198.2	524.5	1.4	47.7	21.4	20.4	48.6	11.1	1,675.8	81.3	2,655.6	324.5
Aug.	215.2	546.0	0.9	42.3	19.6	9.3	30.1	18.5	2,525.0	88.6	3,015.6	423.6
Sept.	195.4	443.1	1.1	37.9	22.5	15.8	34.7	13.8	1,719.4	80.6	4,062.4	359.2
Oct.	229.9	542.1	2.8	47.4	19.2	15.7	36.2	12.8	1,999.9	82.7	3,496.7	362.2
Nov.	176.4	521.5	0.9	66.5	24.3	12.1	40.2	14.1	1,684.9	82.0	2,237.1	365.9
Dec.	180.1	478.6	1.3	55.1	24.9	7.3	34.0	15.6	2,263.0	92.0	309.9	310.8
1957–Jan.	203.1	496.9	1.6	45.5	26.0	12.2	34.4	14.3	1,324.2	64.1	155.1	416.1
Feb.	187.2	450.9	2.5	45.6	20.3	8.4	27.7	10.0	1,420.0	59.4	13.4	375.1
Mar.	182.7	475.1	0.8	48.8	20.9	9.3	25.5	15.0	1,714.7	69.0	181.2	361.7
Apr.	185.8	466.5	3.3	32.2	22.2	8.9	30.1	18.7	1,678.7	80.7	179.4	325.9
May	214.3	572.6	1.9	62.2	23.1	11.1	31.5	18.4	1,777.8	129.2	1,779.3	461.6

1. Where quantity is shown in tons, a short ton of 2000 lbs. has been used.
2. Data prior to 1956 has been converted at the rate of 1.96 cwt. per barrel.
‡ See footnote ‡ to "Canadian Gold Statistics" table on page 124.

MERCHANDISE IMPORTS : COMMODITY CLASSIFICATION BY VOLUME[1]

Compiled from "Trade of Canada—Imports", Dominion Bureau of Statistics

	Bananas	Oranges	Fresh Vegetables	Sugar	Coffee	Tea	Cocoa	Distilled Beverages	Cotton (raw and unmanufactured)	Cotton (thread, yarns and fabrics)	Wool (raw and unmanufactured)	Wool (yarns, fabrics and worsteds)
	Thous. cwt.	*Thous. cu. ft.*	*mm. lbs.*	*Thous. cwt.*	*mm. lbs.*	*mm. lbs.*	*mm. lbs.*	*Thous. gals.*	*mm. lbs.*	*mm. lbs.*	*mm. lbs.*	*mm. lbs.*
Calendar Yr												
1951	2,666	9,902	517	10,926	88	42	28	3,099	215	50	45	12
1952	2,819	11,024	777	11,864	98	46	34	3,995	181	51	32	12
1953	3,001	12,146	714	11,389	107	46	39	3,868	175	57	40	16
1954	2,954	11,598	858	13,095	95	45	36	3,369	167	48	26	12
1955	2,953	11,453	952	13,516	104	43	33	3,585	197	55	34	13
1956	3,074	11,201	959	14,319	110	46	34	3,630	215	63	37	17
12-mths ending Mar. 1957	3,135	10,965	1,004	14,102	107	49	35	3,535	208	65	35	18
Monthly												
1955–Sept.	258.1	709.2	31.5	1,890.1	8.7	4.4	1.6	391.2	15.5	4.4	2.1	0.9
Oct.	226.7	723.3	42.6	1,825.5	10.3	2.9	3.1	411.2	17.9	4.4	2.5	1.0
Nov.	210.0	733.7	48.5	1,735.9	10.9	4.7	2.6	356.3	17.5	5.2	2.5	1.2
Dec.	182.6	1,651.4	68.6	357.2	8.6	2.8	2.2	270.7	17.8	4.8	1.7	1.1
1956–Jan.	180.8	911.4	71.1	573.3	9.5	3.9	1.4	255.9	24.8	6.5	2.6	1.2
Feb.	213.6	920.5	77.3	596.3	9.5	2.2	2.7	190.1	17.4	6.1	4.9	1.2
Mar.	234.1	1,059.2	86.2	507.1	10.5	3.2	1.9	310.4	21.0	5.7	3.5	1.1
Apr.	266.7	956.4	110.0	834.7	8.9	5.7	2.1	264.8	21.8	6.0	3.6	1.7
May	299.2	1,087.7	123.2	1,768.5	11.3	5.4	4.0	342.5	16.9	5.5	4.7	1.6
June	346.5	1,023.1	136.3	1,269.4	8.2	3.2	5.3	300.3	8.8	4.3	3.6	1.7
July	331.0	790.6	94.8	1,554.9	8.8	3.6	2.7	241.6	8.5	4.5	3.0	1.9
Aug.	330.3	718.9	22.4	1,330.5	8.5	3.2	7.1	265.1	19.2	4.2	2.7	1.6
Sept.	240.9	634.9	41.3	1,640.3	7.5	3.0	1.4	231.1	12.6	3.8	2.0	1.1
Oct.	248.1	672.1	73.9	1,830.9	9.5	5.1	2.4	490.3	19.1	5.4	2.2	1.4
Nov.	190.5	769.7	57.0	2,136.7	9.6	6.0	2.2	349.2	26.9	6.0	2.6	1.6
Dec.	192.0	1,655.9	65.7	276.7	7.9	1.7	0.8	388.6	18.1	5.1	1.8	1.1
1957–Jan.	224.4	796.3	88.9	762.5	11.0	4.7	3.0	344.5	19.4	7.5	2.0	1.4
Feb.	198.4	939.7	86.8	278.9	6.6	2.1	1.9	142.1	16.7	6.0	3.6	1.6
Mar.	266.7	919.4	103.6	417.6	9.2	5.7	2.1	175.2	19.5	6.4	2.8	1.4

	Crude Rubber	Iron Ore	Pigs, Ingots, Blooms & Billets	Bars, Rods and Rails	Sheets and Plates	Structural Iron	Autos and Trucks	Bauxite Ore	Tin	Coal	Crude Petroleum	Gasoline, Kerosene and Fuel Oils
	mm. lbs.	*Thous. tons*	*Thous. tons*	*Thous. tons*	*Thous. tons*	*Thous. tons*	*Thous.*	*Thous. tons*	*Thous. cwt.*	*mm. tons*	*mm. gals.*	*mm. gals.*
Calendar Yr												
1951	108	3,831	148	197	757	382	48	2,402	137	27	2,949	911
1952	81	4,268	156	179	673	339	39	2,455	88	25	2,897	1,043
1953	93	4,168	57	117	585	310	58	2,689	83	23	2,857	1,059
1954	96	3,035	37	80	369	345	43	2,962	86	19	2,761	1,066
1955	111	4,539	29	108	500	360	58	3,092	97	20	3,038	1,119
1956	103	5,069	38	202	811	660	89	2,590	85	23	3,733	1,100
12-mths ending Mar. 1957	99	5,067	44	200	851	691	75	2,674	87	23	3,842	1,079
Monthly												
1955–Sept.	10.1	691.0	1.4	10.2	52.0	32.5	4.5	446.4	9.9	1.8	262.6	107.5
Oct.	9.2	698.8	4.2	11.2	49.3	38.3	3.9	336.4	9.9	2.1	302.3	136.1
Nov.	9.9	460.9	1.9	14.7	63.3	47.6	4.4	386.1	15.9	1.9	279.7	147.9
Dec.	9.3	47.8	4.1	11.4	55.9	42.7	5.3	235.7	4.8	1.5	213.2	92.7
1956–Jan.	11.5	38.8	2.9	13.1	61.2	38.9	6.5	11.8	3.6	1.3	311.1	85.7
Feb.	7.2	1.7	1.7	11.5	57.1	38.6	8.7	41.7	3.4	1.4	245.9	57.3
Mar.	7.7	2.9	2.2	12.9	58.5	43.2	18.3	26.0	7.3	1.2	223.2	52.3
Apr.	6.6	55.5	2.3	24.8	89.1	59.5	14.9	60.7	6.7	1.8	242.1	74.7
May	9.1	665.1	3.5	18.7	95.4	77.9	8.7	186.5	12.2	2.1	294.2	103.3
June	5.7	674.3	5.3	19.4	73.1	71.9	5.8	298.1	5.6	2.3	304.1	84.3
July	7.7	635.8	1.9	17.2	50.0	56.3	4.7	562.3	9.3	2.2	332.1	92.9
Aug.	8.3	415.4	2.6	19.1	42.9	40.7	2.9	346.3	7.2	2.3	407.6	131.0
Sept.	9.9	910.3	3.3	14.8	67.2	54.1	3.9	470.9	6.6	2.0	349.9	93.6
Oct.	8.6	898.6	4.6	21.2	77.2	67.0	4.4	428.6	9.2	2.4	377.4	109.1
Nov.	10.9	529.8	4.3	15.6	84.2	72.0	5.7	68.3	9.7	2.2	343.3	118.2
Dec.	9.8	240.7	3.6	13.3	55.5	40.0	4.7	88.4	4.0	1.5	301.9	97.3
1957–Jan.	11.5	2.8	3.6	12.6	85.9	53.1	6.0	66.0	3.7	1.4	323.3	76.6
Feb.	5.3	35.5	4.1	10.2	61.2	48.7	4.5	24.3	4.8	1.1	284.2	52.2
Mar.	5.8	3.4	4.7	13.0	68.9	49.5	8.6	74.0	8.3	1.2	281.5	46.1

1. Includes imports from Newfoundland until March 31, 1949 and imports into Newfoundland from other countries thereafter. Where quantity is shown in tons, a short ton of 2000 lbs. has been used.

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BANK OF CANADA
MONTH-END AND WEEKLY SERIES

Millions of Dollars

	ASSETS																						LIABILITIES										
	Government of Canada Direct and Guaranteed Securities																						Notes in Circulation			Canadian Dollar Deposits							
	Treasury Bills	Other Maturities					Total	Of which held under Purchase and Resale Agreements	Provincial Govt. Securities	Advances to		Foreign Currency Assets 1	Investment in IDB 2	All Other Accounts 3	Total Assets or Liabilities	Held by			Govt. of Canada	Chartered Banks	Other	Foreign Currency Liabilities	All Other Accounts 4	
		2 yrs. and under	Over 2 yrs. to 5 yrs.	Over 5 yrs. to 10 yrs.	Over 10 yrs.					Govt. of Canada	Chartered & Savings Banks					Chartered Banks	Others	Total						
As at Dec. 31																																	**As at Dec. 31**
1951	186.4	955.3		1,049.3			2,004.7	**2,191.1**	–	–	–	–	204.2	27.8	21.0	**2,444.1**	273.1	1,191.1	**1,464.2**	94.9	619.0	66.1	155.6	44.4	1951
1952	282.9	1,176.9		767.2			1,944.1	**2,227.0**	–	–	–	–	84.5	30.8	39.2	**2,381.4**	272.5	1,288.7	**1,561.2**	16.2	626.6	44.5	82.9	50.0	1952
1953	374.5	1,002.1		893.7			1,895.7	**2,270.2**	*19.0*	–	–	–	67.2	36.3	63.5	**2,437.2**	263.8	1,335.3	**1,599.1**	51.5	623.9	29.5	63.8	69.3	1953
1954	168.5	1,193.0	410.8	297.3	152.5		2,053.6	**2,222.0**	–	–	–	–	66.4	35.6	76.9	**2,400.8**	261.6	1,361.9	**1,623.5**	56.3	529.6	30.5	63.1	97.9	1954
1955	262.6	1,021.2	354.5	516.6	212.5		2,104.9	**2,367.5**	–	–	–	2.0	114.7	35.1	100.9	**2,620.2**	289.4	1,449.0	**1,738.5**	89.2	551.0	34.0	98.0	109.5	1955
1956	505.2	519.7 [5]	629.7 [5]	507.2 [5]	232.0 [5]		1,888.7 [5]	**2,393.9** [5]	–	–	–	–	77.7	48.0	28.1	**2,547.7**	370.9	1,497.8	**1,868.7**	38.8	511.5	31.2	62.2	35.4	1956
End of																																	**End of**
1956—July	453.0	576.5	828.0	335.7	138.1		1,878.4	**2,331.4**	–	–	–	–	91.7	39.9	48.2	**2,511.2**	304.6	1,457.7	**1,762.3**	49.8	500.0	39.6	82.0	77.4	July—1956
Aug.	495.1	524.2	849.8	354.4	131.3		1,859.7	**2,354.8**	–	–	–	–	74.4	40.8	143.3	**2,613.4**	249.6	1,515.0	**1,764.6**	65.4	580.6	35.6	64.4	102.8	Aug.
Sept.	535.3	506.0	672.7	447.5	215.6		1,841.8	**2,377.1**	–	–	–	–	74.8	42.2	108.0	**2,602.1**	255.8	1,513.7	**1,769.5**	46.0	564.0	45.2	64.9	112.4	Sept.
Oct.	557.5	473.8	669.7	451.5	221.4		1,816.4	**2,374.0**	–	–	–	–	68.5	42.8	85.9	**2,571.1**	309.1	1,471.8	**1,780.9**	55.0	575.3	30.7	56.4	72.9	Oct.
Nov.	553.5	467.7	672.7	466.4	222.5		1,829.2	**2,382.8**	–	–	–	–	77.9	43.7	116.9	**2,621.3**	250.5	1,542.9	**1,793.5**	7.4	624.9	31.7	68.2	95.7	Nov.
Dec.	505.2	519.7 [5]	629.7 [5]	507.2 [5]	232.0 [5]		1,888.7 [5]	**2,393.9** [5]	–	–	–	–	77.7	48.0	28.1	**2,547.7**	370.9	1,497.8	**1,868.7**	38.8	511.5	31.2	62.2	35.4	Dec.
1957—Jan.	413.5	678.2	438.8	510.3	229.2		1,856.5	**2,270.0**	*2.1*	–	–	–	75.1	48.9	66.9	**2,460.9**	294.1	1,444.8	**1,738.9**	57.8	524.0	34.3	65.4	40.5	Jan.—1957
Feb.	436.6	616.1	620.4	318.9	224.9		1,780.4	**2,217.0**	*1.2*	–	–	–	84.8	50.1	69.6	**2,421.5**	260.6	1,457.3	**1,717.9**	52.7	497.5	27.2	75.0	51.4	Feb.
Mar.	477.2	627.9	612.4	314.4	223.5		1,778.4	**2,255.6**	*0.7*	–	–	–	75.2	50.9	167.0	**2,548.7**	224.5	1,500.0	**1,724.6**	78.3	519.5	25.1	65.4	135.8	Mar.
Apr.	498.1	659.9	617.2	321.0	224.8		1,822.8	**2,320.9**	–	–	–	0.3	71.9	52.2	72.3	**2,517.7**	299.4	1,456.8	**1,756.3**	62.9	546.9	22.5	62.2	67.0	Apr.
May	473.7	692.2	605.3	321.1	228.5		1 847.1	**2,320.9**	–	–	–	0.1	76.3	55.1	139.7	**2,592.0**	229.0	1,522.5	**1,751.5**	43.9	526.3	32.0	66.8	171.4	May
June	519.0	694.3	607.5	324.9	229.9		1,856 6	**2,375.5**	–	–	–	3.0	81.1	57.0	158.4	**2,675.2**	225.0	1,559.3	**1,784.3**	44.4	545.5	28.9	72.7	199.3	June
July	503.2	694.6	607.7	328.4	232.8		1,863.4	**2,366.6**	–	–	–	–	86.9	58.4	51.9	**2,563.8**	308.3	1,509.5	**1,817.7**	54.2	490.5	26.9	77.2	97.3	July
Average of Wednesdays																																	**Average of Wednesdays**
1956—July	456.3	588.3		1,286.7			1,875.0	**2,331.3**	*0.8*	–	–	20.3	90.8	38.3	47.5	**2,528.3**	339.6	1,417.6	**1,757.2**	47.9	531.5	32.9	81.0	77.7	July—1956
Aug.	482.7	541.4		1,325.3			1,866.7	**2,349.3**	*0.9*	–	–	6.4	79.4	39.9	56.0	**2,531.0**	332.2	1,434.5	**1,766.7**	51.9	545.6	30.2	69.7	66.8	Aug.
Sept.	505.1	514.9		1,335.0			1,859.9	**2,365.0**	*1.4*	–	–	–	70.7	41.0	42.5	**2,519.3**	342.2	1,430.8	**1,772.9**	47.7	542.8	31.4	60.7	63.7	Sept.
Oct.	526.3	500.7		1,342.1			1,842.8	**2,369.1**	*1.4*	–	–	6.4	70.5	42.2	55.0	**2,543.2**	335.0	1,447.5	**1,782.5**	59.3	538.3	31.4	60.4	71.3	Oct.
Nov.	536.9	455.7		1,352.3			1,808.0	**2,344.9**	*3.8*	–	–	21.3	77.0	42.8	63.6	**2,549.5**	349.9	1,444.1	**1,794.1**	45.0	531.4	30.2	67.3	81.6	Nov.
Dec.	525.9	493.4		1,369.4			1,862.8	**2,388.7**	*0.4*	–	–	13.6	75.9	43.7	49.3	**2,571.3**	356.7	1,481.5	**1,838.2**	32.6	548.5	30.7	61.6	59.7	Dec.
1957—Jan.	466.4	687.6 [5]		1,178.3 [5]			1,866.0 [5]	**2,332.4** [5]	*1.2*	–	–	6.0	72.6	48.1	55.3	**2,514.3**	380.2	1,421.9	**1,802.2**	57.5	524.5	27.9	63.0	39.3	Jan.—1957
Feb.	402.6	646.2		1,174.1			1,820.3	**2,222.9**	*7.0*	–	–	–	73.8	49.0	60.6	**2,406.3**	326.7	1,399.4	**1,726.0**	64.3	478.3	28.0	64.1	45.5	Feb.
Mar.	484.3	610.9		1,149.4			1,760.3	**2,244.5**	*0.1*	–	–	5.4	75.4	50.1	54.0	**2,429.4**	318.0	1,406.6	**1,724.7**	51.0	513.8	28.6	65.3	45.9	Mar.
Apr.	479.7	650.8		1,154.5			1,805.3	**2,285.0**	*7.9*	–	–	12.8	75.2	51.1	68.1	**2,492.1**	315.2	1,431.7	**1,746.9**	47.5	550.6	25.1	65.5	56.6	Apr.
May	495.8	666.9		1,166.7			1,833.6	**2,329.4**	*1.2*	–	–	5.1	79.2	52.7	53.0	**2,519.4**	324.4†	1,431.3†	**1,755.7**	45.3	554.4	25.5	69.5	69.1	May
June	502.8	707.5		1,158.4			1,866.0	**2,368.8**	–	–	–	6.0	83.6	55.4	65.8	**2,579.5**	328.4	1,441.2	**1,769.6**	46.8	559.7	25.9	74.0	103.4	June
July	532.9	701.4		1,166.2			1,867.7	**2,400.6**	*6.6*	–	–	2.4	82.6	57.3	61.2	**2,604.1**	328.4	1,484.5	**1,812.9**	51.8	525.6	27.6	73.1	113.1	July
As at																																	**As at**
1957—Feb. 6	383.3	672.4		1,183.8			1,856.2	**2,239.5**	–	–	–	–	82.6	48.9	56.4	**2,427.5**	328.5	1,408.7	**1,737.2**	60.1	481.0	31.4	72.9	45.0	6 Feb.—1957
13	391.5	654.9		1,182.6			1,837.5	**2,229.0**	*7.8*	–	–	–	69.9	48.9	41.1	**2,388.9**	339.4	1,390.5	**1,729.9**	50.2	469.9	29.4	60.3	49.2	13
20	401.1	638.6		1,161.9			1,800.5	**2,201.6**	*20.4*	–	–	–	69.2	48.9	47.4	**2,367.1**	330.8	1,390.5	**1,721.3**	48.6	466.8	25.6	59.4	45.5	20
27	434.4	619.0		1,168.1			1,787.1	**2,221.4**	–	–	–	–	73.4	49.3	97.5	**2,441.7**	308.3	1,407.5	**1,715.8**	98.4	495.6	25.6	63.8	42.4	27
Mar. 6	471.4	604.4		1,147.8			1,752.1	**2,223.5**	*0.5*	–	–	0.4	77.0	50.1	84.0	**2,435.0**	305.6	1,420.2	**1,725.7**	58.9	508.8	26.1	67.0	48.5	6 Mar.
13	487.1	609.9		1,149.7			1,759.6	**2,246.6**	–	–	–	11.0	78.9	50.1	42.7	**2,429.3**	324.6	1,401.7	**1,726.3**	40.2	512.0	36.8	68.5	45.5	13
20	498.8	611.5		1,149.6			1,761.1	**2,259.9**	–	–	–	–	73.7	50.1	48.3	**2,432.1**	318.6	1,405.9	**1,724.4**	57.9	513.9	27.4	63.5	45.0	20
27	479.8	617.9		1,150.4			1,768.3	**2,248.0**	–	–	–	10.0	72.0	50.1	41.0	**2,421.2**	323.4	1,398.8	**1,722.2**	47.2	520.7	24.2	62.3	44.6	27
Apr. 3	465.0	628.5		1,151.4			1,780.0	**2,245.0**	–	–	–	30.0	72.4	50.6	91.9	**2,489.9**	291.5	1,441.6	**1,733.2**	54.2	560.1	25.0	62.7	54.7	3 Apr.
10	466.0	645.3		1,151.9			1,797.2	**2,263.1**	*3.7*	–	–	–	76.9	51.1	87.7	**2,478.8**	320.8	1,420.1	**1,740.9**	49.8	543.2	24.7	67.2	53.0	10
17	487.1	666.9		1,157.2			1,824.0	**2,311.2**	*27.9*	–	–	–	72.8	51.4	51.4	**2,486.7**	303.3	1,452.8	**1,756.2**	42.5	533.7	26.0	63.1	65.3	17
24	500.7	662.6		1,157.5			1,820.1	**2,320.8**	–	–	–	21.0	78.6	51.4	41.4	**2,513.1**	345.2	1,412.2	**1,757.4**	43.6	565.4	24.5	68.8	53.4	24
May 1	498.1	657.8		1,163.7			1,821.6	**2,319.7**	–	–	–	0.3	69.2	52.2	43.5	**2,484.9**	297.2†	1,458.3†	**1,755.5**	37.3	548.9	22.6	59.6	61.0	1 May
8	501.5	663.5		1,166.7			1,830.2	**2,331.6**	*6.2*	–	–	0.1	86.0	52.2	89.3	**2,559.3**	331.7†	1,423.4†	**1,755.2**	62.9	560.8	25.4	76.3	78.7	8
15	513.7	665.5		1,167.4			1,832.9	**2,346.7**	–	–	–	–	81.5	52.2	46.3	**2,526.6**	316.1†	1,440.2†	**1,756.3**	42.5	564.3	27.2	71.8	64.5	15
22	494.0	665.9		1,170.0			1,835.8	**2,329.8**	–	–	–	–	80.8	52.9	35.3	**2,498.9**	338.9†	1,418.6†	**1,757.5**	35.7	548.1	26.0	71.1	60.5	22
29	471.8	681.8		1,165.8			1,847.6	**2,319.5**	–	–	–	25.1	78.5	54.0	50.4	**2,527.3**	338.0	1,415.8	**1,753.8**	47.8	550.1	26.0	68.8	80.8	29
June 5	492.0	715.7		1,154.6			1,870.3	**2,362.3**	*31.7*	–	–	–	84.3	55.1	75.1	**2,576.7**	306.0	1,456.8	**1,762.8**	45.8	526.9	27.3	74.7	139.3	5 June
12	502.4	708.4		1,157.6			1,866.0	**2,368.4**	–	–	–	–	82.4	55.4	66.7	**2,572.9**	335.9	1,435.0	**1,770.9**	52.3	566.6	26.1	72.7	84.3	12
19	503.4	711.3		1,160.4			1,871.6	**2,375.0**	*6.0*	–	–	–	84.2	55.5	67.0	**2,581.6**	331.9	1,438.3	**1,770.1**	43.7	571.6	24.9	74.4	96.9	19
26	513.4	694.7		1,161.3			1,856.0	**2,369.4**	–	–	–	24.0	83.5	55.5	54.6	**2,586.9**	339.9	1,434.9	**1,774.8**	45.5	573.6	25.4	74.4	93.2	26
July 3	523.1	699.4		1,163.3			1,862.7	**2,385.8**	*7.8*	–	–	12.0	74.6	57.1	107.5	**2,636.9**	299.4	1,502.5	**1,802.0**	49.3	530.2	30.3	66.5	158.7	3 July
10	546.4	714.0		1,164.5			1,878.5	**2,424.9**	*25.3*	–	–	–	77.9	57.1	48.1	**2,607.9**	348.8	1,467.7	**1,816.5**	39.0	534.8	26.4	68.0	123.3	10
17	558.3	702.6		1,165.8			1,868.5	**2,426.7**	–	–	–	–	90.2	57.1	54.5	**2,628.5**	334.6	1,482.6	**1,817.2**	60.0	539.7	28.1	80.0	103.4	17
24	533.5	696.6		1,168.7			1,865.3	**2,398.8**	–	–	–	–	83.7	57.1	43.7	**2,583.3**	350.7	1,460.2	**1,810.9**	56.6	532.7	26.1	74.0	83.0	24
31	503.2	694.6		1,168.9			1,863.4	**2,366.6**	–	–	–	–	86.9	58.4	51.9	**2,563.8**	308.3	1,509.5	**1,817.7**	54.2	490.5	26.9	77.2	97.3	31

1. Foreign exchange and foreign securities exceeding market values" to amortized values, and for this reason figures for Dec. 31 and later dates are not comparable with those for earlier dates. † Revised.
2. Industrial Development Bank capital stock, bonds and debentures.
3. Bank premises and all other assets.
4. Capital, rest fund and all other liabilities.
5. On Dec. 31, 1956, the basis for the valuation of securities held by the Bank of Canada was changed from "not

NOTE: For 1935–1944 year-end and 1946–1952 month-end data for the majority of these series see pages 4–13 in the "Financial Supple-

MENT 1954". For 1945–1956 year-end and all month-end and weekly data back to 1953 see pages 4–15 in the "Financial Supplement 1956".

CHARTERED BANKS

MONTHLY SERIES

Millions of Dollars — *Bank of Canada* — *Millions of Dollars*

I. CANADIAN CASH RESERVES★

	Cash Reserves: Bank of Canada Deposits	Cash Reserves: Bank of Canada Notes	Cash Reserves: Total	Canadian Dollar Deposit Liabilities	Average Cash Reserve Ratio 1
Averages					
1951	567	225	**792**	7,759	10.2
1952	606	239	**844**	8,110	10.4
1953	627	256	**883**	8,624	10.2
1954 1st Half	634	260	**894**	8,820	10.1
1954 2nd Half★	525	286	**811**	9,097	8.9
1955	541	293	**834**	9,915	8.4
1956	548	325	**873**	10,527	8.3
1956—Jan.	568	310	**877**	10,515	8.4
Feb.	504	354	**858**	10,448	8.2
Mar.	542	299	**841**	10,285	8.2
Apr.	561	294	**855**	10,357	8.3
May	545	310	**856**	10,409	8.2
June	560	318	**878**	10,597	8.3
July	544	332	**876**	10,608	8.3
Aug.	563	338	**900**	10,649	8.5
Sept.	549	328	**877**	10,563	8.3
Oct.	544	340	**885**	10,607	8.3
Nov.	539	341	**881**	10,591	8.3
Dec.	553	338	**890**	10,704	8.3
1957—Jan.	523	355	**878**	10,660	8.2
Feb.	475	390	**865**	10,525	8.2
Mar.	514	335	**848**	10,371	8.2
Apr.	542	314	**856**	10,489	8.2
May	553	310	**863**	10,528	8.2
June	556	321	**877**	10,694	8.2
July*	535	328	**863**	10,645	8.1

II. LIABILITIES

	Advances from Bank of Canada	Govt. of Canada	Provincial Governments	Canadian Dollar Deposits: Personal Savings	Other Notice	Other Banks 2	Public Demand	Total	Foreign Currency Deposits	Acceptances, Guarantees, & Letters of Credit	All Other Liabilities	Shareholders Equity 3	Total Liabilities
As at Dec. 31													
1951	–	88	185	4,296	316	95	2,993	**7,973**	878	225	7	375	**9,458**
1952	–	49	214	4,600	325	75	3,373	**8,636**	905	199	7	381	**10,128**
1953	–	473	166	4,756	278	69	3,368	**9,111**	963	155	8	419	**10,656**
1954	–	176	190	5,218	397	104	3,597	**9,683**	1,030	155	43	521	**11,433**
1955	2	517	181	5,633	464	139	3,915	**10,848**	1,056	203	26	567	**12,702**
1956	–	246	169	6,007	444	116	4,180	**11,162**	1,369	210	34	653	**13,428**
End of													
1956—Jan.	–	501	148	5,676	469	117	3,596	**10,507**	1,070	216	28	567	**12,387**
Feb.	–	493	152	5,721	476	123	3,483	**10,449**	1,118	226	21	567	**12,380**
Mar.	5	488	223	5,791	466	125	3,316	**10,408**	1,148	229	21	568	**12,380**
Apr.	–	355	162	5,919	480	124	3,766	**10,805**	1,185	220	27	569	**12,806**
May	16	494	168	5,844	485	110	3,554	**10,655**	1,203	216	24	587	**12,700**
June	–	413	172	5,881	459	118	3,817	**10,860**	1,236	217	23	609	**12,944**
July	–	279	143	5,923	472	115	3,773	**10,706**	1,315	210	27	619	**12,878**
Aug.	–	275	123	5,941	477	110	3,731	**10,658**	1,354	226	24	628	**12,889**
Sept.	–	281	117	6,020	476	110	3,812	**10,816**	1,315	223	23	631	**13,008**
Oct.	–	153	154	6,098	453	155	3,846	**10,859**	1,334	216	48	647	**13,104**
Nov.	–	417	103	5,974	439	123	3,821	**10,877**	1,376	221	38	652	**13,164**
Dec.	–	246	169	6,007	444	116	4,180	**11,162**	1,369	210	34	653	**13,428**
1957—Jan.	–	254	138	6,039	438	110	3,499	**10,479**	1,409	209	41	653	**12,791**
Feb.	–	391	142	6,090	454	103	3,445	**10,625**	1,506	236	36	656	**13,058**
Mar.	–	377	191	6,153	444	105	3,496	**10,765**	1,450	232	36	667	**13,150**
Apr.	–	309	217	6,211	442	109	3,716	**11,004**	1,546	235	38	672	**13,494**
May	–	284	173	6,161	450	106	3,564	**10,738**	1,667	235	35	677	**13,351**
June	3	186	179	6,196	434	102	3,782	**10,879**	1,650	243	36	684	**13,495**

III. ASSETS

	Bank of Canada Deposits and Notes	Cdn. Day-to-Day Loans	Treasury Bills	Government of Canada Direct and Guaranteed Bonds 6: 2 yrs. and under	Over 2 years	Total	Other Canadian Securities 6: Provincial 7, 8	Municipal 8	Corporate	Total	Ins. Res. Mtges.	Call and Short 9: To Stockbrokers 11	To Others	Provincial 8	Municipal 8
As at Dec. 31															
1951	892	–	236	499	2,019	2,518	321	167	393	881	–	78	30	68	94
1952	899	–	138	869	1,777	2,647	304	159	370	834	–	73	82	79	97
1953	888	–	244	482	2,034	2,516	280	152	341	773	–	61	92	65	96
1954	791	68	360	636	2,318	2,953	264	177	353	794	74	68	75	61	103
1955	840	81	427	475	2,157	2,632	322	218	482	1,022	294	112	67	83	124
1956	882	74	740	406	1,269	1,675	269	185	510	964	493	90	62	95	177
End of															
1956—Jan.	819	59	512	436	2,047	2,482	317	213	480	1,009	317	113	52	60	143
Feb.	759	82	564	406	1,993	2,400	308	210	489	1,007	331	116	56	54	166
Mar.	725	75	593	398	1,922	2,319	298	210	485	993	345	109	53	6	200
Apr.	836	43	756	350	1,695	2,045	295	211	489	995	361	120	56	16	223
May	824	64	767	558	1,424	1,982	297	208	504	1,010	377	118	73	33	215
June	810	97	772	557	1,398	1,955	291	206	510	1,007	393	121	57	27	157
July	805	109	742	511	1,383	1,893	292	202	511	1,005	412	127	58	36	150
Aug.	830	68	814	522	1,325	1,847	291	200	520	1,010	432	123	37	57	145
Sept.	820	114	786	526	1,322	1,848	286	197	519	1,003	448	110	38	81	167
Oct.	884	85	791	464	1,320	1,784	295	197	516	1,008	471	104	39	83	168
Nov.	875	64	743	485	1,280	1,765	265	192	518	975	489	89	36	124	152
Dec.	882	74	740	406	1,269	1,675	269	185	510	964	493	90	62	95	177
1957—Jan. 5	818	86	800	503 4	1,232 4	1,735 4	284 4	178	501 5	963 4	500	86	40	60	201
Feb.	758	101	809	545	1,223	1,768	288	178	499	964	507	90	63	74	218
Mar.	744	162	805	538	1,227	1,764	260	178	501	940	508	85	65	40	250
Apr.	846	105	758	520	1,227	1,747	268	175	502	945	509	104	91	23	270
May	755	125	812	489	1,248	1,736	266	172	505	943	512	99	61	20	263
June	770	95	784	493	1,251	1,743	258	170	512	940	503	105	61	25	236

	Loans 9 In Canada: Grain Dealers 10, 11	C.S.B. 11, 12	Sub-Total 11	General Loans 11	Total Loans	Total of Foregoing Assets	Canadian Dollar Items in Transit (Net)	Foreign Cash Items Securities & Loans: Cash Items 13	Foreign Sec.	Loans Outside Canada	Customers' Liability Under Acceptances, Guarantees, & Letters of Credit	All Other Assets 14	Total Assets
As at Dec. 31													
1951	177	137	583	2,588	3,172	**7,699**	512	254	206	409	225	153	**9,458**
1952	257	146	734	2,787	3,520	**8,038**	752	283	262	435	199	159	**10,128**
1953	391	165	871	3,236	4,106	**8,527**	751	280	244	540	155	159	**10,656**
1954	404	147	859	3,237	4,096	**9,137**	827	332	322	488	155	172	**11,433**
1955	361	163	910	3,981	4,891	**10,187**	1,002	327	282	518	203	183	**12,702**
1956	373	169	966	4,432	5,398	**10,226**	1,330	356	375	720	210	211	**13,428**
End of													
1956—Jan.	360	144	872	4,031	4,903	**10,101**	736	297	291	554	216	191	**12,387**
Feb.	356	129	877	4,087	4,964	**10,107**	677	301	293	585	226	191	**12,380**
Mar.	354	114	836	4,235	5,071	**10,121**	629	310	295	607	229	189	**12,380**
Apr.	319	97	831	4,353	5,184	**10,219**	936	314	314	611	220	191	**12,806**
May	312	76	828	4,461	5,289	**10,313**	717	296	326	632	216	200	**12,700**
June	340	60	763	4,536	5,299	**10,333**	920	294	339	641	217	200	**12,944**
July	350	45	765	4,543	5,308	**10,274**	836	314	380	657	210	205	**12,878**
Aug.	358	34	753	4,570	5,323	**10,325**	697	334	355	750	226	203	**12,889**
Sept.	341	22	759	4,523	5,281	**10,300**	859	313	396	711	223	206	**13,008**
Oct.	359	4	756	4,610	5,367	**10,390**	843	381	371	701	216	202	**13,104**
Nov.	361	193	955	4,577	5,532	**10,443**	878	314	395	712	221	201	**13,164**
Dec.	373	169	966	4,432	5,398	**10,226**	1,330	356	375	720	210	211	**13,428**
1957—Jan. 5	363†	148	899†	4,407† 5	5,305 5	**10,209 5**	715	311	370	763 5	209	215	**12,791**
Feb.	360†	132	937†	4,422†	5,359	**10,266**	814	352	395	780	236	215	**13,058**
Mar.	391	115	945	4,446	5,392	**10,314**	907	330	357	793	232	217	**13,150**
Apr.	378†	95†	962†	4,521†	5,482	**10,394**	1,078	347	385	843	235	213	**13,494**
May	373†	79†	895†	4,604†	5,499	**10,383**	911	341	387	879	235	216	**13,351**
June	413	63	904	4,666	5,570	**10,406**	1,049	308	411	861	243	217	**13,495**

★ For periods prior to July 1954 all figures in this section are daily averages. From July 1954, in accordance with section 71 of the Bank Act of 1954, Bank of Canada deposits are averages of the juridical days in the month shown while Bank of Canada notes and Canadian dollar deposit liabilities are averages of the 4 consecutive Wednesdays ending with the second last Wednesday in the previous month.

1. Prior to July 1st, 1954, the statutory minimum requirement was 5 per cent for each day; since that date it has been a monthly average of 8 per cent, calculated as described in footnote ★.
2. Mainly deposits of foreign banks.
3. Capital, rest fund, and undivided profits as at the latest fiscal year-end.
4. Beginning January 31, 1957, month-end figures for chartered bank holdings of Government of Canada and provincial government securities are based on "amortized value" and are therefore not directly comparable with figures for preceding month-ends, which are based on "not exceeding market value".
5. Beginning January 31, 1957, figures for certain chartered bank asset items are not strictly comparable with those for earlier dates, owing to the reallocation of inner reserves consequent upon the securities valuation change referred to in footnote 4. Investment reserves which became redundant were reallocated to apply against other asset items, mainly general loans, loans outside Canada and corporate securities.
6. Including issues payable in foreign currency.
7. Includes securities guaranteed by provincial governments.
8. Securities purchased direct from issuer with a term of less than one year at time of issue are classified as loans.
9. Excluding Canadian day-to-day loans.
10. Loans to grain dealers and exporters.
11. "Call & Short loans to Stockbrokers", "Grain Dealers", "Canada Savings Bonds" and "General Loans" are Research Department estimates.
12. Loans to finance the purchase of Canada Savings Bonds at time of issue.
13. Includes deposits with other banks in foreign currencies, foreign bank notes, gold and coin outside Canada and foreign currency items in transit (net).
14. Includes bank premises, shares of and loans to controlled corporations, gold and coin in Canada, Canadian dollar deposits with other banks and other assets.

* Preliminary.

NOTE: For 1946–1952 data see pages 14–21 in the "Financial Supplement 195 and for 1953–1956 data see pages 16–19 in the "Financial Supplement 1956".

CHARTERED BANKS

ESTIMATED WEEKLY SERIES

Millions of Dollars — *Bank of Canada*

	Bank of Canada Deposits & Notes ★	Cdn. Day-to-Day Loans	Treasury Bills	Govt. of Canada Bonds 1	Other Canadian Securities: Provincial 1, 3, 4	Municipal 4	Corporate	Total	Insured Residential Mortgages	Call & Short 2: To Stock-Brokers	To Others	Provincial 4	Municipal 4
Average of Wednesdays													
1955—July	854	114	391	3,268	312	203	435	950	152	94	88	17	132
Aug.	848	80	416	3,270	315	211	437	964	173	95	52	16	115
Sept.	852	54	379	3,210	334	211	443	988	196	95	40	32	123
Oct.	859	50	363	3,127	336	213	449	997	221	94	52	38	130
Nov.	854	53	298	3,051	336	215	473	1,024	250	99	55	66	117
Dec.	879	57	375	2,721	329	217	482	1,029	281	106	56	94	121
1956—Jan.	921	55	442	2,541	320	214	478	1,012	303	107	53	67	126
Feb.	796	80	542	2,432	312	211	482	1,005	324	114	53	54	147
Mar.	841	61	570	2,352	297	208	482	987	339	117	48	33	179
Apr.	874	17	640	2,184	295	208	480	984	352	119	57	11	213
May	858	59	759	1,994	294	207	489	990	368	126	65	24	216
June	886	78	760	1,932	289	206	504	1,000	385	119	62	39	188
July	871	77	739	1,906	288	202	509	999	400	128	58	25	151
Aug.	878	62	790	1,871	290	200	514	1,004	420	127	41	41	145
Sept.	885	78	798	1,850	289	197	516	1,002	438	120	35	61	153
Oct.	873	76	785	1,826	293	195	517	1,005	459	107	40	69	167
Nov.	881	79	771	1,773	280	191	515	987	480	95	36	108	142
Dec.	905	70	747	1,706	267	186	510	964	493	88	53	124	159
1957—Jan.	905	80	766	1,629	265	179	506	950	496	89	47	67	186
Feb.	805	113	813	1,658 7	270 7	179	504	952 7	502	87	48	72	199
Mar.	832	116	816	1,762	259	176	498	932	507	88	58	60	231
Apr.	866	90	792	1,740	268	173	498	939	505	94	76	26	259
May	879	107	774	1,732	266	171	500	936	508	104	68	24	264
June	888	104	799	1,726	260	168	503	931	501	107	55	24	252
As at													
1956—Dec. 12	911	63	750	1,722	270	187	512	969	493	87	50	128	156
19	942	92	737	1,682	268	185	509	962	497	87	57	118	161
26	909	75	749	1,665	268	185	507	961	494	89	57	113	169
1957—Jan. 2	897	69	753	1,660	265	182	506	953	493	89	59	86	175
9	953	68	753	1,639	265	180	505	950	494	90	45	67	180
16	898	76	762	1,624	265	178	506	948	498	90	48	59	184
23	912	101	762	1,615	266	178	506	950	496	88	42	60	191
30	863	86	804	1,608	265	178	507	950	499	86	39	60	201
Feb. 6	809	110	818	1,607	264	180	507	951	499	85	40	67	187
13	809	115	814	1,626	264	179	506	950	501	86	37	72	195
20	798	117	812	1,642	266	178	505	950	503	85	55	74	204
27 7	804	112	808	1,758 7	285 7	176	497	958 7	506	91	62	74	211
Mar. 6	814	86	829	1,766	258	176	496	930	506	91	64	71	221
13	837	117	822	1,767	259	175	499	934	506	87	53	64	228
20	832	109	813	1,765	259	176	498	932	506	89	57	61	236
27	844	152	802	1,749	259	176	498	933	508	87	59	42	240
Apr. 3	852	93	819	1,755	268	173	496	938	504	90	84	22	252
10	864	95	806	1,733	268	173	498	939	504	91	81	24	254
17	837	76	778	1,735	268	173	498	939	506	96	70	29	260
24	911	96	766	1,737	268	173	498	939	507	98	67	28	271
May 1	846†	105	763	1,740	267	171	498	936	507	105	85	29	272
8	893†	114	757	1,742	266	171	498	935	507	106	70	27	268
15	880†	109	756	1,727	266	170	499	935	508	103	69	22	259
22	887†	91	782	1,731	265	170	501	936	509	104	63	23	265
29	888	116	811	1,721	264	170	503	937	510	104	55	21	257
June 5	833	105	829	1,727	263	168	502	933	500	105	46	23	264
12	903	109	789	1,726	263	168	501	932	500	106	61	24	263
19	903	106	785	1,726	256	168	498	922	502	108	56	27	248
26	914	98	792	1,724	257	169	511	937	503	107	58	20	232
July 3	830	93	788	1,723	260	166	508	935	501	110	52	23	229
10	884	89	773	1,705	271	165	507	944	502	110	56	19	223
17	874	98	773	1,695	270	165	509	943	504	108	51	22	201
24	883	70	794	1,693	274	165	509	948	506	112	68	24	192

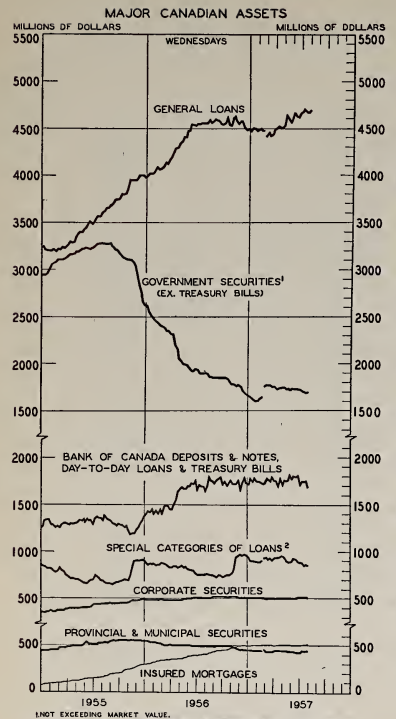
	Loans 2 in Canada: Grain Dealers 5	C.S.B. 6	Sub-Total	General Loans	Total Loans	Total of Foregoing Assets	Estimated Items in Transit (net)	Canadian Dollar Deposits: Personal Savings	Govt. of Canada Deposits	All Other	Total
Average of Wednesdays											
1955—July	337	48	716	3,570	4,286	**10,016**	516	5,599	200	4,456	**10,255**
Aug.	351	36	665	3,653	4,318	**10,068**	491	5,670	182	4,433	**10,285**
Sept.	353	24	665	3,737	4,402	**10,083**	506	5,727	165	4,421	**10,313**
Oct.	361	12	687	3,817	4,504	**10,120**	546	5,775	124	4,492	**10,392**
Nov.	369	112	817	3,948	4,766	**10,295**	558	5,655	443	4,421	**10,520**
Dec.	359	174	909	3,988	4,897	**10,237**	605	5,603	541	4,351	**10,495**
1956—Jan.	361	153	868	4,015	4,884	**10,157**	562	5,651	510	4,228	**10,390**
Feb.	358	136	863	4,069	4,932	**10,110**	539	5,693	495	4,136	**10,324**
Mar.	355	119	852	4,156	5,008	**10,158**	511	5,754	530	4,057	**10,342**
Apr.	331	103	834	4,287	5,121	**10,172**	591	5,822	367	4,234	**10,423**
May	313	85	830	4,427	5,256	**10,285**	654	5,859	437	4,298	**10,595**
June	321	66	794	4,537	5,331	**10,371**	622	5,867	488	4,275	**10,630**
July	340	53	753	4,552	5,305	**10,297**	721	5,898	296	4,428	**10,623**
Aug.	355	39	747	4,571	5,319	**10,343**	613	5,918	307	4,338	**10,563**
Sept.	341	26	737	4,563	5,300	**10,351**	669	5,982	312	4,342	**10,635**
Oct.	347	11	740	4,571	5,312	**10,335**	700	6,047	184	4,413	**10,644**
Nov.	357	130	867	4,581	5,449	**10,420**	674	5,992	370	4,299	**10,661**
Dec.	361	178	963	4,512	5,475	**10,361**	718	5,960	341	4,355	**10,655**
1957—Jan.	361	157	907	4,482	5,389	**10,216**	683	5,992	242	4,258	**10,492**
Feb.	355	138	899	4,463	5,363	**10,207**	612	6,063	335	4,010	**10,408**
Mar.	365	121	923	4,447	5,369	**10,334**	588	6,102	436	3,955	**10,492**
Apr.	374	105	934†	4,511†	5,445	**10,376**	634	6,151	311	4,093	**10,556**
May	373	87†	921†	4,580†	5,500	**10,436**	684	6,167	328	4,180†	**10,675†**
June	401	69	908	4,637	5,545	**10,494**	626	6,164	266	4,236	**10,665**
As at											
1956—Dec. 12	359	181	961	4,509	5,470	**10,378**	619	5,946	385	4,255	**10,586**
19	366	175	965	4,483	5,448	**10,361**	788	5,954	330	4,399	**10,682**
26	363	169	960	4,485	5,445	**10,297**	770	5,956	279	4,431	**10,665**
1957—Jan. 2	364	165	939	4,472	5,411	**10,236**	1,030	6,009	164	4,704	**10,877**
9	361	161	904	4,500	5,404	**10,261**	553	5,985	233	4,176	**10,394**
16	363	157	901	4,486	5,387	**10,193**	698	5,985	262	4,234	**10,481**
23	360	153	895	4,474	5,369	**10,205**	550	5,984	295	4,070	**10,349**
30	359	148	894	4,480	5,374	**10,183**	582	5,998	257	4,106	**10,360**
Feb. 6	358	144	880	4,491	5,372	**10,166**	584	6,066	332	3,947	**10,345**
13	354	140	884	4,476	5,360	**10,174**	570	6,054	324	3,959	**10,337**
20	356	136	909	4,474	5,383	**10,204**	641	6,061	340	4,040	**10,441**
27 7	355	132	925	4,413 7	5,338 7	**10,284**	654	6,071	344	4,096	**10,511**
Mar. 6	356	127	930	4,448	5,379	**10,310**	569	6,102	442	3,918	**10,463**
13	363	123	919	4,422	5,341	**10,323**	555	6,094	455	3,884	**10,434**
20	366	119	928	4,436	5,364	**10,322**	648	6,102	425	4,022	**10,550**
27	370	115	914	4,479	5,393	**10,382**	578	6,108	419	3,995	**10,523**
Apr. 3	373	111	933	4,508	5,441	**10,402**	654	6,163	307	4,101	**10,571**
10	373	107	929	4,522†	5,452	**10,393**	542	6,144	320	4,022	**10,486**
17	375	103†	933†	4,505†	5,438	**10,309**	661	6,149	309	4,074	**10,531**
24	375	99†	939†	4,509†	5,448	**10,403**	682	6,150	309	4,177	**10,635**
May 1	375	95†	960†	4,527†	5,487	**10,384**	879	6,219	309	4,295	**10,823**
8	373	91†	936†	4,631†	5,567	**10,514**	541†	6,178	343	4,075†	**10,596†**
15	373	87†	914†	4,587†	5,501	**10,416†**	693†	6,152	356	4,160†	**10,668†**
22	371	83†	908†	4,557†	5,464	**10,400†**	710†	6,152	336	4,202†	**10,691†**
29	370	79†	887†	4,596†	5,483	**10,466**	599	6,132	294	4,169	**10,595**
June 5	381	75†	895†	4,652†	5,546	**10,472**	601	6,179	294	4,151	**10,625**
12	403	71†	928†	4,633†	5,561	**10,520**	559	6,159	314	4,166	**10,639**
19	410	67†	916†	4,615†	5,531	**10,475**	689	6,161	248	4,312	**10,721**
26	410	63	891	4,650	5,541	**10,508**	656	6,155	207	4,314	**10,676**
July 3	411	60	885	4,676	5,560	**10,429**	867	6,217	126	4,468	**10,810**
10	419	57	883	4,703	5,586	**10,483**	630	6,183	247	4,225	**10,656**
17	412	54	849	4,670	5,518	**10,405**	671	6,206	187	4,248	**10,642**
24	416	51	863	4,668	5,531	**10,425**	573	6,197	189	4,174	**10,560**

★ For data on cash reserves, see section 1 of table on page 206. 1. Valued at "not exceeding market value". 2. Excluding Canadian day-to-day loans. 3. Includes securities guaranteed by provincial governments. 4. Securities purchased direct from issuer with a term of less than 1 year at time of issue are classified as loans. 5. Loans to grain dealers and exporters. 6. Loans to finance the purchase of Canada Savings Bonds at time of issue. 7. Beginning with the weekly statistics for Feb. 27 the chartered banks' holdings of Government of Canada and provincial government securities are valued at "amortized value" rather than at "not exceeding market value" as previously. Because of this change in valuation procedure and the consequent reallocation of inner reserves most of the asset figures for Feb. 27 and subsequent dates, particularly holdings of the securities in question and general loans, are not directly comparable with those of previous weeks. † Revised.

NOTE: FOR DATA BACK TO AUGUST 1953 SEE PAGES 20–27 IN THE "FINANCIAL SUPPLEMENT 1956".

CHARTERED BANKS

ASSETS AND LIABILITIES



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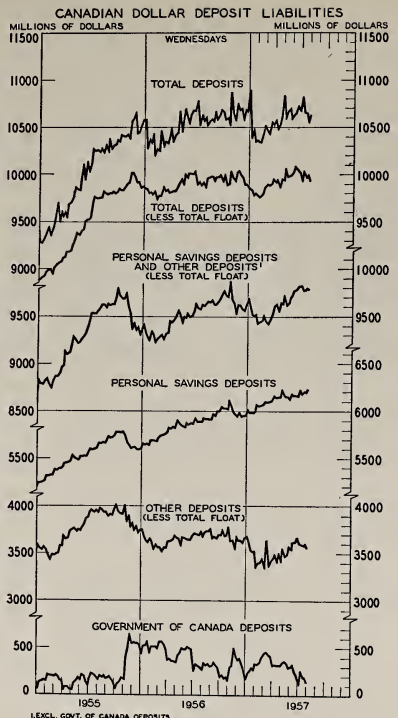

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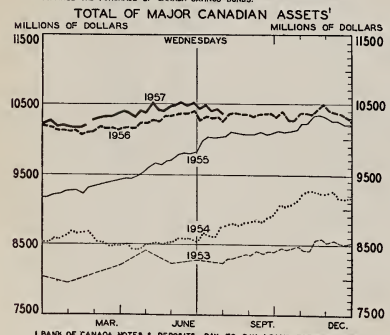

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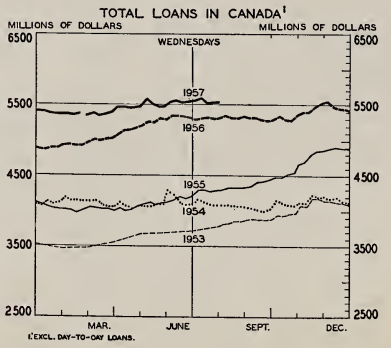

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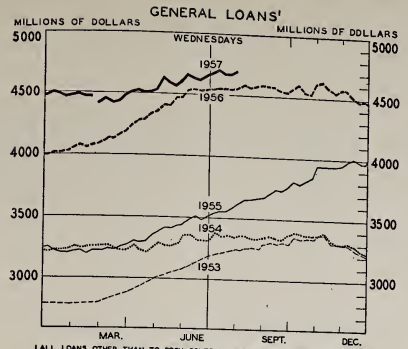
CHARTERED BANKS

SELECTED ASSETS



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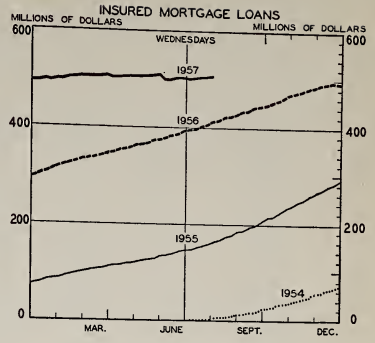

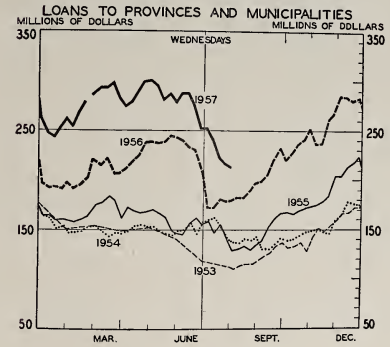

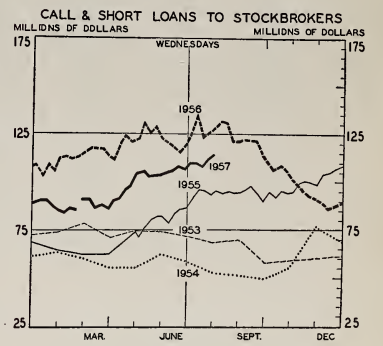

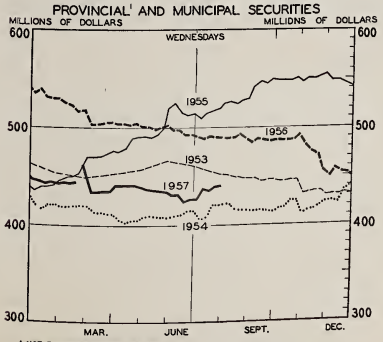

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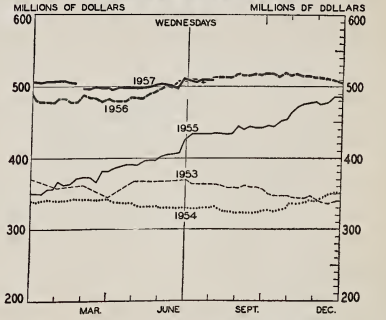

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CHARTERED BANKS
QUARTERLY CLASSIFICATION OF LOANS IN CANADA [1, 2]

Millions of Dollars — *Department of Finance, Bank of Canada*

As at end of	1955 June	1956 Mar.	1956 June	1956 Sept.	1956 Dec.	1957 Mar.	1957 June
General Loans [2]							
Personal							
To individuals, fully secured by marketable bonds and stocks [3]	293.6	363.2	367.7	355.4	323.6	299.6	303.3
Home improvement loans [4]	9.2	25.8	31.3	36.2	37.9	39.4	40.8
To individuals, not elsewhere classified	398.5	442.5	454.6	444.3	435.1	415.8	428.6
Total Personal	701.3	831.5	853.6	835.9	796.6	754.8	772.8
Farmers	329.1	331.8	338.0	367.6	356.7	309.1	329.2
Industry							
Chemical and rubber products	57.6	74.4	68.2	67.6	66.7	74.1	78.7
Electric apparatus and supplies	43.1	60.3	72.5	77.1	62.9	58.9	67.9
Food, beverages and tobacco	156.3	182.0	171.4	182.4	210.5	194.9	199.3
Forest products	140.3	175.1	188.2	195.6	197.5	237.4	247.4
Furniture	20.1	22.5	22.9	22.3	22.7	22.5	22.9
Iron and steel products	94.2	140.4	168.4	157.0	152.8	197.0	255.0
Mining and mine products	62.4	67.2	79.6	101.2	103.4	121.5	147.2
Petroleum and products	65.4	123.0	139.1	134.0	144.7	136.5	101.0
Textiles, leather and clothing	155.3	174.0	176.5	185.8	157.6	171.0	171.0
Transportation equipment	48.8	54.4	54.1	42.9	48.4	60.9	72.6
Other products	59.3	63.2	68.0	70.1	60.0	63.3	67.3
Total Industry	902.8	1,136.5	1,208.9	1,236.1	1,227.3	1,338 0	1,430.2
Merchandisers	612.4	703.6	739.1	721.0	647.4	687.6	715.4
Instalment and other finance companies [5]	272.2	324.9	399.0	377.7	443.2	397.5	401.0
Trust, mortgage, investment and insurance companies and other financial institutions	92.4	118.2	169.7	135.8	120.0	121.1	151.9
Construction contractors	232.5	299.1	341.8	343.8	312.8	299.2	316.7
Public utilities, transportation and communications	81.6	125.9	113.8	137.7	152.2	178.2	171.2
Other business	223.2	287.5	293.5	284.4	285.7	277.7	286.7
Religious, educational, health and welfare institutions	59.2	76.2	78.8	82.5	90.3	82.9	91.3
Total General Loans	**3,506.7**	**4,235.2**	**4,536.2**	**4,522.5**	**4,432.2**	**4,446.2**	**4,666.5**
Other Loans [2]							
Provincial governments [6]	25.6	5.7	27.1	81.0	95.0	40.0	24.8
Municipal governments and school districts [6]	132.8	200.3	157.3	166.7	176.6	249.9	236.1
Stockbrokers [7]	89.6	109.2	121.2	109.6	89.7	85.3	104.6
Investment dealers [1, 7]	59.4	53.3	57.3	38.3	62.1	64.5	61.1
Loans to finance the purchase of Canada Savings Bonds	55.1	113.6	60.0	21.8	169.4	114.9	63.4
Grain dealers and exporters	325.6	353.5	339.7	341.3	372.9	390.6	413.4
Total Other Loans	**688.1**	**835.6**	**762.6**	**758.7**	**965.7**	**945.3**	**903.5**
TOTAL LOANS IN CANADA [1, 2]	**4,194.9**	**5,070.8**	**5,298.9**	**5,281.3**	**5,398.1**	**5,391.5**	**5,570.0**

1. Excludes day-to-day loans.
2. Figures include non-current loans and are net of provision for estimated loss.
3. Excludes loans to finance the purchase of Canada Savings Bonds.
4. Loans under Part IV of the National Housing Act, 1954.
5. Includes small loan companies.
6. Securities purchased direct from issuer with a term of less than one year at time of issue are included in loans.
7. The division of call and short loans between stockbrokers and investment dealers is estimated by Bank of Canada Research Department.
8. Figures for 1957 are not strictly comparable with those for 1956 and earlier dates owing to the reallocation of inner reserves consequent upon the securities valuation change referred to in footnote 4 on page 206.

NOTE: For data back to 1953 see pages 28–29 in the "Financial Supplement 1956".

CANADIAN DOLLAR CURRENCY AND BANK DEPOSITS HELD BY THE GENERAL PUBLIC

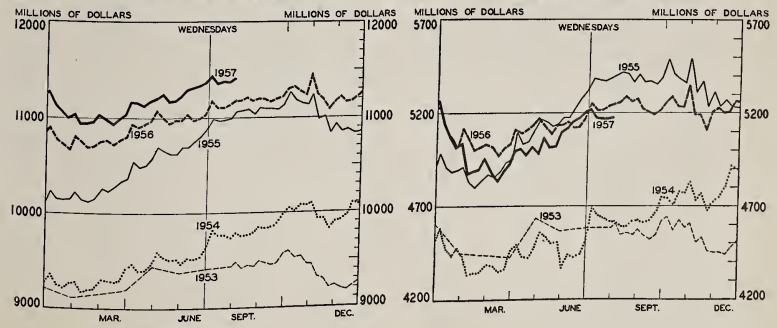
Millions of Dollars — *Bank of Canada*

	Currency Outside Banks			Chartered Bank Deposits			Total Currency and Chartered Bank Deposits [1]	
	Notes	Coin	Total	Personal Savings Deposits	Other Deposits [1]	Total [1]	Excluding Personal Savings Deposits	Including Personal Savings Deposits
As at Dec. 31								
1952	1,289	88	1,377	4,600	3,281	7,881	4,658	9,258
1953	1,335	94	1,429	4,756	3,129	7,885	4,558	9,314
1954	1,362	96	1,458	5,218	3,462	8,680	4,920	10,137
1955	1,449	101	1,550	5,633	3,697	9,330	5,248	10,881
1956	1,498	108	1,605	6,007	3,580	9,587	5,185	11,192
End of								
1955—July	1,413	98	1,511	5,630	3,886	9,516	5,397	11,027
Aug.	1,374	97	1,471	5,696	3,931	9,627	5,402	11,098
Sept.	1,436	99	1,535	5,757	3,853	9,610	5,388	11,145
Oct.	1,397	100	1,497	5,839	3,929	9,768	5,426	11,265
Nov.	1,395	100	1,495	5,615	3,815	9,430	5,310	10,925
Dec.	1,449	101	1,550	5,633	3,697	9,330	5,248	10,881
1956—Jan.	1,358	98	1,457	5,676	3,593	9,269	5,049	10,726
Feb.	1,375	99	1,474	5,721	3,557	9,278	5,031	10,753
Mar.	1,458	102	1,561	5,791	3,501	9,292	5,062	10,853
Apr.	1,415	102	1,517	5,919	3,596	9,514	5,113	11,031
May	1,425	102	1,527	5,844	3,600	9,444	5,127	10,972
June	1,500	104	1,604	5,881	3,646	9,527	5,250	11,131
July	1,458	103	1,561	5,923	3,668	9,591	5,229	11,152
Aug.	1,515	106	1,621	5,941	3,745	9,686	5,366	11,306
Sept.	1,514	106	1,620	6,020	3,656	9,676	5,276	11,295
Oct.	1,472	106	1,578	6,098	3,764	9,862	5,342	11,440
Nov.	1,543	108	1,651	5,974	3,607	9,582	5,258	11,233
Dec.	1,498	108	1,605	6,007	3,580	9,587	5,185	11,192
1957—Jan.	1,445	104	1,549	6,039	3,470	9,509	5,019	11,058
Feb.	1,457	105	1,562	6,090	3,329	9,419	4,892	10,982
Mar.	1,500	107	1,607	6,153	3,328	9,481	4,935	11,088
Apr.	1,457	107	1,564	6,211	3,406	9,617	4,970	11,181
May	1,523	109	1,631	6,161	3,382	9,543	5,014	11,174
June	1,559	110	1,669	6,196	3,448	9,644	5,117	11,313

1. Less total float, i.e. cheques and other items in transit (net). Excludes Government of Canada deposits.

NOTE: For data back to 1953 see page 32 in the "Financial Supplement 1956".

CURRENCY AND CHARTERED BANK DEPOSITS[1] HELD BY THE GENERAL PUBLIC



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CLASSIFICATION OF GOVERNMENT OF CANADA DIRECT AND GUARANTEED SECURITIES

Millions of Dollars, Par Value — *Bank of Canada*

	Direct Funded Debt Outstanding							Guaranteed Funded Debt	Total Outstanding
	Treasury Bills	Treasury Notes	Deposit Certificates	Other Unmatured Market Issues	Matured and Outstanding Market Issues	Non-market Issues 1	Total		2
As at Dec. 31									
1952	450	750	200	11,995	19	1,250	14,664	522	**15,186**
1953	650	750	–	12,066	19	1,632	15,117	520	**15,637**
1954	780	750	–	10,854	74	2,090	14,547	918	**15,465**
1955	1,225	500	–	10,952	30	2,433	15,140	860	**16,000**
1956	1,575	–	–	10,298	27	2,541	14,441	793	**15,234**
End of									
1956—Feb.	1,430	500	–	10,903	32	2,405	15,270	793	**16,063**
Mar.	1,600	500	–	10,903	30	2,387	15,420	793	**16,213**
Apr.	1,650	500	–	10,903	30	2,363	15,446	793	**16,239**
May	1,690	–	–	10,903	28	2,327	14,948	793	**15,741**
June	1,690	–	–	10,848	35	2,293	14,866	793	**15,659**
July	1,700	–	–	10,448	34	2,264	14,446	793	**15,238**
Aug.	1,710	–	–	10,448	30	2,237	14,425	793	**15,218**
Sept.	1,730	–	–	10,448	29	2,210	14,417	793	**15,210**
Oct.	1,720	–	–	10,448	28	2,199	14,395	793	**15,188**
Nov.	1,625	–	–	10,448	26	2,593	14,692	793	**15,485**
Dec.	1,575	–	–	10,298	27	2,541	14,441	793	**15,234**
1957—Jan.	1,565	–	–	10,298	23	2,508	14,394	793	**15,187**
Feb.	1,605	–	–	10,298	21	2,475	14,399	793	**15,192**
Mar.	1,625	–	–	10,298	20	2,436	14,379	793	**15,172**
Apr.	1,625	–	–	10,298	20	2,394	14,337	793	**15,130**
May	1,625	–	–	10,298	19	2,350	14,292	793	**15,085†**
June	1,625	–	–	10,148	22	2,314	14,109	793	**14,901**

For footnotes see table below.

DISTRIBUTION OF GOVERNMENT OF CANADA DIRECT AND GUARANTEED SECURITIES

Millions of Dollars, Par Value — *Bank of Canada*

	Bank of Canada	Chartered Banks 3	Government of Canada Accounts			General Public			Total Outstanding
			Securities Investment Account 4	Unemployment Insurance Fund	Other	Market Issues 3	Non-market Issues 1	Total 3	2
As at Dec. 31									
1952	2,271	2,905	47	859	195	7,659	1,250	8,909	**15,186**
1953	2,322	2,862	119	919	276	7,507	1,632	9,139	**15,637**
1954	2,267	3,375	–	892	312	6,529	2,090	8,619	**15,465**
1955	2,416	3,132	200	884	407	6,528	2,433	8,961	**16,000**
1956	2,426	2,534	160	924	434	6,215	2,541	8,756	**15,234**
End of									
1956—Feb.	2,246	3,027	475	867	410	6,633	2,405	9,038	**16,063**
Mar.	2,290	2,978	695	853	401	6,608	2,387	8,995	**16,213**
Apr.	2,346	2,872	810	838	413	6,596	2,363	8,959	**16,238**
May	2,299	2,815	350	841	415	6,694	2,327	9,021	**15,741**
June	2,374	2,797	341	850	415	6,588	2,293	8,881	**15,659**
July	2,387	2,717	80	862	414	6,514	2,264	8,777	**15,238**
Aug.	2,428	2,751	105	880	418	6,400	2,237	8,636	**15,218**
Sept.	2,453	2,732	105	895	422	6,394	2,210	8,604	**15,210**
Oct.	2,454	2,675	165	909	421	6,363	2,199	8,562	**15,188**
Nov.	2,478	2,624	190	919	430	6,250	2,593	8,844	**15,485**
Dec.	2,426	2,534	160	924	434	6,215	2,541	8,756	**15,234**
1957—Jan.	2,302	2,535	182	917	437	6,305	2,508	8,813	**15,187**
Feb.	2,249	2,580	182	899	442	6,365	2,475	8,840	**15,192**
Mar.	2,288	2,573	182	878	429	6,386	2,436	8,822	**15,172**
Apr.	2,353	2,509	182	858	433	6,400	2,394	8,794	**15,130**
May	2,354	2,549	112	847	530	6,343†	2,350	8,693	**15,085†**
June	2,410	2,530	–	854	508	6,285	2,314	8,599	**14,901**

1. Refundable Tax, War Savings Certificates and Canada Savings Bonds, and since May 1, 1954, Canada Savings Bonds only.
2. Foreign pay issues are converted at the rate of £1 = $2.80 U.S. = $2.80 Cdn. Excludes sinking fund and government account "N" holdings of Newfoundland sterling securities assumed by the Government of Canada. For details by issue at June 30, 1957, see table on page 177.
3. Chartered bank holdings are shown at estimated par value; the figures for general public holdings are residuals obtained by deducting all other holdings from the total outstanding.
4. Market issues only, i.e., excludes holdings of Canada Savings Bonds being purchased on the payroll plan by Government employees, which are included under general public holdings of non-market issues. † Revised.

NOTE: For data back to 1953 see pages 33–34 in the "Financial Supplement 1956".

GOVERNMENT OF CANADA THEORETICAL BOND YIELDS[1]

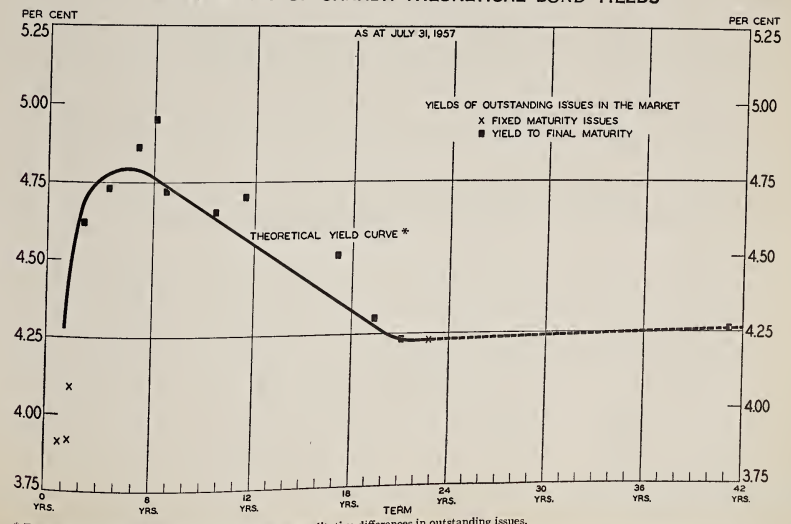
Percent per Annum — *Bank of Canada*

	1 Year	2 Years	3 Years	5 Years	10 Years	15 Years	20 Years	25 Years
1956—Apr. 13	3.17	3.38	3.49	3.58	3.49	3.50	3.51	3.52
30	3.40	3.56	3.64	3.67	3.58	3.59	3.61	3.62
May 15	3.34	3.51	3.61	3.65	3.54	3.56	3.58	3.60
31	2.98	3.35	3.56	3.66	3.51	3.52	3.52	3.53
June 15	2.98	3.32	3.49	3.54	3.43	3.42	3.41	3.41
29	2.70	3.12	3.33	3.46	3.39	3.38	3.39	3.40
July 13	2.97	3.30	3.43	3.56	3.48	3.46	3.45	3.44
31	3.20	3.44	3.56	3.68	3.58	3.59	3.60	3.61
Aug. 15	3.69	3.93	3.97	3.95	3.78	3.76	3.75	3.74
31	3.57	3.86	3.89	3.88	3.78	3.77	3.76	3.76
Sept. 15	3.87	3.94	3.96	3.91	3.79	3.78	3.78	3.78
29	3.80	3.95	4.01	4.05	3.87	3.88	3.88	3.88
Oct. 15	3.82	3.97	4.03	4.05	3.86	3.85	3.84	3.84
31	4.03	4.12	4.17	4.19	3.94	3.90	3.87	3.85
Nov. 15	4.11	4.24	4.35	4.41	4.02	3.93	3.90	3.89
30	4.32	4.46	4.50	4.51	4.13	3.98	3.93	3.92
Dec. 14	4.32	4.48	4.51	4.51	4.08	3.97	3.95	3.94
31	4.41	4.56	4.60	4.60	4.10	4.01	4.00	3.99
1957—Jan. 15	4.62	4.84	4.84	4.67	4.23	4.13	4.10	4.08
31	4.74	4.80	4.81	4.79	4.28	4.18	4.16	4.13
Feb. 15	4.43	4.49	4.52	4.54	4.05	4.03	4.02	4.01
28	4.08	4.26	4.38	4.45	4.03	4.00	3.98	3.97
Mar. 15	4.07	4.21	4.29	4.35	4.05	4.01	3.97	3.95
29	4.18	4.29	4.37	4.41	4.13	4.06	3.99	3.95
Apr. 15	4.14	4.34	4.43	4.49	4.20	4.10	4.00	3.94
30	4.18	4.49	4.58	4.61	4.35	4.16	4.01	3.96
May 15	4.25	4.58	4.64	4.64	4.40	4.27	4.15	4.11
31	4.33	4.68	4.74	4.69	4.46	4.31	4.17	4.14
June 15	4.30	4.65	4.73	4.77	4.47	4.30	4.16	4.14
28	4.35	4.72	4.81	4.82	4.56	4.37	4.20	4.18
July 15	4.38	4.70	4.80	4.84	4.61	4.42	4.25	4.22
31	4.23	4.68	4.76	4.79	4.64	4.45	4.26	4.24

1. Obtained as indicated by chart below.

NOTE: For 1952 data see page 38 in the "Financial Supplement 1955" and for 1953–1956 data see pages 42–43 in the "Financial Supplement 1956".

GOVERNMENT OF CANADA THEORETICAL BOND YIELDS



* Free-hand curve which takes into account certain qualitative differences in outstanding issues.

MONEY MARKET STATISTICS

WEEKLY SERIES

Bank of Canada

	Bank of Canada[1]			Chartered Banks					Treasury Bills[2]				Distribution of Govt. of Canada Direct and Gtd. Securities[2] (Including Treasury Bills)								
	Outstanding Advances to Chartered and Savings Banks	Can. Govt. Securities Held Under Purchase & Resale Agreements		Cash Ratio Statutory Basis		Day-to-Day Loans			Weekly Tender on Thurs. following Wed. date shown				Distribution								
		At Date	Maximum During Week	At Date	Average: Month to Date	Closing Rate	Wkly. Av. of Daily Closing Rates	Amount Outstanding	Average Yield 3 Month Bills	Average Yield 9 Month Bills	Amount Sold 3 Month Bills	Amount Sold 9 Month Bills	Total	Bank of Canada	Chartered Banks[3]	Government Accounts	General Public: Canada Savings Bonds	General Public: Matured & Outstanding Market Issues	General Public: Other Unmatured	General Public: Total	
	Millions of Dollars			*Percent*				*mm. of $*	*Percent*		*Millions of Dollars*		*Par Value in Millions of Dollars*								
Wednesdays																					**Wednesdays**
1955—May 25	–	–	–	8.1	8.4	1	.94	117	1.30	1.61	40	15	15,440	2,204	3,690	1,199	1,988	46	6,313	8,347	25 May—1955
June 29	–	–	4	8.4	8.3	1 1/8	1.20	104	1.44	1.71	40	15	15,410	2,298	3,667	1,207	1,961	41	6,236	8,238	29 June
July 27	–	–	–	8.1	8.4	1 1/8	1.08	109	1.43	1.72	40	15	15,519	2,301	3,741	1,247	1,942	40	6,248	8,230	27 July
Aug. 31	–	–	8	8.1	8.3	1 1/2	1.53	90	1.70	1.95	40	15	15,519	2,314	3,735	1,279	1,921	37	6,233	8,191	31 Aug.
Sept. 28	–	–	–	8.4	8.2	1 5/8	1.80	41	1.83	2.10	40	15	15,520	2,357	3,611	1,360	1,902	35	6,255	8,192	28 Sept.
Oct. 26	16	4	12	8.4	8.3	2 1/8	2.13	53	2.20	–	60	–	15,582	2,347	3,498	1,434	1,917	33	6,353	8,303	26 Oct.
Nov. 30	4	–	2	8.4	8.3	2 1/4	2.25	54	2.58	–	60	–	15,974	2,422	3,323	1,334	2,461	31	6,403	8,895	30 Nov.
Dec. 28	–	–	–	8.2	8.2	2 3/8	2.38	56	2.56	–	75	–	15,982	2,423	3,108	1,492	2,435	30	6,494	8,959	28 Dec.
1956—Jan. 25	–	–	–	8.3	8.4	2 1/4	2.33	54	2.53	–	100	–	15,989	2,303	3,038	1,604	2,415	35	6,595	9,044	25 Jan.—1956
Feb. 29	–	6	6	8.1	8.2	2 1/2	2.50	82	2.56	–	115	–	16,063	2,246	3,027	1,752	2,405	32	6,601	9,038	29 Feb.
Mar. 28	–	–	3	7.9	8.2	2 5/8	2.58	62	2.64	–	115	–	16,188	2,296	2,957	1,935	2,387	30	6,583	9,000	28 Mar.
Apr. 25	10	–	–	8.3	8.2	2 5/8	2.68	13	2.89	–	125	–	16,229	2,329	2,856	2,067	2,363	30	6,584	8,976	25 Apr.
May 30	26	–	–	8.2	8.2	2 3/4	2.73	63	2.72	–	130	–	15,737	2,302	2,802	1,604	2,323	28	6,678	9,029	30 May
June 27	5	–	–	8.3	8.3	2 3/8	2.48	62	2.52	–	130	–	15,658	2,392	2,795	1,606	2,293	35	6,538	8,865	27 June
July 25	12	–	–	8.1	8.3	2 5/8	2.63	81	2.65	–	130	–	15,236	2,398	2,699	1,352	2,266	35	6,487	8,787	25 July
Aug. 29	–	–	–	8.2	8.4	2 1/4	2.40	32	2.90	–	135	–	15,214	2,422	2,762	1,403	2,237	31	6,360	8,627	29 Aug.
Sept. 26	–	–	–	8.2	8.3	2 3/4	2.88	95	3.16	–	135	–	15,205	2,441	2,739	1,424	2,210	29	6,362	8,601	26 Sept.
Oct. 31	–	–	26	8.6	8.3	2 3/4	2.90	85	3.34	–	115	–	15,187	2,454	2,675	1,496	2,199	28	6,336	8,562	31 Oct.
Nov. 28	50	–	–	8.5	8.2	2 7/8	3.03	97	3.52	–	115	–	15,494	2,451	2,610	1,540	2,582	26	6,285	8,893	28 Nov.
Dec. 26	10	–	–	8.2	8.3	3 1/4	3.25	75	3.67	–	125	–	15,233	2,506	2,530	1,447	2,530	28	6,193	8,750	26 Dec.
1957—Jan. 30	–	–	–	8.2	8.2	3	3.00	86	3.70	–	125	–	15,178	2,312	2,530	1,536	2,500	23	6,278	8,800	30 Jan.—1957
Feb. 27	–	–	12	8.4	8.2	3 1/2	3.55	112	3.76	–	125	–	15,187	2,254	2,570	1,520	2,470	21	6,352	8,844	27 Feb.
Mar. 27	10	–	14	8.2	8.2	3 5/8	3.70	152	3.70	–	125	–	15,169	2,280	2,554	1,501	2,433	20	6,380	8,833	27 Mar.
Apr. 24	21	–	5	8.4	8.1	3 3/4	3.71	96	3.75	–	125	–	15,132	2,353	2,506	1,477	2,396	20	6,380	8,796	24 Apr.
May 29	25	–	–	8.2	8.2	3 3/8	3.53	116	3.76	–	125	–	15,082	2,352	2,535	1,494	2,348	19	6,335	8,701	29 May
June 26	24	–	9	8.4	8.2	3 3/4	3.83	97	3.81	–	125	–	14,900†	2,404	2,519†	1,397	2,312	22†	6,245	8,580†	26 June
July 31	–	–	3	7.7	8.1	3 3/4	3.75	80	3.81	–	125	–	14,789	2,401	2,494	1,371	2,268	20	6,235	8,523	31 July
Weekly																					**Weekly**
1957—Feb. 6	–	–	4	8.3	8.4	3 1/4	3.25	110	3.72	–	125	–	15,188	2,272	2,544	1,531	2,500	22	6,319	8,841	6 Feb.—1957
13	–	8	8	8.2	8.2	3 1/2	3.40	115	3.75	–	125	–	15,184	2,261	2,559	1,531	2,487	22	6,324	8,832	13
20	–	20	22	8.1	8.2	3 3/4	3.70	117	3.81	–	125	–	15,186	2,233	2,572	1,530	2,479	21	6,350	8,850	20
27	–	–	12	8.4	8.2	3 1/2	3.55	112	3.76	–	125	–	15,187	2,254	2,570	1,520	2,470	21	6,352	8,844	27
Mar. 6	–	1	10	8.1	8.0	3 3/4	3.50	86	3.72	–	125	–	15,192	2,253	2,598	1,516	2,466	21	6,339	8,826	6 Mar.
13	11	–	17	8.2	8.1	3 3/4	3.75	117	3.73	–	125	–	15,187	2,279	2,592	1,510	2,451	21	6,335	8,807	12
20	–	–	–	8.2	8.1	3 1/2	3.65	109	3.69	–	125	–	15,177	2,292	2,581	1,508	2,441	21	6,336	8,797	20
27	10	–	14	8.2	8.2	3 5/8	3.70	152	3.70	–	125	–	15,169	2,280	2,554	1,501	2,433	20	6,380	8,833	27
Apr. 3	30	–	–	8.3	8.1	3 5/8	3.55	93	3.69	–	125	–	15,165	2,277	2,577	1,490	2,430	20	6,372	8,822	3 Apr.
10	–	4	49	8.2	8.1	3 3/4	3.73	95	3.71	–	125	–	15,148	2,295	2,542	1,485	2,413	20	6,394	8,827	10
17	–	28	28	8.1	8.1	3 3/4	3.75	76	3.73	–	125	–	15,138	2,344	2,516	1,481	2,402	20	6,376	8,798	17
24	21	–	5	8.4	8.1	3 3/4	3.71	96	3.75	–	125	–	15,132	2,353	2,506	1,477	2,396	20	6,380	8,796	24
May 1	–	–	–	8.2	8.2	3 3/4	3.73	105	3.76	–	125	–	15,127	2,352	2,506	1,473	2,392	20	6,385	8,796	1 May
8	–	6	29	8.3	8.1	3 7/8	3.80	114	3.78	–	125	–	15,115	2,364	2,501	1,498	2,379	19	6,352	8,751	8
15	–	–	4	8.3	8.2	3 5/8	3.75	109	3.78	–	125	–	15,099	2,379	2,486	1,497	2,364	19	6,354	8,737	15
22	–	–	–	8.1	8.2	3 5/8	3.72	91	3.76	–	125	–	15,091	2,362	2,516	1,497	2,357	19	6,341	8,717	22
29	25	–	–	8.2	8.2	3 3/8	3.53	116	3.76	–	125	–	15,082	2,352	2,535	1,494	2,348	19	6,335	8,701	29
June 5	–	32	32	7.9	7.9	3 7/8	3.70	105	3.79	–	125	–	15,078	2,395	2,558	1,482	2,344	19	6,280	8,643	5 June
12	–	–	26	8.3	8.1	3 3/4	3.85	109	3.79	–	125	–	15,064	2,401	2,518	1,480	2,331	18	6,315	8,665	12
19	–	6	23	8.3	8.1	3 7/8	3.83	106	3.80	–	125	–	14,916	2,410	2,514	1,398	2,321	30	6,244	8,595	19
26	24	–	9	8.4	8.2	3 3/4	3.83	97	3.81	–	125	–	14,900†	2,404	2,519†	1,397	2,312	22†	6,245	8,580†	26
July 3	12	8	8	8.1	8.1	3 3/4	3.69	93	3.81	–	125	–	14,828	2,421	2,510	1,361	2,306	21	6,210	8,537	3 July
10	–	25	25	8.1	8.1	4	3.85	89	3.81	–	125	–	14,817	2,460	2,478	1,366	2,296	21	6,197	8,513	10
17	–	–	20	8.2	8.2	3 3/4	3.75	98	3.81	–	125	–	14,804	2,462	2,468	1,365	2,283	20	6,206	8,510	17
24	–	–	–	8.1	8.2	3 1/4	3.58	70	3.80	–	125	–	14,796	2,434	2,486	1,369	2,275	20	6,212	8,507	24
31	–	–	3	7.7	8.1	3 3/4	3.75	80	3.81	–	125	–	14,789	2,401	2,494	1,371	2,268	20	6,235	8,523	31

1. Bank Rate, the minimum rate at which the Bank of Canada will make temporary loans or advances, stood at 2% from October 1950 to February 14, 1955 when it was reduced to 1½%. The rate was raised to 2% on August 5, 1955, to 2¼% on October 12, 1955, to 2¾% on November 18, 1955, to 3% on April 4, 1956, to 3¼% on August 9, 1956, and to 3½% on October 17, 1956. Since November 1, 1956, Bank Rate has been ¼ of 1% above the latest weekly average tender rate for 91-day Treasury Bills.

2. This table has been revised to show all holdings of Government of Canada direct and guaranteed securities at par value, and for this reason the figures for Bank of Canada and chartered bank holdings differ from those appearing on pages 204, 206 and 208. Foreign-pay issues are valued at uniform exchange rates of £1 = $2.80 U.S. = $2.80 Cdn.

3. Estimated par value.

† Revised.

NOTE: For data back to July 1954 see pages 36–41 in the "Financial Supplement 1956".

TREASURY BILL RATES, GOVERNMENT BOND PRICES[1] AND MARKET YIELDS[2]

SELECTED ISSUES[3]

CANADA, UNITED STATES, UNITED KINGDOM

Bank of Canada

	Weighted Average of Tender Rates on 3 Month Treasury Bills[4]			Canada								United States						United Kingdom				
				3% Sept. 1/61–66		2¾% June 15/67–68		3¾% Jan. 15/75–78		3¼% Oct. 1/79		2½% Dec. 15/63–68		2½% Dec. 15/67–72		3¼% June 15/78–83		3% Apr. 15/59–69		3% Aug. 15/65–75		
	Canada	U.S.	U.K.	Price	Yield	Price	Yield	Price	Yield	Price	Yield	Price	Yield	Price	Yield	Price	Yield	Price	Yield	Price	Yield	
Wednesdays				*Cdn. $*		*Cdn. $*		*Cdn. $*		*Cdn. $*		*U.S. $*		*U.S. $*		*U.S. $*		£		£		**Wednesdays**
1955—July 27	1.43	1.72	3.97	101 1/2	2.73	97 7/8	2.95	107 1/2	3.23	100 7/8	3.20	95 7/32	2.93	94 9/32	2.94	104 7/8	2.96	83 13/32	4.65	80 5/32	4.51	27 July—1955
Aug. 31	1.70	2.09	4.07	99 3/4	3.03	96 3/4	3.06	105 3/4	3.34	99 3/4	3.27	95 5/16	2.92	94 15/32	2.90	104 1/8	2.99	79 1/4	5.14	76 1/2	4.85	31 Aug.
Sept. 28	1.83	2.12	4.07	99 1/4	3.08	96 3/8	3.10	105 1/2	3.36	99 5/8	3.27	96	2.86	95 9/32	2.85	104 3/4	2.96	81 3/4	4.85	78	4.71	28 Sept.
Oct. 26	2.20	2.23	4.07	99 1/4	3.08	95 3/4	3.16	105 1/2	3.36	99 5/8	3.27	96 7/8	2.78	95 27/32	2.81	105 3/4	2.90	84 3/32	4.60	80 21/32	4.48	26 Oct.
Nov. 30	2.58	2.45	4.07	97 1/2	3.28	94 3/8	3.30	105	3.39	97 3/4	3.39	96 3/8	2.83	94 27/32	2.89	105 1/4	2.93	82 13/16	4.74	79	4.64	30 Nov.
Dec. 28	2.56	2.69	4.07	97 1/4	3.31	93 1/2	3.39	103 3/4	3.48	97 3/8	3.41	95 3/4	2.89	94 13/16	2.89	105 1/32	2.94	82 1/32	4.85	78 3/8	4.69	28 Dec.
1956—Jan. 25	2.53	2.25	4.07	98	3.22	94 1/2	3.29	104 1/2	3.43	98 3/8	3.35	96 1/2	2.83	95 3/4	2.82	105 3/4	2.90	80 13/32	5.04	77	4.83	25 Jan.—1956
Feb. 29	2.56	2.41	5.20	98	3.23	95	3.25	105 1/4	3.37	99 1/8	3.30	96 15/32	2.83	95 21/32	2.83	105 11/16	2.90	80 1/2	5.06	76 7/8	4.85	29 Feb.
Mar. 28	2.64	2.17	5.17	97 7/8	3.33	93 1/2	3.40	103 1/2	3.49	97 3/8	3.41	94 23/32	3.00	93 15/16	2.96	104 1/32	3.00	79 1/32	5.23	75 3/32	5.03	28 Mar.
Apr. 25	2.89	2.79	5.01	94 3/4	3.61	92 1/2	3.51	100 3/4	3.69	94 1/2	3.60	93 23/32	3.10	92 25/32	3.06	102 5/8	3.12	80 13/32	5.08	75 13/16	4.96	25 Apr.
May 30	2.72	2.57	5.01	95 5/8	3.51	92 5/8	3.51	102	3.60	95 7/8	3.51	95 13/16	2.90	95 1/4	2.86	104 5/16	2.98	79	5.27	74 3/4	5.07	30 May
June 27	2.52	2.54	5.14	96 3/8	3.42	93 5/8	3.40	103 3/4	3.47	98	3.37	95 7/16	2.96	94 9/16	2.92	104 1/4	2.99	77 13/32	5.45	73 5/32	5.24	27 June
July 25	2.65	2.30	4.98	95 3/8	3.55	92 1/2	3.53	101 1/2	3.64	95 1/4	3.55	93 3/32	3.09	93 7/32	3.03	102 1/16	3.12	77 27/32	5.43	72 7/16	5.36	25 July
Aug. 29	2.90	2.83	5.02	93 7/8	3.74	90	3.81	99 1/2	3.78	93 1/8	3.69	91 15/32	3.35	90 15/16	3.22	100 13/32	3.25	79 1/4	5.28	74 1/4	5.14	29 Aug.
Sept. 26	3.16	2.99	5.09	92 7/8	3.87	89 1/2	3.88	98	3.89	91 1/2	3.81	92 5/16	3.27	91 13/16	3.15	100 1/8	3.24	77 17/32	5.51	72 31/32	5.37	26 Sept.
Oct. 31	3.34	2.89	5.00	92 1/4	3.96	89	3.94	98	3.89	91 1/8	3.84	91 11/16	3.34	90 23/32	3.24	99 3/16	3.30	78 3/4	5.37	72 3/8	5.35	31 Oct.
Nov. 28	3.52	3.17	5.02	91 1/8	4.11	88 3/4	3.97	97	3.96	90 3/4	3.86	90 31/32	3.42	89 19/32	3.34	98 1/4	3.35	77 3/4	5.49	71 1/4	5.47	28 Nov.
Dec. 26	3.67	3.22	4.86	90 7/8	4.16	88 3/4	3.98	96 3/4	3.98	90 1/2	3.90	90 15/32	3.48	88 9/16	3.44	97 1/2	3.39	78 13/32	5.43	72 13/32	5.36	26 Dec.
1957—Jan. 30	3.70	3.28	4.54	89 1/2	4.35	86 3/4	4.23	95	4.11	87	4.14	92 9/16	3.26	91 9/16	3.18	99 1/4	3.29	83	4.86	77 6/8	4.84	30 Jan.—1957
Feb. 27	3.76	3.29	4.00	91 5/8	4.07	88 1/2	4.02	96 1/4	4.02	89 1/2	3.96	91 13/32	3.34	90 9/16	3.27	99 5/16	3.29	82 5/8	4.91	76 31/32	4.91	27 Feb.
Mar. 27	3.70	3.03	4.11	91 1/4	4.13	87 1/2	4.15	96 1/4	4.02	90	3.92	92 9/16	3.27	91 1/2	3.19	99 1/4	3.30	81 19/32	5.05	75 17/32	5.06	27 Mar.
Apr. 24	3.75	3.05	3.91	89 5/8	4.36	86	4.35	96 1/2	4.02	89 1/2	3.96	91 1/16	3.44	89 7/8	3.33	97 7/16	3.41	81 1/4	5.11	75	5.12	24 Apr.
May 29	3.76	3.25	3.92	89	4.46	85	4.49	94 1/2	4.15	86 3/4	4.17	89 1/2	3.62	88 7/16	3.47	96 5/8	3.48	79 5/16	5.38	72 29/32	5.36	29 May
June 26	3.81	3.23	3.85	88	4.62	84 1/2	4.56	94	4.19	86 3/4	4.17	87 1/4	3.89	86 3/8	3.66	93 7/8	3.61	78 3/32	5.45	70 9/16	5.60	26 June
July 31	3.81	3.36	3.82	87 3/4	4.67	83 1/2	4.71	93 1/4	4.25	85 3/4	4.25	87 1/2	3.87	86 13/16	3.63	93 1/4	3.66	79 9/16	5.38	70 3/4	5.59	31 July
Weekly																						**Weekly**
1957—Feb. 13	3.75	3.06	4.28	91 5/8	4.06	88	4.08	95 1/4	4.09	88 1/4	4.05	93 5/8	3.15	92 7/16	3.11	99 7/8	3.26	83 1/2	4.81	77 6/32	4.89	13 Feb.—1957
20	3.81	3.18	4.15	90 3/4	4.19	88 1/4	4.05	95 3/8	4.08	88 3/4	4.01	92 7/16	3.28	91 3/16	3.21	99 7/16	3.28	82 13/16	4.89	76 23/32	4.94	20
27	3.76	3.29	4.00	91 5/8	4.07	88 1/2	4.02	96 1/4	4.02	89 1/2	3.96	91 13/16	3.34	90 9/16	3.27	99 5/16	3.29	82 5/8	4.91	76 23/32	4.91	27
Mar. 6	3.72	3.25	4.02	91 1/4	4.12	88	4.09	95 3/4	4.05	89 3/4	3.94	91 5/16	3.40	90 5/16	3.29	99 9/16	3.27	82 7/32	4.96	76 23/32	4.91	6 Mar.
13	3.73	3.24	4.12	91 5/8	4.07	88 1/4	4.06	96	4.04	90	3.92	91 13/16	3.35	90 7/8	3.24	99 11/16	3.27	82 21/32	4.92	76 27/32	4.93	13
20	3.69	3.04	4.13	91 1/4	4.13	87 1/2	4.15	96 1/4	4.02	90	3.92	92 3/8	3.29	91 9/16	3.22	99 1/2	3.28	81 11/32	5.09	75 3/32	5.10	20
27	3.70	3.03	4.11	91 1/4	4.13	87 1/2	4.15	96 1/4	4.02	90	3.92	92 9/16	3.27	91 1/2	3.19	99 1/8	3.30	81 15/32	5.05	75 17/32	5.06	27
Apr. 3	3.69	3.05	4.15	91	4.16	87 1/4	4.19	96 1/4	4.02	90	3.92	92 7/16	3.29	91 3/8	3.20	98 13/16	3.32	81 17/32	5.07	75 5/8	5.06	3 Apr.
10	3.71	3.15	4.04	90 3/4	4.20	87	4.22	96 1/2	4.00	89 3/4	3.94	92 5/8	3.32	91	3.24	98 11/16	3.33	81 9/32	5.10	75 1/2	5.07	10
17	3.73	3.19	3.94	90 3/8	4.26	86 1/2	4.28	96 3/8	4.01	89 3/4	3.94	91 5/8	3.43	89 7/8	3.33	98 1/8	3.36	80 13/32	5.19	74 3/8	5.18	17
24	3.75	3.05	3.91	89 5/8	4.36	86	4.35	96 1/4	4.02	89 1/2	3.96	91 1/16	3.44	89 7/8	3.33	97 5/16	3.41	81 1/4	5.11	75	5.12	24
May 1	3.76	3.04	3.74	89 3/8	4.40	85 1/4	4.45	96	4.04	89	4.00	91 1/16	3.44	89 13/16	3.34	96 5/8	3.45	81 3/4	5.06	75 5/16	5.09	1 May
8	3.78	2.91	3.81	89 3/8	4.40	85 1/4	4.45	95 1/2	4.07	88	4.07	90 15/16	3.46	89 7/8	3.34	97	3.42	82 7/16	4.97	75 5/16	5.09	8
15	3.78	2.89	3.83	89 1/4	4.42	85 1/4	4.45	95	4.11	87	4.15	90 3/8	3.51	89 1/4	3.39	96 15/16	3.43	80 7/8	5.17	73 21/32	5.26	15
22	3.76	3.12	3.91	89	4.46	84 3/4	4.51	94 3/4	4.13	86 3/4	4.17	90 1/2	3.50	89 1/2	3.37	96 15/16	3.43	79 15/16	5.29	72 29/32	5.38	22
29	3.76	3.25	3.92	89	4.46	85	4.49	94 1/2	4.15	86 3/4	4.17	89 1/2	3.62	88 7/16	3.47	96 1/8	3.48	79 5/16	5.38	72 25/32	5.36	29
June 5	3.79	3.37	3.91	89	4.46	85	4.49	94 7/8	4.12	86 7/8	4.16	89 1/2	3.67	88 1/4	3.49	96	3.49	78 13/32	5.48	71 11/32	5.52	5 June
12	3.79	3.26	3.86	88 7/8	4.48	85	4.49	95 1/8	4.10	86 7/8	4.16	88 13/16	3.70	88	3.51	95 1/2	3.52	77 29/32	5.57	70 29/32	5.56	12
19	3.80	3.40	3.86	88 1/2	4.55	84 3/4	4.53	94 1/2	4.15	86 3/4	4.17	87 15/16	3.91	86 1/4	3.67	93 5/8	3.63	78 11/32	5.52	71 31/32	5.52	19
26	3.81	3.23	3.85	88	4.62	84 1/2	4.56	94	4.19	86 3/4	4.17	87 1/4	3.89	86 3/8	3.66	93 7/8	3.61	78 1/32	5.45	70 9/16	5.60	26
July 3	3.81	3.24	3.85	88 1/4	4.58	84 3/4	4.53	94 1/4	4.17	86 3/4	4.17	87 3/4	3.84	87 3/16	3.59	94 9/16	3.57	78 3/32	5.56	70 1/2	5.62	3 July
10	3.81	3.17	3.85	88 1/8	4.60	84 1/2	4.56	93 1/2	4.23	86 1/2	4.21	87 3/4	3.84	87 1/4	3.58	94 3/8	3.59	77 23/32	5.61	70 1/2	5.62	10
17	3.81	3.09	3.84	87 3/4	4.67	84 1/4	4.60	93 1/4	4.25	86	4.23	87 5/8	3.85	87	3.61	94 3/16	3.60	77	5.71	69 1/4	5.76	17
24	3.80	3.16	3.85	87 3/4	4.67	84 1/8	4.62	93 1/4	4.25	85 3/4	4.25	86 15/16	3.93	86 5/16	3.66	93 5/16	3.65	78 5/8	5.49	70 3/16	5.64	24
31	3.81	3.36	3.82	87 3/4	4.67	83 1/2	4.71	93 1/4	4.25	85 3/4	4.25	87 1/2	3.87	86 13/16	3.63	93 1/4	3.66	79 5/16	5.38	70 3/4	5.59	31

1 Government bond prices are closing bids at the Wednesday date for Canadian and United States issues. Prices of the United Kingdom Apr. 15/59–69 issue are closing transactions at the Wednesday date and of the United Kingdom Aug. 15/65–75 issue are approximate mid-market transactions at the Wednesday date. All prices exclude accrued interest.

2. Market yields are based on the prices shown and are expressed as per cent per annum to maturity date if at a discount and to earliest call date if at a premium.

NOTE: For 1950–1952 data see pages 52–55 in the "Financial Supplement 1954" and for 1953–1956 data see pages 44–51 in the "Financial Supplement 1956".

3. On Jan. 1st, 1957 the amounts outstanding for the four Canadian bond issues were $1,692 million, $350 million, $100 million, and $400 million respectively; for the three United States bond issues, $2,824 million, $3,785 million, and $1,606 million respectively; and for the two United Kingdom bond issues £296 million and £1,073 million respectively.

4. Treasury Bill tender rates are at the date nearest the Wednesday shown. In Canada tenders are received on Thursday, in the United States on Monday, and in the United Kingdom on Friday.

SECURITY ISSUES AND RETIREMENTS★

Par Values in Millions of Canadian Dollars — *Bank of Canada*

Total Provincial, Municipal, Corporate & "Other" Securities

	Gross New Issues			Retirements			Net New Issues		
	Canadian Dollars Only	Other Currencies 2	Total	Canadian Dollars Only	Other Currencies 2	Total	Canadian Dollars Only	Other Currencies 2	**Total**
Calendar Years									
1953	1,129	354	1,483	385	58	443	744	296	**1,040**
1954	1,572	260	1,832	521	121	642	1,051	139	**1,190**
1955	1,877	96†	1,973†	642†	120	762†	1,235†	−24†	**1,211†**
1956	2,143	551	2,694	402	56	458	1,741	495	**2,236**
Quarters									
1955—III	297†	10†	307†	157	24	181	140†	−14†	**126†**
IV	472†	–	472†	190†	19	209†	282	−19	**263**
1956—I	473†	119†	592†	108†	11†	119†	365†	108	**473†**
II	559†	132	691†	112†	12	124†	447†	120	**567†**
III	539	164	703	81	7	88	458	157	**615**
IV	572	136	708	101	26	127	471	110	**581**
1957—I	550	206	756	143	47	190	407	159	**566**
II	603	232	835	92	68	160	511	164	**675**

Municipal Direct and Guaranteed Securities 3

	Gross New Issues			Retirements			Net New Issues		
	Canadian Dollars Only	Other Currencies	Total	Canadian Dollars Only 4	Other Currencies	Total	Canadian Dollars Only	Other Currencies	**Total**
Calendar Years									
1953	221	72	293	86	17	103	135	55	**190**
1954	340	31	371	89	20	109	251	11	**262**
1955	291†	42†	333	101	22	123	190†	20†	**210**
1956	235	108	343	112	24	136	123	84	**207**
Quarters									
1955—III	51†	–	51†	26	3	29	25†	−3	**22†**
IV	102†	–	102†	26	10	36	76†	−10	**66†**
1956—I	38†	5†	43†	27	3	30	11†	2†	**13†**
II	98†	32	130†	28	4	32	70†	28	**98†**
III	32	59	91	28	2	30	4	57	**61**
IV	67	12	79	29	15	44	38	−3	**35**
1957—I	61	32	93	30	3	33	31	29	**60**
II	53	9	62	31	4	35	22	5	**27**

★ Figures for the last twelve months are preliminary and are subject to revision as additional information becomes available. Series include all publicly announced issues and some private placements not publicly announced. Figures include all serial issues, and other issues with an original term to maturity of more than one year. New issues are based on delivery rather than offering dates. Foreign currencies have been converted to Canadian dollars at market noon rates on the date of delivery. In the case of optional-pay issues the option most favourable to the lender has been taken.

Details of Government of Canada Direct and Guaranteed Securities are shown on pages 176–177.

1. Excludes payments into sinking funds.
2. Includes Canadian stock issues with dividends payable in U.S. dollars.
3. Excludes issues guaranteed by provinces which are already included in "Provincial Direct and Guaranteed". Also excludes issues sold directly to provinces which are estimated to be as follows:

	Gross New Issues	Retirements	Net New Issues
1952	22	1	21
1953	43	3	40
1954	40	9	31
1955	45	7	38
1956	57	10	47

NOTE: For calendar year 1952 and first half of 1955 data see pages 56–57 in the "Financial Supplement 1956".

Par Values in Millions of Canadian Dollars

Provincial Direct and Guaranteed Securities

	Gross New Issues			Retirements 1			Net New Issues		
	Canadian Dollars Only	Other Currencies	Total	Canadian Dollars Only	Other Currencies	Total	Canadian Dollars Only	Other Currencies	**Total**
Calendar Years									
1953	251	140	391	91	28	119	160	112	**272**
1954	380	116	496	133	69	202	247	47	**294**
1955	372	–	372	111	50	161	261	−50	**211**
1956	406	214	620	72	23	95	334	191	**525**
Monthly									
July—1955	48	–	48	11	1	12	37	−1	**36**
Aug.	5	–	5	4	6	10	1	−6	**−5**
Sept.	61	–	61	25	8	33	36	−8	**28**
III	114	–	114	40	15	55	74	−15	**59**
Oct.	20	–	20	5†	–	5†	15†	–	**15†**
Nov.	–	–	–	4†	1	5†	−4†	−1	**−5†**
Dec.	3†	–	3†	7	2	9	−4†	−2	**−6†**
IV	23†	–	23†	16	3	19	7†	−3	**4†**
Jan.—1956	65	87	152	2	2	4	63	85	**148**
Feb.	–	5	5	2	2†	4†	−2	3†	**1†**
Mar.	14	–	14	7†	–	7†	7†	–	**7†**
I	79	92	171	11†	4†	15†	68†	88†	**156†**
Apr.	9	–	9	9†	–	9†	−†	–	**–†**
May	65	50	115	1	2	3	64	48	**112**
June	5†	–	5†	19†	4	23†	−14†	−4	**−18†**
II	79†	50	129†	29†	6	35†	50†	44	**94†**
July	80	39	119	10	1	11	70	38	**108**
Aug.	9	–	9	2	1	3	7	−1	**6**
Sept.	4	–	4	4	1	5	–	−1	**−1**
III	93	39	132	16	3	19	77	36	**113**
Oct.	73	–	73	3	–	3	70	–	**70**
Nov.	8	–	8	7	1	8	1	−1	**–**
Dec.	74	33	107	6	9	15	68	24	**92**
IV	155	33	188	16	10	26	139	23	**162**
Jan.—1957	36	15	51	7	3	10	29	12	**41**
Feb.	54	48	102	5	2	7	49	46	**95**
Mar.	30	–	30	66	–	66	−36	–	**−36**
I	120	63	183	78	5	83	42	58	**100**
Apr.	125	2	127	1	2	3	124	–	**124**
May	5	43	48	5	6	11	–	37	**37**
June	5	–	5	4	55	59	1	−55	**−54**
II	135	45	180	10	63	73	125	−18	**107**

Corporate and "Other" Securities 5

	Gross New Issues			Retirements			Net New Issues		
	Canadian Dollars Only	Other Currencies 2	Total	Canadian Dollars Only	Other Currencies 2	Total	Canadian Dollars Only	Other Currencies 2	**Total**
Calendar Years									
1953	657	142	799	208	13	221	449	129	**578**
1954	852	113	965	299	32	331	553	81	**634**
1955	1,214†	54†	1,268†	430†	48	478†	784†	6†	**790†**
1956	1,502	229	1,731	218	9	227	1,284	220	**1,504†**
Quarters									
III—1955	132†	10†	142	91	6	97	41†	4†	**45**
IV	347†	–	347†	148†	6	154†	199†	−6	**193†**
I — 1956	356†	22	378†	70†	4	74†	286†	18	**304†**
II	382†	50	432†	55†	2	57†	327†	48	**375†**
III	414	66	480	37	2	39	377	64	**441**
IV	350	91	441	56	1	57	294	90	**384**
I — 1957	369	111	480	35	39	74	334	72	**406**
II	415	178	593	51	1	52	364	177	**541**

4. No information is available on retirements of Canadian dollar municipal bonds on a quarterly basis and annual estimates have been prorated over the four quarters.
5. For detail see table on page 222.

† Revised.

CORPORATE AND "OTHER" SECURITY ISSUES AND RETIREMENTS★

Par Values in Millions of Canadian Dollars — *Bank of Canada*

	Corporate Bonds and Debentures [1]								
	Gross New Issues			Retirements			Net New Issues		
	Canadian Dollars Only	Other Currencies	Total	Canadian Dollars Only	Other Currencies	Total	Canadian Dollars Only	Other Currencies	**Total**
Calendar Years									
1953	393	114	507	148	13	161	245	101	**346**
1954	579	112	691	220	32	252	359	80	**439**
1955	676†	9	685†	331	45	376	345†	−36	**309†**
1956	808	229	1,037	197	9	206	611	220	**831**
Monthly									
1955—July	13	1	14						
Aug.	25	8	33						
Sept.	33	–	33						
III	71	9	80	64	3	67	7	6	**13**
Oct.	109	–	109						
Nov.	38	–	38						
Dec.	61†	–	61†						
IV	208†	–	208†	111†	6	117†	97†	−6	**91†**
1956—Jan.	90	1	91						
Feb.	56	20	76						
Mar.	90†	1	91†						
I	236†	22	258†	65†	4	69†	171†	18	**189†**
Apr.	88†	–	88†						
May	54	17	71						
June	52†	33	85†						
II	194†	50	244†	49	2	51	145†	48	**193†**
July	64	39	103						
Aug.	24	–	24						
Sept.	90	27	117						
III	178	66	244	31	2	33	147	64	**211**
Oct.	56	5	61						
Nov.	76	57	133						
Dec.	68	29	97						
IV	200	91	291	52	1	53	148	90	**238**
1957—Jan.	49	35	84						
Feb.	140	68	208						
Mar.	81	8	89						
I	270	111	381	33	6	39	237	105	**342**
Apr.	150	148	298						
May	66	13	79						
June	62	17	79						
II	278	178	456	49	1	50	229	177	**406**

	"Other" Bonds and Debentures [2]			Preferred Stocks			Common Stocks		
	Gross New Issues	Retirements	Net New Issues	Gross New Issues [3]	Retirements [4]	Net New Issues	Gross New Issues [3, 5]	Retirements	Net New Issues
Calendar Years									
1953	3	7	−4	83	32	**51**	206	21	**185**
1954	35	12	**23**	92	66	**26**	147	1	**146**
1955	52	27	**25**	170	75†	**95†**	361	–	**361**
1956	13	9	**4**	184	12	**172**	497	–	**497**
Quarters									
1955—III	–	15	**−15**	4	15	**−11**	58	–	**58**
IV	16	4	**12**	72	33	**39**	51	–	**51**
1956—I	4	2	**2**	34†	3†	**31†**	82†	–	**82†**
II	3	2	**1**	82	4†	**78†**	103†	–	**103†**
III	1	2	**−1**	34	4	**30**	201	–	**201**
IV	5	3	**2**	34	1	**33**	111	–	**111**
1957—I	9	2	**7**	19	33	**−14**	71	–	**71**
II	–	2	**−2**	19	–	**19**	118	–	**118**

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1. Includes issues of Canadian corporations (including CNR issues not guaranteed by the Government of Canada) payable in Canadian dollars or other currencies except in those few cases where issues are sold abroad in foreign currencies and the proceeds are used outside Canada. Also includes Canadian dollar issues of foreign corporations when the proceeds are used in Canada. No liabilities of trust and loan companies are included.
2. Consists of issues of Canadian religious and other institutions and Canadian dollar issues of Australia and I.B.R.D. New issues of Australia amounted to $15 million in 1955 and those of I.B.R.D. amounted to $15 million in 1952, $25 million in 1954, and $15 million in 1955 and retirements to $15 million in 1955. These are all Canadian dollar issues.
3. At offering prices.
4. Includes retirement of $3 million stock in third quarter 1955 having dividends payable in U.S. dollars.
5. Includes stock issues having dividends payable in U.S. dollars of $28 million in 1953, $1 million in 1954, $44 million in the first quarter of 1955 and $1 million in the second quarter of 1955. † Revised.

NOTE: For calendar year 1952 and first half of 1955 data see page 58 in the "Financial Supplement 1956".

STOCK MARKET STATISTICS

Toronto, Montreal and Canadian Stock Exchanges; Dominion Bureau of Statistics

	Brokers' Loans [1] (Millions of Dollars)	Market Transactions [1] Volume (Millions of Shares)	Market Transactions [1] Value (Millions of Dollars)	Index Numbers of Common Stock Prices [2] (1935–39 = 100) Investors' Total	Industrials Total	Industrials Pulp & Paper	Industrials Oils	Total Utilities	Golds	Base Metals
1955—May	90.0	124.4	324.1	222.1	227.8	991.4	154.0	191.7	72.8	209.0
June	97.0	195.8	436.0	237.1	244.4	1,044.7	163.6	202.9	75.9	226.0
July	108.3	148.0	355.0	246.5	252.8	1,069.8	169.2	208.9	75.0	241.8
Aug.	102.9	138.8	340.4	245.3	252.3	1,066.9	164.7	207.0	76.3	250.0
Sept.	98.8	144.3	333.6	255.9	265.9	1,098.2	174.1	211.2	75.3	252.0
Oct.	102.2	104.8	287.4	239.9	248.9	1,044.9	164.1	200.6	71.0	224.2
Nov.	107.6	94.0	264.5	245.6	255.3	1,062.5	168.8	201.4	71.2	230.2
Dec.	120.3	101.0	256.9	247.6	257.0	1,073.3	170.8	204.2	72.6	233.0
1956—Jan.	121.5	139.3	247.1	248.5	257.0	1,070.0	175.5	206.5	75.8	238.1
Feb.	123.2	219.1	304.4	249.2	258.1	1,077.3	182.6	204.1	76.7	235.8
Mar.	117.1	212.9	439.3	267.9	280.3	1,153.0	205.2	210.2	79.4	260.2
Apr.	131.3	258.1	479.6	273.0	286.2	1,123.9	210.0	209.3	78.8	269.7
May	129.6	148.1	399.6	268.5	282.9	1,192.5	211.7	204.2	78.8	268.5
June	133.4	103.3	259.4	267.0	283.0	1,146.0	219.4	199.8	76.7	273.1
July	139.3	104.6	309.0	282.4	299.0	1,185.8	234.9	207.9	79.5	291.5
Aug.	136.1	106.0	324.3	291.8	308.9	1,175.3	250.1	215.7	79.5	301.9
Sept.	123.7	81.6	213.3	278.9	294.4	1,077.2	243.7	209.2	74.1	282.2
Oct.	118.3	94.0	239.7	270.3	284.8	1,024.9	236.2	205.1	72.5	273.3
Nov.	103.6	80.4	255.4	262.3	276.0	994.2	239.2	200.3	68.6	262.2
Dec.	102.2	78.4	199.0	267.8	281.7	998.9	244.8	203.6	68.9	267.8
1957—Jan.	97.3	136.8	275.0	273.7	287.3	1,005.3	251.6	207.5	70.6	265.7
Feb.	100.7	108.3	200.3	263.2	276.0	946.4	244.8	203.6	69.3	243.2
Mar.	95.5	128.7	242.3	267.5	281.0	966.4	246.2	209.2	68.1	249.6
Apr.	114.0	124.6	310.9	278.8	294.2	997.0	262.9	212.5	72.4	255.4
May	109.6	117.5	324.4	287.6	304.8	996.4	278.8	216.1	76.2	234.2
June	115.1	100.7	280.6	286.9	303.5	998.9	275.6	216.8	80.6	227.7
July*		76.9	247.2	284.7	301.6	991.9	274.2	213.8	79.3	222.2

1. Toronto, Montreal and Canadian Stock Exchanges. Brokers' loan data are for the last business day of the month and include borrowings from chartered banks, trust companies and other sources. Customers' free credit balances are not included. 2. Calculated by the Dominion Bureau of Statistics from Montreal and Toronto exchange quotations. Monthly series is an average of Thursday closing prices during the month. * Preliminary.

NOTE: For data back to 1953 see page 55 in the "Financial Supplement 1956".

CANADIAN GOLD STATISTICS

Thousands of Fine Ounces — *Bank of Canada*

	New Gold Production Available for Export [1] ‡	Physical Movement: Exports [2]	Physical Movement: Imports [3]	Net Change in Gold Held in Safekeeping: Foreign-owned Gold in Canada	Net Change in Gold Held in Safekeeping: Canadian-owned Gold Abroad	Net Sales to Foreigners	Net Change in Official Holdings [4]
	1	2	3	4	5	6 (2−3+4−5)	
Calendar Yrs.							
1951	**4,080**	347	12,104	+8,472	+143	**−3,427**	**+7,507**
1952	**4,310**	19,246	24	−18,723	−2,565	**3,064**	**+1,246**
1953	**4,167**	1,181	163	+105	−143	**1,266**	**+2,901**
1954	**4,556**	751	138	+1,317	−143	**2,072**	**+2,484**
1955	**4,506**	2,451	–	+890	+578	**2,763**	**+1,743**
1956‡	**4,365†**	3,100	59	+1,468	−578	**5,088**	**−877†**
Quarters							
1954—IV	**1,133**	200	88	+451	–	**563**	**+570**
1955—I	**1,131**	190	–	+402	–	**592**	**+538**
II	**1,140**	175	–	+571	–	**746**	**+394**
III	**1,085**	247	–	+86	–	**333**	**+752**
IV	**1,150**	1,838	–	−169	+578	**1,091**	**+59**
1956—I	**1,079†**	1,017	9	+427	−40	**1,474**	**−395†**
II‡	**1,140†**	1,445	8	+290	+93	**1,634**	**−559†**
III	**1,107**	210	3	+428	−285	**921**	**+139**
IV	**1,039**	428	39	+323	−347	**1,059**	**−62**
1957—I	**1,153**	1,451	4	+146	+431	1,162	**−61**
II*	**941**	1,023	**	**	+148	**	**+47**

1. Newly mined gold sold by the Mint (excl. sales for industrial purposes) plus exports of raw gold or concentrates direct from the mines for refining abroad plus commercial sales of gold abroad by mines beginning November 1, 1951. Beginning November 1, 1951, the series excludes increases in commercial gold stocks held in safekeeping by the Mint for the account of the mines.
2. Excluding the gold content of exports of jewellers' sweepings and precious metals scrap which are shown in the export returns.
3. Excluding small amounts of unmanufactured gold, scrap and manufactured forms which are shown under various headings in the import returns.
4. Holdings of the Exchange Fund and the Bank of Canada.

‡ Since March 21, 1956, mines not receiving aid under the Emergency Gold Mining Assistance Act have been allowed to sell their gold to private residents and non-residents, either for export or for safekeeping in Canada. Such sales, commencing in the second quarter of 1956, are included in the figures for "New Gold Production Available for Export."

† Revised.
** Not available.
* Preliminary.

NOTE: For 1948–1949 data see page 66 in the "Financial Supplement 1954" and for 1950–1956 data see page 68 in the "Financial Supplement 1956".

INSTALMENT FINANCE COMPANIES: RETAIL AND WHOLESALE FINANCING

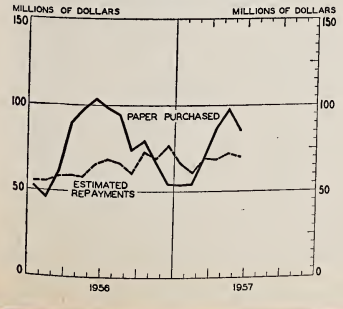
Dominion Bureau of Statistics

Millions of Dollars

	Consumers' Goods											Commercial and Industrial Goods									Total Retail			
	Paper Purchased			Estimated Repayments [1]			Balances Outstanding (end of period)			Paper Purchased		Paper Purchased		Estimated Repayments [1]			Balances Outstanding (end of period)			Paper Purchased	Estimated Repayments [1]	Balances Outstanding (end of period)	
	Passenger Cars [2]	Other	Total	Passenger Cars [2]	Other	Total	Passenger Cars [2]	Other	Total	Comm. Vehicles [2]	Other	Total	Comm. Vehicles [2]	Other	Total	Comm. Vehicles [2]	Other	Total					
Calendar Years																								
1951	255	45	300	262	55	317	161	24	185	128	40	168	99	32	131	95	33	128	467	447	313		1951
1952	477	114	591	339	64	403	299	74	373	162	66	228	137	52	189	120	47	167	819	592	540		1952
1953	574	145	719	462	114	576	411	105	516	153	76	229	150	62	212	123	61	184	948	787	701		1953
1954	507	124	631	524	131	655	394	98	492	111	63	174	130	64	194	104	60	164	805	850	656		1954
1955	604	156	759	519	132	652	478	121	599	123	95	218	121	70	190	106	85	192	977	842	791		1955
1956	746	179	925	611	157	768	614	143	756	165	159	324	133	104	236	138	141	279	1,248	1,004	1,035		1956
Quarterly																							**Quarterly**
1953—III	149	34	183	126	31	157	439	109	548	38	18	56	36	17	53	126	63	189	239	210	737		III—1953
IV	115	30	145	143	34	177	411	105	516	34	15	49	37	17	54	123	61	184	194	230	701		IV
1954—I	104	25	129	123	30	153	392	100	492	25	11	36	34	15	49	114	57	171	165	203	663		I—1954
II	166	28	194	136	32	168	422	96	518	34	20	54	31	15	46	117	62	179	248	214	697		II
III	142	31	173	135	33	168	429	94	523	28	17	45	32	16	48	113	63	176	218	216	699		III
IV	95	40	135	130	36	166	394	98	492	24	15	39	33	18	51	104	60	164	174	217	656		IV
1955—I	101	33	134	106	27	134	388	103	492	19	15	35	33	17	50	91	58	149	168	184	640		I—1955
II	196	34	229	130	35	165	454	102	555	36	27	63	30	13	43	96	72	169	292	208	724		II
III	185	41	226	141	34	175	498	109	607	38	26	64	29	19	48	105	80	185	290	222	792		III
IV	122	48	170	142	36	178	478	121	599	30	24	56	29	21	50	106	85	192	227	228	791		IV
Monthly																							**Monthly**
1956—Jan.			53			55			597			10			12			189	62	67	786		Jan.—1956
Feb.			47			55			588			20			18			192	67	73	780		Feb.
Mar.			66			59	470	127	596			19			17	107	86	193	85	76	790		Mar.
I	127	39	166	135	34	169				27	22	49	26	21	47				214	216			I
Apr.			90			59			627			27			19			201	116	78	828		Apr.
May			98			59			666			43			25			220	141	83	886		May
June			103			66	572	132	703			30			14	124	112	236	133	80	939		June
II	246	45	291	144	40	184				51	49	100	34	24	58				390	241			II
July			99			68			734			34			17			252	132	85	986		July
Aug.			94			67			671			34			22			265	129	89	1,026		Aug.
Sept.			74			61	637	137	775			30			29	137	129	266	104	90	1,040		Sept.
III	221	46	267	156	40	196				47	51	98	35	33	68				365	264			III
Oct.			80			73			781			30			26			270	109	99	1,051		Oct.
Nov.			67			69			779			27			19			278	94	88	1,056		Nov.
Dec.			54			77	614	143	756			20			19	138	141	279	75	96	1,035		Dec.
IV	152	49	201	176	43	219				40	37	77	39	25	64				278	283			IV
1957—Jan.			54			67			743			18			23			274	72	90	1,017		Jan.—1957
Feb.			54			61			736			18			23			269	72	84	1,006		Feb.
Mar.			69			69	601	135	736			21			20			270	90	90	1,006		Mar.
I	145	32	177	157	40	197				33	24	57	36	31	66	135	134		234	263			I
Apr.			87			67			757			27†			23			274	114†	89†	1,031		Apr.
May			97†			72			781†			35			25			284	131†	98†	1,064†		May
June			85			70			796			32			23			293	117	93	1,088		June
II	229	39	268	171	39	209	660	136		49	45	94	38	32	71	146	147		362	280			II

	Wholesale			Total Retail and Wholesale			Average Repayment Terms on Retail Paper Purchased (months)			
							Consumers' Goods		Commercial and Industrial Goods	
	Paper Purchased	Estimated Repayments [1]	Balances Outstanding (end of period)	Paper Purchased	Estimated Repayments [1]	Balances Outstanding (end of period)	Passenger Cars [2]	Other	Comm. Vehicles [2]	Other
Calendar Years										
1956	1,213	*	182	2,461	*	1,217	20.4	18.4	20.1	19.1
Quarterly										
1956—II	447	419	226	837	660	1,165	20.4	18.6	20.0	18.5
III	241	323	144	606	587	1,184	20.6	18.5	20.3	19.3
IV	268	230	182	546	513	1,217	20.2	18.3	20.0	19.0
1957—I	347†	268	261	581	531	1,267	19.6	18.0	19.2	19.5
II	380	388	253	742	668	1,341	19.8	18.3	19.5	19.7

1. Repayments are estimated by subtracting the net change in balances outstanding during a period from the paper purchased. The figure therefore also includes cancellations and any other adjustments to the two reported series. 2. New and used vehicles. * Not available. † Revised.



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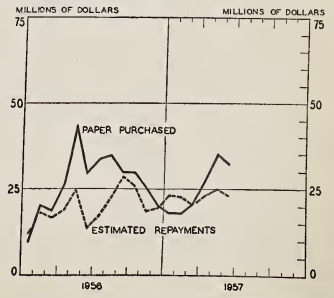


CANADIAN INVESTMENT TRANSACTIONS OF TWELVE LIFE INSURANCE COMPANIES[1]

Millions of Dollars

Net Investment in:—		Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	Apr.	May	June	6 Month Total*	July	Aug.	Sept.	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.	Annual Total*
Govt. of Canada Bonds[2]	1954	−6.2	8.0	−14.6	−10.6	−30.0	−1.1	−54.4	−11.4	−0.6	−10.4	7.6	−12.3	−15.2	−96.7
	1955	7.4	−2.6	−11.4	15.8	−10.4	−15.1	−16.3	−8.4	1.3	3.8	5.0	−2.7	−22.2	−39.4
	1956	−10.7	−11.4	−17.9	−26.7	−9.1	−24.7	−100.4	−21.5	−7.6	5.3	−6.3	−6.3	−11.1	−147.8
	1957	−10.1	3.2	−5.2	−11.7	−1.3	1.3	−23.8							
Provincial Bonds[2]	1954	2.7	3.7	4.1	1.1	18.3	−2.5	27.4	2.9	−6.4	−3.8	1.2	−4.0	−2.2	15.1
	1955	−4.6	−2.0	16.2	−1.1	−0.6	−1.0	6.9	2.4	−7.9	−1.2	−0.9	−1.6	−0.3	−2.7
	1956	13.6	0.1	−8.5	0.4	12.0	−5.4	12.2	5.9	−3.6	−1.6	3.9	−1.2	2.1	17.7
	1957	1.7	4.5	0.3	13.0	−9.5	−8.6	1.3							
Municipal Bonds[2]	1954	0.3	0.9	3.0	2.9	1.1	0.9	9.1	3.1	1.2	1.3	1.1	0.6	0.4	16.8
	1955	2.6	2.1	0.9	−1.4	1.0	2.4	7.6	−0.7	3.2	0.7	1.4	2.1	8.1	22.6
	1956	1.7	3.7	0.7	2.8	1.9	9.7	20.6	3.1	0.7	−0.3	1.4	1.3	1.5	28.2
	1957	2.8	4.3	1.8	−0.2	−1.7	0.1	7.1							
Corporate & Other Bonds	1954	9.4	5.8	18.7	17.3	3.6	7.9	62.7	6.1	0.2	10.8	−4.7	15.9	1.6	92.5
	1955	1.3	−2.3	8.0	−6.3	23.0	8.6	32.3	−1.1	−4.2	−8.8	−2.2	7.6	11.0	34.7
	1956	31.2	17.2	30.9	21.2	2.3	6.9	109.7	−1.7	8.1	−5.9	3.4	2.6	12.4	128.4
	1957	15.0	7.9	7.7	19.7	3.0	1.8	55.1							
Pref. & Com. Stocks	1954	−0.5	−0.5	−0.5	−0.4	−0.3	−0.1	−2.3	−0.6	−0.7	−1.1	0.4	0.2	0.9	−3.2
	1955	0.3	0.3	0.4	0.5	−0.2	−1.5	−0.3	−1.5	−0.6	−0.5	−0.5	0.2	4.3	1.1
	1956	0.1	0.5	–	0.1	0.2	1.3	2.1	0.7	−1.0	–	−0.3	−0.2	0.2	1.3
	1957	−0.2	0.7	0.9	0.7	0.1	−0.9	1.4							
Mortgage Loans (Gross)[3]	1954	22.2	19.0	22.0	21.3	24.8	29.4	138.7	32.6	34.4	38.7	33.0	42.2	37.5	357.1
	1955	33.8	26.8	28.0	23.8	33.7	38.3	184.3	45.5	44.0	46.8	41.0	40.4	39.3	441.3
	1956	35.9	27.6	27.5	27.4	34.5	46.6	199.4	45.7	50.7	45.1	52.5	45.0	40.2	478.6
	1957	37.5	25.6	25.6	24.1	33.8	39.9	186.6							
Real Estate[4]	1954	1.0	1.2	0.8	1.8	2.0	3.4	10.2	3.0	1.7	2.6	2.5	2.5	4.7	27.1
	1955	0.7	4.6	5.0	1.2	1.9	1.9	15.2	2.6	3.7	0.9	0.1	2.0	0.4	24.8
	1956	2.5	0.4	1.9	0.5	6.5	0.9	12.7	1.1	1.2	1.5	1.5	1.0	5.1	24.0
	1957	1.2	1.2	1.6	1.8	8.1	4.2	18.0							
Policy Loans	1954	1.0	0.8	1.2	1.3	1.2	1.3	6.8	1.0	0.9	1.1	1.0	0.7	0.6	12.1
	1955	0.8	0.6	1.0	0.9	0.8	0.9	5.0	0.7	0.5	0.7	0.6	0.3	0.3	8.1
	1956	0.8	0.9	1.0	1.2	2.0	2.2	8.1	1.5	1.6	1.7	1.8	1.3	0.5	16.5
	1957	1.7	1.9	1.9	2.1	2.0	1.6	11.1							
Total[5]	1954	29.9	38.9	34.7	34.7	20.7	39.2	198.2	36.7	30.7	39.2	42.1	45.8	28.3	420.8
	1955	42.3	27.5	48.1	33.4	49.2	34.5	234.7	39.5	40.0	42.4	44.5	48.3	40.9	490.5
	1956	75.1	39.0	35.6	26.9	50.3	37.5	264.4	34.8	50.1	45.8	57.9	43.5	50.9	546.9
	1957	49.6	49.2	34.7	49.5	34.5	39.4	256.8							
Net Source of Funds:—															
Mortgage Repayments (Gross)[3]	1954	11.3	10.3	11.8	10.4	11.7	10.8	66.2	12.1	11.5	12.1	12.1	12.7	10.1	136.7
	1955	14.2	11.0	13.1	11.7	14.1	13.6	77.8	13.0	13.5	13.2	14.3	14.4	12.4	158.5
	1956	15.6	12.5	13.2	14.4	17.2	15.3	88.3	17.2	15.0	14.1	22.6	14.9	13.5	185.6
	1957	16.0	12.9	14.1	14.9	15.8	14.7	88.4							
Funds Transferred From Abroad	1954	−2.5	–	2.6	−0.7	2.1	2.4	3.9	3.2	2.3	2.6	3.9	2.6	4.4	22.8
	1955	1.6	0.1	3.4	−0.1	4.0	1.6	10.5	4.8	1.4	0.4	6.6	−1.1	12.7	35.5
	1956	17.0	7.2	3.3	−8.5	5.8	2.0	26.8	3.0	9.2	8.1	19.4	7.3	8.9	82.5
	1957	2.3	6.0	4.3	4.3	−0.2	3.2	19.8							
Funds From Canadian Insurance Operations★	1954	21.1	28.6	20.3	25.0	6.9	26.0	128.1	21.4	16.9	24.5	26.1	30.5	13.8	261.3
	1955	26.5	16.4	31.6	21.8	31.1	19.3	146.4	21.7	25.1	28.8	23.6	35.0	15.8	296.5
	1956	42.5	19.3	19.1	21.0	27.3	20.2	149.3	14.6	25.9	23.6	15.9	21.3	28.5	278.8
	1957	31.3	30.3	16.3	30.3	18.9	21.5	148.6							

1. Data are based on cash transactions affecting ledger assets and taking place in Canadian dollars, by 12 companies whose net premium income in Canada in 1956 was 77.6% of the total for all companies registered under the federal Insurance Acts. Total Canadian assets of these 12 companies at December 31, 1950 to 1956 are shown on page 87. 2. Includes guaranteed bonds. 3. Includes sale agreements. 4. Includes real estate for the production of income. 5. Includes gross mortgage loans. * Figures rounded to the nearest $100,000. Due to rounding, totals may not equal the sum of the monthly components. ★ Balancing item in the table, representing mainly Canadian dollars available from insurance operations *plus* any reduction or *minus* any increase in Canadian dollar cash balances.

NOTE: For 1952 data see page 56 in the "Financial Supplement 1955" and for 1953–1956 data see page 63 in the "Financial Supplement 1956".

FOREIGN EXCHANGE RATES[1]

Canadian cents per unit — *Bank of Canada*

Business Days	U.S. Dollar: Spot Rates High	Low	Close	Average Noon Rates[2] Spot	90-Day Forward Rate[2]	£ Sterling: Spot Rates High	Low	Close	Average Noon Rates[2] Spot	90-Day Forward Rate[2]
1951	107 5/16	101 1/16	101 3/16	105.28	104.92	300 1/2	281 3/8	281 3/8	294.68	294.71
1952	101 1/8	95 7/8	97 1/32	97.89	98.09	281 1/4	266 3/4	272 9/16	273.40	272.26
1953	99 25/32	96 3/4	97 3/8	98.34	98.66	280 15/16	272 3/8	273 3/8	276.66	277.02
1954	98 3/4	96 11/32	96 13/32	97.32	97.65	278 5/16	269	269	273.39	274.19
1955	100 1/16	96 13/32	99 29/32	98.63	98.62	280 7/16	268 3/4	280 3/32	275.35	274.23
1956	99 31/32	95 21/32	95 31/32	98.41	98.64	280 11/16	266 3/16	267 7/16	275.16	274.13
1956—May	99 15/32	98 7/8	98 15/16	99.18	99.30	279 15/32	277 3/16	277 13/32	278.49	277.27
June	99 1/16	98	98 3/32	98.53	98.75	277 5/8	274	274 15/32	276.16	275.25
July	98 13/32	97 27/32	98 5/32	98.18	98.45	275 3/32	273 3/16	273 1/4	274.30	273.51
Aug.	98 7/16	97 27/32	98 3/32	98.12	98.38	273 15/16	272 1/2	272 23/32	273.11	272.39
Sept	98 1/16	97 7/16	97 15/32	97.77	98.10	272 7/8	271 3/16	271 1/4	272.14	271.43
Oct.	97 5/8	96 21/32	97 1/4	97.32	97.69	271 7/8	268 31/32	270 5/8	271.06	270.54
Nov.	97 3/16	95 31/32	96 1/2	96.44	96.81	270 7/16	266 3/16	267 7/16	268.36	267.56
Dec.	96 15/32	95 25/32	95 31/32	96.05	96.66	268 5/8	266 13/16	267 7/16	267.54	266.62
1957—Jan.	96 11/32	95 27/32	95 7/8	96.07	96.57	269 1/4	267 11/16	268 1/4	268.63	268.65
Feb.	95 15/16	95 3/4	95 3/4	95.83	96.24	268 1/2	267 13/16	267 13/16	268.21	268.39
Mar.	95 13/16	95 1/2	95 31/32	95.61	96.06	267 27/32	266 1/2	266 31/32	267.10	267.47
Apr.	96 7/32	95 11/16	95 25/32	95.97	96.21	268 11/32	266 5/8	267 13/32	267.71	267.58
May	95 25/32	95 5/16	95 17/32	95.56	95.84	267 17/32	266 1/8	266 1/2	266.76	266.59
June	95 1/2	95 7/32	95 11/32	95.32	95.66	266 1/2	265 19/32	266 3/32	266.02	266.07
July	95 5/16	94 25/32	94 13/16	95.09	95.34	266 1/8	263 31/32	264 1/32	265.12	264.85

1. Rates are as reported on transactions between banks in the exchange market. Noon rates prior to May 6, 1954 are not available and closing rates have been used. 2. The 90-day forward rates are the averages of approximate rates at noon.

NOTE: For 1939–1952 data see page 59 in the "Financial Supplement 1954" and for 1953–1956 data see page 65 in the "Financial Supplement 1956".

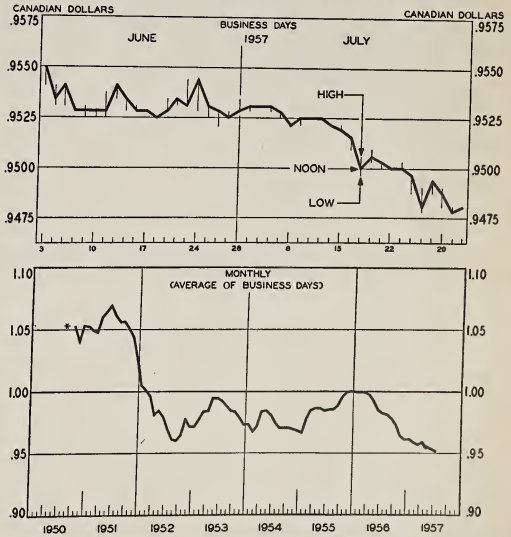
OFFICIAL HOLDINGS OF GOLD AND U.S. DOLLARS[1]

$ mm. U.S. — *Dept. of Finance*

End of Period	Gold	U.S. Dollars	Total
1951	841.7	936.9	**1,778.6**
1952	885.0	975.2	**1,860.2**
1953	986.1	832.4	**1,818.5**
1954	1,072.7	869.9	**1,942.6**
1955	1,133.9	766.9	**1,900.8**
1956	1,103.3	832.9	**1,936.2**
1956—Jan.	1,129.5	749.4	**1,878.9**
Feb.	1,122.2	755.5	**1,877.7**
Mar.	1,120.1	751.3	**1,871.4**
Apr.	1,106.1	759.0	**1,865.1**
May	1,100.4	785.0	**1,885.4**
June	1,100.6	798.9	**1,899.5**
July	1,104.8	788.5	**1,893.3**
Aug.	1,105.9	777.8	**1,883.7**
Sept.	1,105.5	798.0	**1,903.5**
Oct.	1,109.8	803.2	**1,913.0**
Nov.	1,114.2	818.4	**1,932.6**
Dec.	1,103.3	832.9	**1,936.2**
1957—Jan.	1,105.9	824.7	**1,930.6**
Feb.	1,101.5	818.2	**1,919.7**
Mar.	1,101.2	822.4	**1,923.6**
Apr.	1,105.7	796.1	**1,901.8**
May	1,109.0	823.6	**1,932.6**
June	1,102.8	839.0	**1,941.8**
July	1,104.6	868.4	**1,973.0**

1. Gold, U.S. dollars and short-term securities of the U.S. Gov't. held by the Exchange Fund Account, other Gov't. accounts, and the net holdings of the Bank of Canada.

UNITED STATES DOLLAR IN CANADIAN FUNDS



* Official rates were withdrawn on September 30 and the exchange market re-opened on October 2.

NOTE: For 1945–1954 data see pages 60–61 in the "Financial Supplement 1954". For data on an expanded series back to September 1950 see pages 52–53 and for 1951–1956 see pages 66–67 in the "Financial Supplements" 1955 and 1956 respectively.

PRICE INDEXES

"Prices and Price Indexes", Dominion Bureau of Statistics

	WHOLESALE PRICES						CONSUMER PRICES [2]					
	GENERAL			CONSTRUCTION	FARM [1]							
	Total Index (Mid-Month)	Raw and Partly Manufactured	Fully & Chiefly Manufactured	Non-Residential Building Materials	Grains	Livestock	Total Index (1st of Month)	Food	Shelter	Clothing	Household Operation	Other Commodities & Services
	1935–39 = 100			1949 = 100	1935–39 = 100		1949 = 100					
							100	32	15	11	17	25
Average of Mths.												
1951	**240.2**	237.9	242.4	118.6	217.3	407.8	**113.7**	117.0	114.4	109.8	113.1	111.5
1952	**226.0**	218.7	230.7	123.2	206.2	316.4	**116.5**	116.8	120.2	111.8	116.2	116.0
1953	**220.7**	207.0	228.8	124.4	201.0	288.1	**115.5**	112.6	123.6	110.1	117.0	115.8
1954	**217.0**	204.8	224.2	121.8	187.2	283.3	**116.2**	112.2	126.5	109.4	117.4	117.4
1955	**218.9**	209.7	224.5	123.4	188.0	263.2	**116.4**	112.1	129.4	108.0	116.4	118.1
1956	**225.6**	215.8	231.5	128.0	188.4	265.6	**118.1**	113.4	132.5	108.6	117.1	120.9
Monthly												
1956—Feb.	**222.2**	213.3	227.6	126.5	186.6	245.1	**116.4**	109.9	131.5	108.6	116.7	119.3
Mar.	**223.3**	214.7	228.4	127.0	190.5	240.4	**116.4**	109.1	131.6	108.7	116.8	119.9
Apr.	**224.6**	216.3	229.5	127.1	191.5	241.5	**116.6**	109.7	131.9	108.7	116.6	120.1
May	**225.4**	217.3	230.3	127.2	192.0	252.3	**116.6**	109.3	132.1	108.8	116.5	120.5
June	**226.5**	219.2	231.3	127.5	190.8	272.8	**117.8**	112.5	132.6	108.6	116.7	120.6
July	**226.6**	219.0	231.6	127.2	188.4	278.4	**118.5**	114.4	132.7	108.6	116.7	121.1
Aug.	**227.0**	217.0	233.2	129.4	188.9	280.8	**119.1**	115.9	133.0	108.4	116.8	121.3
Sept.	**227.4**	216.2	234.4	129.2	188.8	284.2	**119.0**	115.5	133.1	108.4	117.1	121.4
Oct.	**227.0**	214.3	234.7	129.8	187.6	277.3	**119.8**	117.4	133.3	108.5	117.7	121.6
Nov.	**226.6**	213.3	234.6	129.5	185.9	281.0	**120.3**	117.9	133.4	108.4	118.1	122.8
Dec.	**228.0**	216.4	235.1	129.7	184.9	284.3	**120.4**	117.5	133.5	108.6	118.6	122.9
1957—Jan.	**229.4**	217.8	236.5	130.0	184.6	287.7	**120.3**	117.1	133.6	107.6	119.0	123.1
Feb.	**228.4**	214.9	236.8	130.1	182.3	287.6	**120.5**	117.2	133.8	107.4	119.1	123.8
Mar.	**228.4**	212.5	237.8	130.1	180.3	278.3	**120.5**	116.4	134.0	108.2	119.5	124.2
Apr.	**228.4**	211.7	238.3	130.1	178.5	281.8	**120.9**	116.7	134.0	108.5	119.4	125.1
May	**228.0**	209.6	238.8	130.2	174.5	283.5	**121.1**	116.7	134.2	108.5	119.2	126.3
June	**228.0**	209.8	238.8	129.5	171.9	292.9	**121.6**	117.7	134.8	108.4	119.1	126.5
July							**121.9**	118.2	135.1	108.4	119.6	126.5

1. Two sub-groups of the General Wholesale Price Index.
2. Components were selected and weighted on the basis of 1948 urban family incomes ranging from $1,650 to $4,050 with incomes between $2,000 and $3,000 most common.

NOTE: For 1952 data see page 86 in the "Financial Supplement 1955" and for 1953–1956 see page 117 in the "Financial Supplement 1956".

LABOUR FORCE STATUS OF THE POPULATION[1]

Thousands of Persons *"The Labour Force", Dominion Bureau of Statistics; Department of National Defence*

Survey Week Ending	Persons With Jobs				Without Jobs and Seeking Work [3]		Total Civilian Labour Force	Civilian Non-Institutional Population (14 years of age and over)	Armed Forces	Civilian Labour Force Participation Ratio [4]		
	Agriculture	Non-Agricultural Industries	Total	*Of Which On Temporary Lay-off and Short-time* [2]	Thousands	Percentage of Labour Force				Total	Male	Female
1955—Oct. 22	774	4,703	5,477	*40*	142	2.5	5,619	10,590	117	53.1	82.3	24.1
Nov. 19	728	4,691	5,419	*54*	162	2.9	5,581	10,602	117	52.6	81.2	24.3
Dec. 10	713	4,675	5,388	*67*	200	3.6	5,588	10,610	117	52.7	81.0	24.6
1956—Jan. 21	688	4,543	5,231	*74*	286	5.2	5,517	10,626	116	51.9	80.2	23.9
Feb. 18	678	4,538	5,216	*73*	308	5.6	5,524	10,635	117	51.9	80.3	23.9
Mar. 24	679	4,562	5,241	*66*	295	5.3	5,536	10,646	117	52.0	80.1	24.1
Apr. 21	764	4,562	5,326	*51*	257	4.6	5,583	10,663	117	52.4	80.7	24.3
May 19	817	4,682	5,499	*37*	165	2.9	5,664	10,680	116	53.0	81.9	24.4
June 23	804	4,843	5,647	*35*	117	2.0	5,764	10,699	116	53.9	83.1	24.9
July 21	897	4,892	5,789	*33*	102	1.7	5,891	10,714	116	55.0	85.3	25.0
Aug. 18	946	4,877	5,823	*36*	103	1.7	5,926	10,733	116	55.2	85.5	25.2
Sept. 22	841	4,835	5,676	*45*	97	1.7	5,773	10,752	117	53.7	82.7	25.0
Oct. 20	794	4,880	5,674	*39*	98	1.7	5,772	10,771	117	53.6	82.3	25.2
Nov. 17	693	4,937	5,630	*47*	135	2.3	5,765	10,791	117	53.4	81.7	25.5
Dec. 15	680	4,875	5,555	*59*	186	3.2	5,741	10,815	117	53.1	81.0	25.5
1957—Jan. 19	671	4,722	5,393	*74*	303	5.3	5,696	10,842	117	52.5	80.4	25.0
Feb. 16	654	4,708	5,362	*80*	323	5.7	5,685	10,861	117	52.3	80.4	24.6
Mar. 16	671	4,702	5,373	*87*	343	6.0	5,716	10,884	117	52.5	80.5	24.9
Apr. 20	706	4,736	5,442	*71*	306	5.3	5,748	10,926	117	52.6	80.7	24.9
May 18	773	4,914	5,687	*57*	194	3.3	5,881	10,968	116	53.6	82.1	25.5
June 22	774	5,060	5,834	*55*	162	2.7	5,996	11,012	116	54.4	83.2	26.0

1. The estimates are based on a sample of about 30,000 households and are therefore subject to sampling error which is relatively larger the smaller the estimate. Data not seasonally adjusted.
2. Includes those laid off for part of the week or on lay-off during the entire week, with definite instructions to return to their jobs within 30 days of the date on which lay-off began, provided they did not look for work during the survey week.
3. Includes persons who, though having jobs, did not work during the entire week and looked for work or would have looked for work only they were temporarily ill, on indefinite or prolonged lay-off or believed no work was available.
4. Civilian labour force as a percentage of civilian non-institutional population 14 years of age and over.

NOTE: For 1945–1952 data see pages 84–85 in the "Financial Supplement 1955". For 1952–1956 data and for years 1921–1952 see pages 114–115 in the "Financial Supplement 1956".

EMPLOYMENT AND LABOUR INCOME

"Employment and Payrolls", "Man-Hours and Hourly Earnings" and "Estimates of Labour Income", Dominion Bureau of Statistics

	EMPLOYMENT INDEXES [1, 2]		AVERAGE HOURS WORKED [1, 3]		AVERAGE HOURLY EARNINGS [1, 3, 4]		MONTHLY LABOUR INCOME [4]			
	Manufacturing	Mining	Manufacturing	Mining	Manufacturing	Mining	Total [5]	Manufacturing	Construction	All Other [6]
	Index 1949 = 100		Hours per week		Cents		Millions of Dollars			
Monthly Average										
1951	108.0	110.6	41.8	43.1	116.8	133.4	810	272	52	486
1952	109.3	116.8	41.5	42.7	129.2	147.1	906	303	63	540
1953	113.3	111.7	41.3	42.7	135.8	153.8	976	329	70	577
1954	107.7	109.8	40.6	42.6	140.8	157.3	1,000	323	69	608
1955	109.3	113.4	41.0	43.2	144.5	161.1	1,068	342	78	648
1956	115.4	122.0	41.1	42.9	151.5	171.4	1,190	379	93	718
1956—Jan.	109.8	114.4	39.0	42.0	147.5	165.1	1,077	349	71	657
Feb.	110.2	114.4	41.2	43.8	147.3	166.2	1,090	358	69	663
Mar.	112.3	115.9	41.3	44.0	148.5	166.8	1,094	365	70	659
Apr.	113.4	117.3	41.1	42.6	150.5	168.5	1,126	371	79	676
May	114.1	116.9	41.4	42.7	151.1	169.0	1,169	377	92	700
June	115.4	123.0	40.9	42.8	151.9	170.5	1,215	381	105	729
July	118.0	126.1	41.2	42.4	152.7	172.0	1,223	382	105	736
Aug.	117.9	128.2	40.8	42.6	152.4	172.7	1,236	382	108	746
Sept.	118.0	128.6	41.1	42.7	152.1	173.8	1,268	392	110	766
Oct.	118.6	126.5	41.5	43.6	153.3	176.2	1,273	394	114	765
Nov.	118.6	126.9	41.6	42.5	154.7	177.3	1,265	397	101	767
Dec.	118.0	125.4	41.5	43.1	155.5	179.0	1,248	397	90	761
1957—Jan.	114.8	122.7	37.9	40.7	158.0	181.6	1,197	384	76	737
Feb.	115.1	124.1	40.9	42.9	157.5	181.6	1,205	389	74	742
Mar.	115.0	124.7	40.9	43.1	157.6	182.7	1,205	393	73	739
Apr.	115.4	123.3	41.1	42.3	158.7	184.3†	1,217	395	82	740
May	115.8	120.8	40.6	41.7	160.0	186.2	1,263	398	95	770
June*	116.6		40.5	42.2	160.6	185.3				

1. As reported by employers usually having 15 or more employees. Dated first of month and covering the last pay period in the previous month.
2. Coverage, including salaried and part time workers at May 1, 1957, was Manufacturing, 1,206,425; Mining, 107,448.
3. Include hourly rated wage earners only.
4. Gross earnings before deductions for taxes, unemployment insurance, etc.
5. Wages and salaries and includes bonuses and commissions, food, clothing, shelter and contributions to insurance, pensions, etc. provided by employer.
6. Includes all supplementary labour income. † Revised. * Preliminary.

NOTE: For 1952 data see page 83 in the "Financial Supplement 1955" and for 1953–1956 data see page 113 in the "Financial Supplement 1956".

SELECTED HOUSING STATISTICS

Central Mortgage and Housing Corporation and Dominion Bureau of Statistics

	Dwellings in New Structures [1]				Composite Indexes of Residential Building Costs			Residential Construction Expenditures [3, 6]		
	Areas of 5,000 Population and over [2]		All Areas [3]		Residential Building Materials [4]	Wage Rates of All Construction Workers [5]	Residential Building Materials and Wage Rates [4]	New Dwellings and Major Improvements	Repair and Maintenance	Total
	Starts	Completions	Starts	Completions						
	Thousands of Units				1949 = 100			Millions of Dollars		
Calendar Years										
1951	47.4	61.2	68.6	81.3	125.5	119.2	123.1	821.6	221.0	1,042.6
1952	63.4	54.3	83.2	73.1	124.9	129.5	126.6	825.6	203.2	1,028.8
1953	80.3	73.4	102.4	96.8	123.9	137.2	128.9	1,083.7	213.6	1,297.3
1954	89.8	80.6	113.5	102.0	121.7	141.1	129.0	1,178.0	221.8	1,399.8
1955	97.4	93.9	138.3	127.9	124.3	146.6	132.7	1,499.3	238.0	1,737.3
1956	87.3	95.2	127.3	135.7	128.5	152.4	137.5	1,574.2	255.5	1,829.7
Monthly										
1956—Jan.	3.5	6.9	4.2	9.5	127.1	147.3	134.7	299.1	62.4	361.5
Feb.	4.1	5.8	4.7	7.5	127.1	147.4	134.7			
Mar.	4.5	7.3	5.6	8.7	127.9	147.5	135.3			
Apr.	7.6	7.4	10.4	9.1	128.8	147.8	135.9	425.0	63.3	488.3
May	11.1	7.9	15.9	9.7	129.1	148.5	136.4			
June	11.0	7.8	19.4	13.6	129.0	148.5	136.3			
July	11.1	7.4	15.9	9.7	129.0	148.9	136.5†	442.4	64.4	506.8
Aug.	9.0	7.4	14.0	10.7	129.0	150.5	137.1			
Sept.	8.9	7.7	13.3	12.2	128.7	151.1	137.1			
Oct.	7.8	10.7	11.8	18.5	128.8	152.4	137.7	407.7	65.4	473.1
Nov.	5.7	10.1	8.0	14.1	128.7	151.9	137.4			
Dec.	3.2	8.7	4.1	12.5	128.4	153.0	137.6			
1957—Jan.	1.4	7.1	1.9†	10.2	128.6	153.3	137.9	267.5	66.2	333.7
Feb.	1.7	6.0	2.1†	7.5	128.7	153.4	138.0			
Mar.	3.4	5.2	4.4†	6.9	128.9	153.6	138.2			
Apr	6.1	5.5	8.7†	7.0	128.8	156.7	139.3			
May	8.5	5.7	13.6	7.6	129.2	157.5	139.8			
June *	9.6	5.5	17.8	11.2	129.2	158.3	140.1			

1. Excludes conversions. From 1951 to 1956 these are estimated to have totalled approximately 3.5, 3.2, 3.8, 4.4, 4.3 and 3.6 thousand respectively. 2. Based on a complete enumeration. 3. In areas outside the centres of 5,000 population and over, information relating to starts and completions is based on a sample survey. In the latter part of 1954 the sample was redesigned and enlarged and some discontinuity with previous years resulted. There is probably an understatement of total starts and completions and of expenditures in 1954 and earlier years. Total number of starts in 1957 is subject to upward revision when the results of the June survey are available. 4. Calendar year figures are the averages of 12 months. 5. Index of average hourly wage rates including holiday pay allowances. Annual data refer to the month of October each year. 6. Expenditures on work put in place. † Revised. * Preliminary.

NOTE: For 1952 data see page 78 in the "Financial Supplement 1955" and for 1953–1956 data see page 108 in the "Financial Supplement 1956".

SELECTED AGRICULTURAL STATISTICS[1]: QUARTERLY

Department of Agriculture, Board of Grain Commissioners and Dominion Bureau of Statistics

PRODUCTION

	Livestock: Inspected Slaughterings: Cattle and Calves	Hogs	Sheep and Lambs	Total	Exports (Dressed Weight): Cattle, Calves, Beef and Veal	Bacon and Ham
	Thousands of Head				*Millions of lbs.*	
1953—IV	563	1,230	237	2,030	11	2
Yearly Total	2,210	4,611	543	7,365	56	7
1954—I	570	1,152	86	1,808	19	2
II	674	1,108	45	1,828	20	2
III	614	1,000	189	1,803	10	2
IV	598	1,419	242	2,259	8	2
Yearly Total	2,456	4,679	563	7,697	57	8
1955—I	560	1,399	95	2,054	7	2
II	693	1,377	57	2,127	12	3
III	653	1,191	192	2,036	9	2
IV	625	1,576	248	2,449	8	3
Yearly Total	2,531	5,544	592	8,666	36	10
1956—I	603	1,532	97	2,232	7	2
II	745	1,476	62	2,283	11	2
III	708	1,177	182	2,068	9	2
IV	710	1,363	258	2,331	9	2
Yearly Total*	2,766	5,548	599	8,914	37	8
1957—I*	607	1,336	96	2,038	6	1
II*	760	1,205	62	2,027		

	Field Crops: Wheat		Oats	Oats	Barley		Other Field Crops[2]		Dairying: Butter[3]	Cheddar Cheese	Concentrated Milk Products[4]	Total Milk[5]	Eggs[6]	D.B.S. Index of Physical Volume of Agricultural Production
	Mm. acres	*Mm. bus.*	*Mm. acres*	*Mm. bus.*	*Mm. acres*	*Mm. bus.*	*Mm. acres*	*Mm. bus.*	*Millions of pounds*				*Thous. of cases*	*1935–39 = 100*
1953—IV									61	14	80	3,449	1,296	
Yearly Total	26	614	10	407	9	262	5	125	326	77	440	16,375	5,231	156.2
1954—I									40	7	68	2,889	1,539	
II									110	28	157	5,082	1,547	
III									124	35	146	5,359	1,295	
IV									61	15	79	3,488	1,501	
Yearly Total	24	309	10	307	8	176	4	112	335	85	450	16,818	5,883	117.1[7]
1955—I									38	6†	70	2,883	1,465	
II									112	28†	156	5,207	1,416	
III									123	31†	155	5,423	1,176	
IV									65	15	94†	3,700	1,461	
Yearly Total	22	494	11	408	10	252	6	134	339	80	475	17,213	5,518	149.9†
1956—I									40†	7	79	3,070	1,531	
II									105†	25†	157†	5,090	1,563†	
III									120	35	161	5,445	1,358	
IV									72	18	87	3,589	1,594	
Yearly Total*	23†	538	12	534†	8†	278	6†	139	324‡	84‡	484	17,194	6,046	165.3*
1957—I*	21**		11**		9**		6**		33	7	68	2,896	1,794	
II*									101	31	184	5,179	1,811	

PRICES[8]

	D.B.S. Index of Farm Prices of Agricultural Products[9]	Wholesale Prices: Wheat[10] (No. 1 Northern): I.W.A.[11]	Class II	Steers (Good up to 1000 lbs., Toronto)	Hogs (Grade B1 Dressed, Toronto)	Butter[12]	Cheddar Cheese[13]
	1935–39 = 100	*Cents per bushel*		*Dollars per cwt.*		*Cents per pound*	
1953—IV	238.5	191.2	191.2	18.90	32.60	60.2	31.9
Yearly Total	250.4	184.7	205.7	20.28	30.40	59.6	30.3
1954—I	240.2	184.0	184.0	17.97	34.61	61.0	32.5
II	240.0	179.7	179.7	19.01	35.42	57.8	30.1
III	235.8	170.1	170.1	20.63	28.34	57.3	30.1
IV	223.1	170.1	170.1	20.46	25.68	59.3	30.2
Yearly Total	236.8	176.0	176.0	19.25	30.90	58.9	30.7
1955—I	229.3	173.8	173.8	19.56	25.22	61.0	30.3
II	236.5	176.0	176.0	19.62	25.66	56.7	29.7
III	232.7†	175.7	175.7	19.61	26.85	57.3	29.3
IV	224.2	172.2	172.2	19.59	22.88	57.3	29.9
Yearly Total	232.7†	174.4	174.4	19.60	25.15	58.1	29.8
1956—I	227.2†	173.7	173.7	17.84	22.53	57.6	31.3
II	234.9†	175.0	175.0	18.78	23.99	56.8	31.1
III	236.2†	173.2	173.2	21.17	27.53	56.2	33.3
IV	225.8	170.2	170.2	19.84	29.90	57.4	34.0
Yearly Total*	231.0	173.0	173.0	19.41	25.99	57.0	32.5
1957—I*	226.3	168.7	168.7	18.99	30.76	57.6	31.3
II*	224.8	164.5	164.5	19.74	29.72	57.3	34.1

FARM CASH AND NET INCOME FROM SALE OF FARM PRODUCTS

	By Products: Field Crops	Participation and Equalization Payments[14]	Livestock	Dairy Products, Poultry and Eggs	All Other	Total Cash Income	By Regions: Maritimes	Quebec and Ontario	Western Provinces	Total Cash Income (Incl. certain Govt. Pay'ts.)[15]	Total Net Income[16]
	Millions of Dollars										
1953—IV	298	88	186	186	57	814	33	297	485	815	
Yearly Total	1,103	172	657	687	156	2,776	107	1,114	1,555	2,778	1,697
1954—I	142	28	181	127	35	513	24	264	224	515	
II	126	31	181	175	48	561	29	269	263	561	
III	224	–	156	195	19	594	27	292	275	594	
IV	240	54	186	191	54	725	37	296	392	725	
Yearly Total	732	113	704	688	156	2,392	118	1,121	1,154	2,395	1,161†
1955—I	149	–	164	132	34	480	26†	272	183†	498	
II	146	37	169	175	49	576	30	269	278	590	
III	240	–	172	209	20	640	26	316	298	641	
IV	190	10	197	206	58	661	33	317	311	662	
Yearly Total	725	47	703	722	161	2,357	115†	1,173	1,070†	2,390	1,423
1956—I	159†	22	159	154	36	530	26	272†	233†	533	
II	223	40	172	196	52	683	30	286	366	684	
III	288	–	188	202	21	698	27	312	360	699	
IV	256	23	218	199	55	751	38	319	394	752	
Yearly Total*	926	85	737	751	164	2,662	122	1,189	1,352	2,667	1,573*
1957—I*	195	37	179	151	37	599	26	289	284	600	
II*											

1. Exclude Newfoundland.
2. Rye, flaxseed, buckwheat, mixed grains and shelled corn.
3. Creamery, dairy and whey butter.
4. Whole milk products and milk by-products.
5. Total milk production by quarters does not include the milk equivalent of factory cheese other than cheddar included in the annual totals.
6. Registered egg station gradings.
7. Allowances made for the low quality of the 1954 western grain crop.
8. Prices are quarterly and annual averages.
9. Prices used for western wheat, oats and barley are initial payments to farmers plus retroactive revisions to include participation payments as these are announced. The indexes prior to July 1956 and earlier months include final payments for all three grains. Subsequent to July 1956 only the initial prices of the three grains are used.
10. Basis in store Fort William–Port Arthur.
11. Up to July 31, 1953 excludes 6 cents carrying charges, after that date carrying charges are included in the price quoted.
12. No. 1 pasteurized, current receipts, price delivered.
13. Ontario coloured, current receipts, price f.o.b. factory.
14. Wheat participation and adjustment payments, oats and barley equalization payments and flaxseed adjustment payments. The wheat participation and adjustment payments for the years 1953, 1954, 1955 and 1956 amounted to 125, 97, 26 and 62 respectively.
15. Payments under the Prairie Farm Assistance Act.
16. Net Income is Cash Income plus income in kind plus increase in inventories on the farm less farm operating costs.

† Revised. ‡ All quarterly revisions not yet available.
** D.B.S. estimate Aug. 9, 1957. * Preliminary.

SELECTED SEASONALLY ADJUSTED STATISTICS★

Dominion Bureau of Statistics

	Gross National Production		Personal Income and Expenditure				Change in Business Inventories	Corporation Profits before Taxes 1	Expenditure on Construction 2	External Trade Value Indexes	
			Labour Income	Disposable Income	Expenditure on Goods						
	Total	Ex. Farm			Durable	Non-Dur.				Exports of Goods	Imports of Goods
	Millions of Dollars									*1949 = 100*	
1955—June			12,816							140†	161†
July			12,864							142	166†
Aug.	27,396	25,984	13,008	18,332	2,008	9,760	528	2,988†	3,388	147	177†
Sept.			13,056							147†	183†
Oct.			13,140							154†	197†
Nov.	27,912	26,468	13,236	18,664	2,032	9,996	488	3,188†	3,556	145†	183
Dec.			13,320							146†	184†
1956—Jan.			13,476							157†	197†
Feb.	28,726	27,150	13,644	19,284	1,948	10,196	992	3,208†	3,812	156†	196†
Mar.			13,788							156†	213†
Apr.			13,992							160†	218†
May	29,550	27,966	14,100	19,760	2,100	10,272	856	3,268†	4,088	151†	203†
June			14,232							165†	206†
July			14,484							166†	207†
Aug.	30,230	28,662	14,496	20,208	2,112	10,668	396	3,256	4,212	164†	197†
Sept.			14,700							170†	213†
Oct.			14,760							167†	214†
Nov.	30,960	29,256	14,832	20,692	2,084	10,916	724	3,216	4,308	159†	220†
Dec.			14,904							164†	203†
1957—Jan.			14,964							165†	214†
Feb.	30,910	29,522	15,072	20,820	2,052	11,132	560	3,080	4,184	160†	219†
Mar.			15,192							162†	210†
Apr.			15,108							151†	215
May			15,204							155	205*
June											

	Labour Force Survey			Industrial Production Index	Manufacturing						
					Total		Durable Goods		Non-Durable Goods		
	Without Jobs	Non-Agric. Employment	Employment in Construction		Production Index	Employment Index	Employment Index	Hrs. Worked per Week	Employment Index	Hrs. Worked per Week	
	Thousands of Persons			*1935–39 = 100*	*1949 = 100*			*Average*	*1949 = 100*	*Average*	
1955—June	224			267†	272†	109	116	41.4	103	40.7	June—1955
July	220			267†	272†	110	117	40.9	103	40.9	July
Aug.	208	4,589	374	270	275†	111	118	41.4	103	40.9	Aug.
Sept.	230			271†	275†	112	119	41.3	104	41.0	Sept.
Oct.	209			273†	278	112	119	41.4	104	40.8	Oct.
Nov.	195	4,635	382	277†	280†	113	121	41.5	105	40.9	Nov.
Dec.	198			275	278†	113	122	41.2	105	40.8	Dec.
1956—Jan.	200			276	279†	113	121	41.2	106	41.1	Jan.—1956
Feb.	202	4,669	391	275†	278†	114	121	41.2	106	41.1	Feb.
Mar.	193			281†	284†	114	123	41.1	106	40.9	Mar.
Apr.	188			280†	282†	115	124	41.0	106	40.3	Apr.
May	183	4,710	419	280†	282	115	124	41.4	106	40.7	May
June	167			287	291†	116	126	41.1	106	40.9	June
July	150			289†	292†	117	127	41.3	107	41.0	July
Aug.	164	4,772	416	287	287†	117	127	41.5	108	40.8	Aug.
Sept.	162			287†	286†	116	125	41.3	106	40.7	Sept.
Oct.	144			289†	289†	117	127	41.3	107	40.9	Oct.
Nov.	163	4,874	416	290†	291	119	131	41.5	107	40.7	Nov.
Dec.	175			290†	290	119	131	41.2	108	40.7	Dec.
1957—Jan.	212			291	290†	119	130	40.2	108	39.7	Jan.—1957
Feb.	212	4,844	430	292	292	119	130	40.8	108	40.9	Feb.
Mar.	224			291	290	117	126	40.6	108	40.6	Mar.
Apr.	223			288	281†	117	126	40.9	108	40.6	Apr.
May	216	4,944	448	286	281	117	126	40.6	108	40.0	May
June	231										June

★ Note: All dollar series are expressed at annual rates. 1. As per survey of corporate earnings: profits before payment of dividends abroad and including earnings of Canadian corporations abroad. 2. As per National Accounts: expenditure on private residential and non-residential construction. † Revised. * Preliminary.

NOTE: For 1952 data for most of this series, see page 87 in the "Financial Supplement 1955" and for 1953–1956 data see page 118 in the "Financial Supplement 1956".

VOLUME OF INDUSTRIAL PRODUCTION

INDEXES NOT SEASONALLY ADJUSTED

1935–39 = 100 *"Canadian Statistical Review", Dominion Bureau of Statistics*

	Total	Mining	Manufacturing			Electricity and Manufactured Gas
			Total	Non-Durables	Durables	
Weighting	100.0	16.8	75.6	46.1	29.5	7.6
Annual Average						
1951	226.5	161.8	242.1	214.0	285.9	214.2
1952	233.0	174.7	246.3	215.2	294.8	228.8
1953	248.4	185.8	263.0	224.1	323.9	241.9
1954	244.6	209.7	251.4	221.7	297.7	254.6
1955	265.8	242.0	270.1	235.2	324.8	275.7
1956	284.4	272.5	285.6	245.6	348.9	295.2
Monthly						
1955—Oct.	284.0	285.3	284.9	247.5	343.2	272.3
Nov.	283.7	273.9	284.6	248.6	341.0	296.5
Dec.	264.3	245.5	265.5	229.5	321.9	293.2
1956—Jan.	257.7	239.8	259.5	223.5	315.8	278.8
Feb.	266.4	243.6	269.7	232.8	327.5	283.2
Mar.	277.5	250.5	282.5	240.9	347.5	286.9
Apr.	277.4	234.5	286.6	244.1	353.0	279.8
May	283.3	257.5	288.0	244.3	356.3	293.2
June	298.7	279.5	303.3	260.1	370.8	295.3
July	285.5	284.3	286.1	240.2	358.0	282.7
Aug.	288.6	294.3	287.3	252.5	341.8	289.1
Sept.	298.8	308.6	296.5	260.2	353.2	300.6
Oct.	300.7	308.4	297.1	256.4	360.8	319.5
Nov.	298.2	298.4	296.2	254.4	361.6	317.1
Dec.	279.4	270.4	277.7	237.7	340.3	316.3
1957—Jan.	272.0†	262.7†	269.8	227.4	336.2	314.6
Feb.	281.9†	264.5†	282.4	242.7	344.5	315.4
Mar.	283.0	257.8	286.3	245.6	349.9	306.4
Apr.	285.3*	273.8*	285.1*	247.4*	344.1*	312.2†
May	288.7*	293.0*	287.0*	251.2*	343.0*	296.0

† Revised. * Preliminary.

NOTE: For 1952 data see page 82 in the "Financial Supplement 1955" and for 1953–1956 see page 116 in the "Financial Supplement 1956".

CAPITAL EXPENDITURES ON NEW CONSTRUCTION, MACHINERY AND EQUIPMENT[1]

Millions of Dollars *Department of Trade and Commerce*

	Current Dollars					1949 Constant Dollars				
	New Construction		Machinery and Equipment	Total	Total as a % of G.N.P.	New Construction		Machinery and Equipment	Total	Total as a % of G.N.P.
	Housing	Other				Housing	Other			
Calendar year										
1953	1,084	2,581	2,176	**5,841**	23.9	850	1,973	1,817	**4,640**	22.8
1954	1,178	2,502	1,940	**5,620**	23.1†	919	1,917	1,600	**4,436**	22.3†
1955	1,499	2,815	2,036	**6,350**	23.6†	1,141	2,098	1,655	**4,894**	22.4†
1956	1,575	3,708	2,617	**7,900**	26.5†	1,156	2,590	1,988	**5,734**	24.7
1957‡	1,283	4,303	2,947	**8,533**	27.6	*	*	*	*	*
1957★	1,351	4,472	2,953	**8,776**	28.4	*	*	*	*	*

Millions of Current Dollars

	Agriculture, Fishing, Forestry and the Construction Industry	Mining, Quarrying and Oil Wells	Heavy Manufacturing 2	Other Manufacturing	Utilities 3	Housing	Trade	Finance and Commercial Services	Institutions	Government Departments 4	Total
Calendar year											
1953	671	257	726	243	1,209	1,084	330	196	301	824	**5,841**
1954	531	278	561	262	1,124	1,178	368	214	337	767	**5,620**
1955	663	336	728	219	1,099	1,499	359	232	408	837	**6,350**
1956	760	536	1,119	230	1,630	1,575	319	288	402	1,041	**7,900**
1957‡	769	530	1,230	241	2,185	1,283	393	335	469	1,098	**8,533**
1957★	759	606	1,214**	253**	2,272	1,351	404	338	471	1,108	**8,776**

1. Total capital expenditure shown is greater than the National Accounts' estimate of Gross Domestic Investment (ex inventories) in that the latter excludes direct investment outlays of government departments and government investment outlays on government built non-rental housing, provincial hospital and provincial and municipal schools. These expenditures are treated as government expenditures on goods and services in the National Accounts. A reconciliation statement is provided in "Private and Public Investment in Canada, Outlook 1957", Dept. of Trade and Commerce.
2. Includes investment of the following industries; Wood and Paper Products; Iron and Steel; Transportation Equipment; Non-ferrous Metal Products; Electrical Apparatus and Supplies; Non-metallic Mineral Products; Products of Petroleum and Coal; Chemical Products; plus an estimate of capital items charged to operating expenses by these industries.
3. Includes oil and gas pipe lines.
4. Includes Federal Government defence projects and capital assistance to industries filling defence contracts.

* Not available.
† Revised.
‡ Intentions in original forecast.
★ Revised forecast.
** Subject to revision.

MANUFACTURING: SHIPMENTS, ORDERS AND INVENTORIES

ESTIMATES FOR ALL ITEMS IN ALL INDUSTRIES

Millions of Dollars — *"Inventories, Shipments and Orders in Manufacturing Industries", DBS*

	Shipments During Month 1	Orders: New Orders Received During Month 2	Orders: Unfilled Orders at end of Month 3	Inventories at End of Month: Owned 4	All Inventories Held: Total 5	Raw Materials	Goods in Process	Finished Products
1955—Oct.	1,702	1,674	2,702	3,527	4,013	1,712	1,135	1,166
Nov.	1,695	1,737	2,744	3,552	4,028	1,737	1,110	1,181
Dec.	1,644	1,684	2,784	3,636	4,070	1,766	1,105	1,199
1956—Jan.	1,539	1,752	2,997	3,706	4,138	1,788	1,106	1,244
Feb.	1,621	1,672	3,048	3,790	4,233	1,816	1,142	1,276
Mar.	1,761	1,759	3,046	3,833	4,262	1,823	1,150	1,289
Apr.	1,752	1,779	3,074	3,845	4,281	1,817	1,158	1,306
May	1,888	1,852	3,037	3,883	4,342	1,838	1,184	1,320
June	1,867	1,760	2,930	3,933	4,397	1,854	1,191	1,352
July	1,764	1,739	2,905	3,937	4,392	1,882	1,164	1,346
Aug.	1,810	1,831	2,926	3,938	4,399	1,897	1,170	1,332
Sept.	1,798	1,812	2,940	3,970	4,441	1,903	1,189	1,349
Oct.	1,911	1,858	2,886	3,989	4,464	1,926	1,205	1,333
Nov.	1,849	1,846	2,883	4,059	4,545	1,954	1,229	1,362
Dec.	1,717	1,966	3,133	4,119	4,608	1,995	1,236	1,377
1957—Jan.	1,693	1,799	3,239	4,166	4,668	1,992	1,257	1,419
Feb.	1,656	1,647	3,230	4,265	4,777	2,012	1,283	1,482
Mar.	1,863	1,799	3,165	4,262	4,793	2,022	1,285	1,485
Apr. *	1,812	1,726	3,080	4,256	4,791	2,005	1,301	1,486
May *	1,904	1,808	2,983	4,270	4,813	2,001	1,314	1,498
June *	1,839	1,789	2,934	4,282	4,828	1,991	1,316	1,520

1. Represent an estimated projection, on a monthly basis, of the latest available Census of Industry values. The value level used being the factory selling value. 2. Indicates the rate at which new business is being received. These are new orders received during the period at estimated selling value. 3. Estimated selling value of orders received but not yet shipped, irrespective of work done on them. 4. Estimated book value of inventory owned by manufacturers in connection with manufacturing operations. Excludes value of goods purchased for re-sale. 5. Estimated total value of manufacturers' inventory holdings in connection with manufacturing operations, regardless of ownership, Includes progress payments inventory. * Preliminary.

NOTE: For data back to 1952 see page 109 in the "Financial Supplement 1956".

U.S.A. ECONOMIC STATISTICS★

	U.S. Department of Commerce: Gross National Product	Change in Business Inventories	Govt. Expenditure on National Security 1	Personal Savings as a Percentage of Disposable Income	Total Personal Income	Construction 3	Unemployment	Retail Sales 4 ‡	U.S. Dept. of Labor: Consumer Price Index	Wholesale Prices: All Commodities	Average Hourly Earnings in Manufacturing 5	Federal Reserve: Total Industrial Production 4
	Billions of Dollars 2				Billions of $ 2	Billions of $	Millions	Billions of $	1947–49 = 100		Dollars	1947–49 = 100
Annual Averages 6												
1951	328.2	10.4	37.3	7.8	255.3	31.2	1.9	156.5	111.0	114.8	1.59	120
1952	345.4	3.0	48.8	8.0	271.8	34.8†	1.7	162.4	113.5	111.6	1.67	124
1953	363.2	0.3	51.5	7.9	286.0	37.1†	1.6	169.1	114.4	110.1	1.77	134
1954	361.2	−1.9	43.1	7.0	287.4	39.6†	3.2	169.1	114.8	110.3	1.81	125
1955	391.7	4.2	41.3	5.8	305.9	44.6†	2.7	183.9	114.5	110.7	1.88	139
1956	414.7	4.6	42.4	7.0	326.9	46.1	2.6	189.7	116.2	114.3	1.98	143
Monthly												
1956—Jan.					317.0	3.0	2.9	15.5	114.6	111.9	1.93	143
Feb.	405.2	5.2	41.1	6.0	318.1	2.9	2.9	15.2	114.6	112.4	1.93	143
Mar.					320.3	3.2	2.8	15.6	114.7	112.8	1.95	141
Apr.					323.7	3.6	2.6	15.4	114.9	113.6	1.96	143
May	410.8	4.6	41.6	7.3	325.2	4.0	2.6	15.7	115.4	114.4	1.96†	141
June					326.8	4.3	2.9	15.9	116.2	114.2	1.97	141
July					325.6	4.4	2.8	15.9	117.0	114.0	1.96†	136
Aug.	416.7	3.3	42.7	7.0	329.3	4.5	2.2	16.1	116.8	114.7	1.98	143
Sept.					331.1	4.4	2.0	15.9	117.1	115.5	2.01†	144
Oct.					334.1	4.3	1.9	15.9	117.7	115.6	2.02	146
Nov.	426.0	5.1	44.2	7.4	334.9	4.0	2.5	16.2	117.8	115.9	2.03	146
Dec.					334.8	3.5	2.5	16.2	118.0	116.3	2.05	147
1957—Jan.					335.9	3.2	3.2 7	16.3	118.2	116.9	2.05	146
Feb.	429.1	−0.8	45.5	6.4	337.9	3.0	3.1	16.4	118.7	117.0	2.05	146
Mar.					339.5	3.3	2.9	16.3	118.9	116.9	2.05	145
Apr.					340.6	3.6	2.7	16.4	119.3	117.2	2.05†	143†
May	433.5	1.5	46.8	7.3	342.9	4.0	2.7	16.6	119.6	117.1	2.06	143
June					343.8	4.4	3.3	16.8	120.2	117.4	2.07	143

1. Includes stockpiling, atomic energy, and Mutual Defence Assistance in addition to strictly military programmes.
2. Seasonally adjusted annual rates.
3. Value of new work put in place.
4. Seasonally adjusted.
5. Production workers.
6. Quarterly averages for first four columns. Calendar year totals in the case of "Construction" and "Retail Sales".
7. New series starting Jan. 1957; not strictly comparable with earlier figures. Includes persons temporarily laid-off who were classed as employed prior to 1957.

★ All GNP data has been revised commencing 1954.
‡ New series beginning 1951.
† Revised.

EXTERNAL TRADE AND TRADE INDEXES

Millions of Dollars — *Compiled from "Trade of Canada", Dominion Bureau of Statistics*

TOTAL EXPORTS (EXCLUDING GOLD) TO 1

	U.S.A.	U.K.	Other Sterling Area 2	Western Europe & Colonies 3	Central and South America	All Other	Total All Countries	New Gold Production Available for Export ‡	Export Indexes 4 (1948 = 100): Total Value	Price	Physical Volume
Calendar Yrs.											
1951	2,334	636	267	364	217	145	**3,963**	150	127.3	123.0	103.5
1952	2,349	751	291	468	281	216	**4,356**	150	139.9	121.8	114.9
1953	2,463	669	252	367	207	215	**4,173**	144	133.9	118.3	113.2
1954	2,367	658	208	349	196	169	**3,947**	155	126.2	115.1	109.6
1955	2,612	774	254	379	172	160	**4,351**	155	139.2	117.7	118.3
1956	2,879	818	257	465	188	256	**4,863**	150	155.7	121.3	128.4
12 Mths. ending May 1957	2,895	797	250	514	219	249	**4,925**	150			
Monthly											
1955–Dec.	230.1	62.3	19.3	35.6	15.5	18.1	**380.9**	13.4	146.6	**119.4**	122.8
1956–Jan.	217.3	72.9	19.9	26.5	14.1	14.7	**365.4**	12.5†	140.4	119.3	117.7
Feb.	216.0	58.8	19.5	31.4	12.4	14.8	**352.9**	12.7	135.7	119.9	113.2
Mar.	208.4	49.2	21.0	28.6	12.0	14.0	**333.2**	12.4†	127.8	120.8	105.8
Apr.	236.6	65.6	19.9	30.7	15.0	20.4	**388.2**	12.5	149.3	121.4	123.0
May	261.8	59.3	25.4	40.3	16.3	32.2	**435.3**	14.0†	167.1	122.0	137.0
June	233.6	65.7	28.5	47.0	17.0	37.3	**429.1**	12.9	165.3	122.1	135.4
July	237.5	75.9	22.1	44.8	16.4	33.6	**430.3**	11.1	165.6	121.7	136.1
Aug.	267.5	69.1	19.2	37.0	13.6	20.8	**427.1**	14.5	164.1	121.9	134.6
Sept.	235.8	75.7	19.9	42.0	15.3	20.6	**409.3**	12.2	157.5	122.0	129.1
Oct.	285.5	67.4	17.9	47.0	21.2	17.1	**456.1**	12.3	175.2	122.4	143.1
Nov.	243.2	83.9	22.7	44.9	16.4	14.6	**425.7**	12.3	163.4	122.5	133.4
Dec.	235.9	75.0	20.8	45.1	18.4	15.4	**410.6**	10.4	157.5	122.2	128.9
1957–Jan.	219.0	63.8	23.1	51.3	22.6	23.6	**403.4**	13.9	154.8	122.5	126.4
Feb.	214.2	52.3	18.5	33.6	14.8	13.5	**346.9**	12.5	132.7	122.0	108.8
Mar.	227.6	45.5	15.2	44.2	21.4	14.3	**368.2**	12.1	140.9	122.8	114.7
Apr.	228.6	54.3	17.9†	38.0	18.6	15.2†	**372.6†**	10.8†	142.7	122.9	116.3
May	266.8	68.7	23.9	38.9	23.7	23.4	**445.4**	15.4	170.7*	122.1*	139.8*
June *	234.9	56.4					**394.1**	5.2			

TOTAL IMPORTS (EXCLUDING GOLD) FROM

	U.S.A.	U.K.	Other Sterling Area 2	Western Europe & Colonies 3	Central and South America	All Other	Total All Countries	Excess of Merchandise Exports over Merchandise Imports	Import Indexes 4 (1948 = 100): Total Value	Price	Physical Volume
Calendar Yrs.											
1951	2,813	421	309	181	275	86	**4,085**	−122	154.8	126.2	122.7
1952	2,977	360	186	157	285	65	**4,030**	326	152.3	110.4	138.0
1953	3,221	453	172	179	291	67	**4,383**	−210	165.2	109.4	151.0
1954	2,961	392	183	199	286	72	**4,093**	−146	154.4	109.5	141.0
1955	3,452	401	211	234	320	94	**4,712**	−361	177.1	110.5	160.3
1956	4,162	485	222	328	363	145	**5,705**	−842	214.9	113.1	190.0
12 Mths. ending Apr. 1957	4,225	503	230	341	359	140	**5,798**	−883			
Monthly											
1955–Dec.	289.9	28.1	11.6	21.3	26.0	8.9	**385.8**	−4.9	175.1	113.6	154.1
1956–Jan.	294.4	33.1	13.0	18.2	33.2	11.7	**403.7**	−38.3	183.3	113.4	161.6
Feb.	305.3	30.9	13.1	16.5	30.4	8.8	**405.0**	−52.1	183.4	113.8	161.2
Mar.	361.7	33.8	13.2	17.4	27.9	9.5	**463.5**	−130.3	210.0	114.4	183.6
Apr.	400.3	50.0	14.0	27.6	30.8	9.7	**532.4**	−144.2	240.0	113.8	210.9
May	397.7	49.5	26.5	32.9	32.4	11.0	**550.0**	−114.7	248.0	113.1	219.3
June	357.8	41.4	18.4	29.4	28.2	15.4	**490.6**	−61.5	221.6	113.5	195.2
July	341.7	45.9	22.5	28.8	29.8	13.9	**482.6**	−52.3	218.1	112.4	194.0
Aug.	329.7	42.8	21.6	30.9	35.1	13.6	**473.7**	−46.6	212.9	112.4	189.4
Sept.	309.9	35.8	21.2	29.0	28.4	13.4	**437.7**	−28.4	196.2	112.0	175.2
Oct.	394.6	43.7	21.6	38.5	27.9	16.5	**542.8**	−86.7	245.3	112.8	217.5
Nov.	368.7	48.5	26.4	35.8	30.7	11.4	**521.5**	−95.8	236.3	113.0	209.1
Dec.	299.9	29.3	11.2	22.7	28.1	10.7	**401.9**	+8.7	181.0	113.5	159.5
1957–Jan.	346.7	35.7	16.1	20.9	30.5	9.1	**459.0**	−55.6	208.2	115.0	181.0
Feb.	330.0	34.8	10.1	18.4	29.9	8.2	**431.4**	−84.5	195.5	116.1	168.4
Mar.	354.6	43.2	14.5	21.5	27.8	7.3	**468.9**	−100.7	212.7	116.7	182.3
Apr.	393.2	52.3	19.7	32.3	30.6	9.1	**537.2**	−164.6	243.8*	117.1*	208.2*
May *	397.4	50.7					**557.4**	−112.0			
June *	321.4	43.4					**454.6**	−60.5			

1. Includes exports of foreign produce. Excludes defence equipment transferred by Canada to North Atlantic Treaty countries which in 1951, 1952, 1953, 1954, 1955 and 1956 amounted to 109.1, 100.9, 182.0, 202.4, 165.9 and 96.8 respectively.
2. Consists of U.K. Dependencies, Union of South Africa, Ireland, India, Pakistan, Burma, Australia, New Zealand, Iceland, Jordan, Libya, Ceylon and Iraq.
3. Excludes Spain, but includes Greece and Turkey.
4. Excludes exports of foreign produce. Price indexes are based largely on unit values derived from the Customs' entries.

‡ See footnote ‡ to "Canadian Gold Statistics" table on page 223.
† Revised. * Preliminary.

NOTE: For 1952 data see pages 76–77 in the "Financial Supplement 1955" and for 1953–1956 see pages 102–103 in the "Financial Supplement 1956".

IMPORTS CLASSIFIED BY SOURCE AND END-USE★

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Millions of Dollars

Source, Calendar Years and Quarters	Fuels and Lubricants 1	Industrial Materials: Textile, Leather and Fur Materials 2	Metal Materials 3	Chemical Materials 4	Other Industrial Materials 5	Total Industrial Materials	Investment Goods: Machinery and Parts 6	Electrical Machinery 7	Aircraft, Other Transport Equipment, and Parts 8	Construction Materials, Structural Steel and Pipe 9	Total Investment Goods	Consumer Goods: Food, Beverages, and Tobacco 10	Clothing, Household Textiles, Leather Goods 11	Passenger Automobiles: Engines, Parts and Finished Vehicles 12	Household Durables and Semi-Durables 13	Other Manufactured Goods 14	Total Consumer Goods	Special Items 15	Total Imports
From U.S.A. 1953	304	181	256	183	190	810	645	162	209	141	1,157	164	48	259	146	272	889	61	**3,221**
1954	236	168	213	177	196	753	544	174	200	140	1,058	190	44	211	127	277	849	64	**2,961**
1955	231	181	280	208	232	901	660	190	242	155	1,247	201	48	302	149	296	995	78	**3,452**
1956	255	179	389	230	274	1,072	917	210	236	250	1,614	246	50	346	166	326	1,132	88	**4,162**
1954–III	62	36	57	42	45	179	127	39	50	36	251	45	10	30	30	76	191	23	**707**
IV	69	47	52	45	59	204	111	55	52	31	250	54	11	43	29	71	208	21	**751**
1955–I	37	56	48	45	48	197	135	47	52	30	264	45	12	80	31	61	229	16	**746**
II	59	47	68	55	56	226	181	42	65	35	323	54	12	95	41	74	276	22	**904**
III	64	37	79	53	57	226	167	45	73	40	325	45	12	62	38	83	239	25	**879**
IV	71	41	85	55	71	252	177	56	52	50	335	57	12	65	39	78	251	15	**925**
1956–I	45	47	86	55	61	249	211	51	61	52	374	50	13	106	42	69	279	15	**961**
II	67	40	109	65	73	287	265	54	66	74	460	61	12	110	48	84	315	26	**1,156**
III	73	38	94	54	63	248	223	50	55	59	386	61	12	47	38	90	248	26	**982**
IV	70	54	100	56	77	288	218	55	54	65	394	74	13	83	38	83	290	21	**1,063**
1957–I	54	62	80	59	61	261	242	52	57	76	427	58	13	90	38	77	276	13	**1,031**
From U.K. 1953	5	94	52	18	11	175	58	23	33	21	135	24	32	33	22	20	131	8	**453**
1954	4	71	53	18	11	153	45	19	26	21	111	25	28	20	20	19	114	11	**393**
1955	4	76	49	22	14	161	41	22	28	21	112	25	32	19	21	21	117	7	**401**
1956	3	84	76	21	17	199	54	31	21	37	142	25	33	27	22	26	134	7	**485**
1954–III	1	17	13	4	3	37	9	5	5	6	25	6	9	3	5	5	30	3	**97**
IV	1	16	12	5	3	36	8	6	6	5	25	9	6	3	5	5	27	2	**92**
1955–I	–	19	12	4	3	38	9	4	7	3	23	4	6	3	4	4	21	1	**85**
II	1	18	10	5	3	36	12	5	8	5	30	6	7	7	5	5	30	2	**98**
III	2	19	12	6	5	42	10	7	9	7	32	6	11	5	6	6	33	2	**111**
IV	1	20	15	7	3	45	10	6	4	6	27	9	8	4	6	6	33	2	**107**
1956–I	–	20	15	4	4	44	11	5	4	6	26	4	7	6	5	5	27	1	**98**
II	1	23	23	6	4	56	16	8	7	10	42	7	8	11	7	8	40	2	**141**
III	1	20	21	5	4	49	13	9	5	12	39	6	10	5	6	6	33	2	**124**
IV	1	21	17	6	5	50	14	9	5	9	35	8	8	5	4	7	34	2	**122**
1957–I	–	21	15	4	3	43	13	7	10	8	39	5	8	7	5	5	29	2	**114**
From All Other 1953	192	71	47	12	59	189	18	2	1	20	41	214	15	2	25	18	274	14	**709**
1954	217	51	39	11	56	157	20	6	1	21	49	235	19	3	24	22	301	16	**739**
1955	254	79	49	16	73	216	22	6	3	30	61	234	25	5	28	24	318	10	**859**
1956	305	101	73	17	79	268	32	9	3	65	109	250	32	15	35	32	365	13	**1,058**
1954–III	59	12	12	3	14	42	5	–	–	8	15	60	6	2	7	6	79	4	**197**
IV	57	13	11	4	14	40	6	3	–	5	14	63	5	–	5	6	81	7	**199**
1955–I	55	13	4	3	15	35	4	2	–	4	10	44	6	1	6	5	62	2	**159**
II	61	19	13	3	20	55	5	1	1	6	13	63	5	2	6	7	83	2	**217**
III	69	21	15	5	15	55	6	2	1	9	18	59	6	1	7	6	82	3	**227**
IV	69	26	17	5	23	71	7	1	1	11	20	68	8	1	9	6	91	3	**254**
1956–I	65	34	6	3	18	60	5	2	–	8	16	47	7	3	7	6	70	2	**213**
II	69	30	19	5	21	75	8	3	1	20	31	67	9	6	8	8	99	3	**276**
III	86	19	27	4	19	72	8	1	1	19	31	67	10	1	8	9	95	4	**288**
IV	85	18	21	5	21	61	11	3	1	18	31	69	6	5	12	9	101	4	**281**
1957–I	68	15	13	3	17	48	9	2	–	10	20	49	7	4	7	8	76	3	**214**
Total All Countries 1953	501	346	355	213	260	1,174	721	187	243	181	1,332	402	95	294	193	310	1,294	83	**4,383**
1954	457	290	305	206	263	1,063	609	199	227	182	1,218	450	91	234	171	318	1,264	91	**4,093**
1955	489	336	378	246	318	1,278	723	218	273	206	1,420	460	105	326	198	341	1,430	95	**4,712**
1956	563	364	538	268	370	1,539	1,003	250	260	352	1,865	521	115	388	223	384	1,631	108	**5,705**
12 Months ending March 1957	575	361	539	272	368	1,538	1,040	253	262	380	1,935	532	116	374	219	394	1,636	108	**5,793**
1954–III	122	65	82	49	62	258	141	44	55	50	291	111	25	35	42	87	300	30	**1,001**
IV	127	76	75	54	76	280	125	64	58	41	289	126	22	46	39	82	316	30	**1,042**
1955–I	92	88	64	52	66	270	148	53	59	37	297	93	24	84	41	70	312	19	**991**
II	121	84	91	63	79	317	198	48	74	46	366	123	24	104	52	86	389	26	**1,219**
III	135	77	106	64	77	323	183	54	83	56	375	110	29	68	51	95	354	30	**1,217**
IV	141	87	117	67	96	368	194	63	57	67	382	134	28	70	54	90	375	20	**1,286**
1956–I	110	101	107	62	83	353	227	58	65	66	416	101	27	115	54	80	376	18	**1,272**
II	137	93	151	76	98	418	289	65	74	104	533	135	29	127	63	100	454	31	**1,573**
III	160	78	142	63	86	369	244	60	61	90	456	134	31	53	52	105	375	32	**1,394**
IV	156	92	138	67	103	399	243	67	60	92	460	151	28	93	54	99	426	27	**1,466**
1957–I	122	98	108	66	81	352	264	61	67	94	486	112	28	101	50	90	381	18	**1,359**

★ This classification attempts to distinguish between imports for investment and imports for consumption, insofar as this is possible within the limitations of the basic data provided by the trade returns. In the case of most finished goods and many component parts, the end-use is reasonably clear, although a certain amount of rather arbitrary grouping is unavoidable. Finished goods whose end-use cannot easily be determined are included in "Other Manufactured Goods" above. In the case of fuels and lubricants and most crude and semi-manufactured industrial materials, separate categories are provided in the table because imports of these goods enter into both investment and consumption. A complete list of items included in this classification is available from the ResearchDepartment on request.

1. Mainly coal, crude petroleum, gasoline, lubricants, natural gas.
2. Mainly textile yarn, fabrics, textile fibres, hides, skins, leather and furs.
3. Includes primary metals and products thereof whose end-use cannot clearly be distinguished.
4. Including synthetic resins, dyes and paints.
5. Oil and fats, rubber, paper and products, crude minerals, wood and cork.
6. Includes tools and agricultural machinery, but excludes electrical machinery.
7. Includes radio apparatus, n.o.p.
8. Includes aircraft and parts, railway rolling stock, trucks, buses and parts. Excludes passenger automobiles and parts.
9. Includes softwood lumber, cement, window glass, hardware and building fixtures.
10. Fruits and vegetables, coffee, tea, cocoa, meats, cereals, alcoholic beverages, tobacco and products.
11. Includes carpets, linoleum and travel goods.
12. Automobile engines and parts for assembly or repair and finished vehicles.
13. Mainly electric household appliances, stoves and heaters, furniture, china and glassware, household utensils, jewellery, clocks and watches.
14. Includes instruments, cameras, duty-free tourist purchases, postal packages, drugs, medicines, cosmetics, toys, books newspapers, etc.
15. Chiefly arms and supplies for use of NATO forces in Canada, settler's effects and Canadian goods returned.

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As at Dec. 31												
1951	186.4	955.3	1,049.3			2,004.7	**2,191.1**	–	–	–	–	204.2
1952	282.9	1,176.9	767.2			1,944.1	**2,227.0**	–	–	–	–	84.5
1953	374.5	1,002.1	893.7			1,895.7	**2,270.2**	*19.0*	–	–	–	67.2
1954	168.5	1,193.0	410.8	297.3	152.5	2,053.6	**2,222.0**	–	–	–	–	66.4
1955	262.6	1,021.2	354.5	516.6	212.5	2,104.9	**2,367.5**	–	–	–	2.0	114.7
1956	505.2	519.7 [5]	629.7 [5]	507.2 [5]	232.0 [5]	1,888.7 [5]	**2,393.9** [5]	–	–	–	–	77.7
End of												
1956—Aug.	495.1	524.2	849.8	354.4	131.3	1,859.7	**2,354.8**	–	–	–	–	74.4
Sept.	535.3	506.0	672.7	447.5	215.6	1,841.8	**2,377.1**	–	–	–	–	74.8
Oct.	557.5	473.8	669.7	451.5	221.4	1,816.4	**2,374.0**	–	–	–	–	68.5
Nov.	553.5	467.7	672.7	466.4	222.5	1,829.2	**2,382.8**	–	–	–	–	77.9
Dec.	505.2	519.7 [5]	629.7 [5]	507.2 [5]	232.0 [5]	1,888.7 [5]	**2,393.9** [5]	–	–	–	–	77.7
1957—Jan.	413.5	678.2	438.8	510.3	229.2	1,856.5	**2,270.0**	*2.1*	–	–	–	75.1
Feb.	436.6	616.1	620.4	318.9	224.9	1,780.4	**2,217.0**	*1.2*	–	–	–	84.8
Mar.	477.2	627.9	612.4	314.4	223.5	1,778.4	**2,255.6**	*0.7*	–	–	–	75.2
Apr.	498.1	659.9	617.2	321.0	224.8	1,822.8	**2,320.9**	–	–	–	0.3	71.9
May	473.7	692.2	605.3	321.1	228.5	1 847.1	**2,320.9**	–	–	–	0.1	76.3
June	519.0	694.3	607.5	324.9	229.9	1,856 6	**2,375.5**	–	–	–	3.0	81.1
July	503.2	694.6	607.7	328.4	232.8	1,863.4	**2,366.6**	–	–	–	–	86.9
Aug.	537.6	714.2	609.5	329.7	234.6	1,888.1	**2,425.6**	–	–	–	–	83.8
Average of Wednesdays												
1956—Aug.	482.7	541.4	1,325.3			1,866.7	**2,349.3**	*0.9*	–	–	6.4	79.4
Sept.	505.1	514.9	1,335.0			1,859.9	**2,365.0**	*1.4*	–	–	–	70.7
Oct.	526.3	500.7	1,342.1			1,842.8	**2,369.1**	*1.4*	–	–	6.4	70.5
Nov.	536.9	455.7	1,352.3			1,808.0	**2,344.9**	*3.8*	–	–	21.3	77.0
Dec.	525.9	493.4	1,369.4			1,862.8	**2,388.7**	*0.4*	–	–	13.6	75.9
1957—Jan.	466.4	687.6 [5]	1,178.3 [5]			1,866.0 [5]	**2,332.4** [5]	*1.2*	–	–	6.0	72.6
Feb.	402.6	646.2	1,174.1			1,820.3	**2,222.9**	*7.0*	–	–	–	73.8
Mar.	484.3	610.9	1,149.4			1,760.3	**2,244.5**	*0.1*	–	–	5.4	75.4
Apr.	479.7	650.8	1,154.5			1,805.3	**2,285.0**	*7.9*	–	–	12.8	75.2
May	495.8	666.9	1,166.7			1,833.6	**2,329.4**	*1.2*	–	–	5.1	79.2
June	502.8	707.5	1,158.4			1,866.0	**2,368.8**	–	–	–	6.0	83.6
July	532.9	701.4	1,166.2			1,867.7	**2,400.6**	*6.6*	–	–	2.4	82.6
Aug.	548.1	709.4	1,171.8			1,881.2	**2,429.3**	*11.5*	–	–	2.8	80.6
As at												
1957—Mar. 6	471.4	604.4	1,147.8			1,752.1	**2,223.5**	*0.5*	–	–	0.4	77.0
13	487.1	609.9	1,149.7			1,759.6	**2,246.6**	–	–	–	11.0	78.9
20	498.8	611.5	1,149.6			1,761.1	**2,259.9**	–	–	–	–	73.7
27	479.8	617.9	1,150.4			1,768.3	**2,248.0**	–	–	–	10.0	72.0
Apr. 3	465.0	628.5	1,151.4			1,780.0	**2,245.0**	–	–	–	30.0	72.4
10	466.0	645.3	1,151.9			1,797.2	**2,263.1**	*3.7*	–	–	–	76.9
17	487.1	666.9	1,157.2			1,824.0	**2,311.2**	*27.9*	–	–	–	72.8
24	500.7	662.6	1,157.5			1,820.1	**2,320.8**	–	–	–	21.0	78.6
May 1	498.1	657.8	1,163.7			1,821.6	**2,319.7**	–	–	–	0.3	69.2
8	501.5	663.5	1,166.7			1,830.2	**2,331.6**	*6.2*	–	–	0.1	86.0
15	513.7	665.5	1,167.4			1,832.9	**2,346.7**	–	–	–	–	81.5
22	494.0	665.9	1,170.0			1,835.8	**2,329.8**	–	–	–	–	80.8
29	471.8	681.8	1,165.8			1,847.6	**2,319.5**	–	–	–	25.1	78.5
June 5	492.0	715.7	1,154.6			1,870.3	**2,362.3**	*31.7*	–	–	–	84.3
12	502.4	708.4	1,157.6			1,866.0	**2,368.4**	–	–	–	–	82.4
19	503.4	711.3	1,160.4			1,871.6	**2,375.0**	*6.0*	–	–	–	84.2
26	513.4	694.7	1,161.3			1,856.0	**2,369.4**	–	–	–	24.0	83.5
July 3	523.1	699.4	1,163.3			1,862.7	**2,385.8**	*7.8*	–	–	12.0	74.6
10	546.4	714.0	1,164.5			1,878.5	**2,424.9**	*25.3*	–	–	–	77.9
17	558.3	702.6	1,165.8			1,868.5	**2,426.7**	–	–	–	–	90.2
24	533.5	696.6	1,168.7			1,865.3	**2,398.8**	–	–	–	–	83.7
31	503.2	694.6	1,168.9			1,863.4	**2,366.6**	–	–	–	–	86.9
Aug. 7	527.4	706.5	1,170.0			1,876.5	**2,403.9**	*42.3*	–	–	11.0	80.4
14	554.1	701.9	1,170.9			1,872.8	**2,426.8**	*3.7*	–	–	–	80.8
21	564.7	714.3	1,172.3			1,886.6	**2,451.3**	–	–	–	–	90.4
28	546.1	715.0	1,174.0			1,889.0	**2,435.0**	–	–	–	–	71.1

Millions of Dollars

LIABILITIES

	Investment in IDB (2)	All Other Accounts (3)	Total Assets or Liabilities	Notes in Circulation: Held by Chartered Banks	Notes in Circulation: Held by Others	Notes in Circulation: Total	Canadian Dollar Deposits: Govt. of Canada	Canadian Dollar Deposits: Chartered Banks	Canadian Dollar Deposits: Other	Foreign Currency Liabilities	All Other Accounts (4)
As at Dec. 31											
1951	27.8	21.0	**2,444.1**	273.1	1,191.1	**1,464.2**	94.9	619.0	66.1	155.6	44.4
1952	30.8	39.2	**2,381.4**	272.5	1,288.7	**1,561.2**	16.2	626.6	44.5	82.9	50.0
1953	36.3	63.5	**2,437.2**	263.8	1,335.3	**1,599.1**	51.5	623.9	29.5	63.8	69.3
1954	35.6	76.9	**2,400.8**	261.6	1,361.9	**1,623.5**	56.3	529.6	30.5	63.1	97.9
1955	35.1	100.9	**2,620.2**	289.4	1,449.0	**1,738.5**	89.2	551.0	34.0	98.0	109.5
1956	48.0	28.1	**2,547.7**	370.9	1,497.8	**1,868.7**	38.8	511.5	31.2	62.2	35.4
End of											
Aug.—1956	40.8	143.3	**2,613.4**	249.6	1,515.0	**1,764.6**	65.4	580.6	35.6	64.4	102.8
Sept.	42.2	108.0	**2,602.1**	255.8	1,513.7	**1,769.5**	46.0	564.0	45.2	64.9	112.4
Oct.	42.8	85.9	**2,571.1**	309.1	1,471.8	**1,780.9**	55.0	575.3	30.7	56.4	72.9
Nov.	43.7	116.9	**2,621.3**	250.5	1,542.9	**1,793.5**	7.4	624.9	31.7	68.2	95.7
Dec.	48.0	28.1	**2,547.7**	370.9	1,497.8	**1,868.7**	38.8	511.5	31.2	62.2	35.4
Jan.—1957	48.9	66.9	**2,460.9**	294.1	1,444.8	**1,738.9**	57.8	524.0	34.3	65.4	40.5
Feb.	50.1	69.6	**2,421.5**	260.6	1,457.3	**1,717.9**	52.7	497.5	27.2	75.0	51.4
Mar.	50.9	167.0	**2,548.7**	224.5	1,500.0	**1,724.6**	78.3	519.5	25.1	65.4	135.8
Apr.	52.2	72.3	**2,517.7**	299.4	1,456.8	**1,756.3**	62.9	546.9	22.5	62.2	67.0
May	55.1	139.7	**2,592.0**	229.0	1,522.5	**1,751.5**	43.9	526.3	32.0	66.8	171.4
June	57.0	158.4	**2,675.2**	225.0	1,559.3	**1,784.3**	44.4	545.5	28.9	72.7	199.3
July	58.4	51.9	**2,563.8**	304.8†	1,513.0†	**1,817.7**	54.2	490.5	26.9	77.2	97.3
Aug.	59.6	157.5	**2,726.5**	*	*	**1,815.5**	64.0	542.8	33.3	74.0	196.9
Average of Wednesdays											
Aug.—1956	39.9	56.0	**2,531.0**	332.2	1,434.5	**1,766.7**	51.9	545.6	30.2	69.7	66.8
Sept.	41.0	42.5	**2,519.3**	342.2	1,430.8	**1,772.9**	47.7	542.8	31.4	60.7	63.7
Oct.	42.2	55.0	**2,543.2**	335.0	1,447.5	**1,782.5**	59.3	538.3	31.4	60.4	71.3
Nov.	42.8	63.6	**2,549.5**	349.9	1,444.1	**1,794.1**	45.0	531.4	30.2	67.3	81.6
Dec.	43.7	49.3	**2,571.3**	356.7	1,481.5	**1,838.2**	32.6	548.5	30.7	61.6	59.7
Jan.—1957	48.1	55.3	**2,514.3**	380.2	1,421.9	**1,802.2**	57.5	524.5	27.9	63.0	39.3
Feb.	49.0	60.6	**2,406.3**	326.7	1,399.4	**1,726.0**	64.3	478.3	28.0	64.1	45.5
Mar.	50.1	54.0	**2,429.4**	318.0	1,406.6	**1,724.7**	51.0	513.8	28.6	65.3	45.9
Apr.	51.1	68.1	**2,492.1**	315.2	1,431.7	**1,746.9**	47.5	550.6	25.1	65.5	56.6
May	52.7	53.0	**2,519.4**	324.6†	1,431.1†	**1,755.7**	45.3	554.4	25.5	69.5	69.1
June	55.4	65.8	**2,579.5**	329.4†	1,440.2†	**1,769.6**	46.8	559.7	25.9	74.0	103.4
July	57.3	61.2	**2,604.1**	327.7†	1,485.2†	**1,812.9**	51.8	525.6	27.6	73.1	113.1
Aug.	58.5	58.2	**2,629.3**	338.3	1,482.7	**1,821.0**	53.5	551.0	30.4	71.0	102.5
As at											
6 Mar.—1957	50.1	84.0	**2,435.0**	305.6	1,420.2	**1,725.7**	58.9	508.8	26.1	67.0	48.5
13	50.1	42.7	**2,429.3**	324.6	1,401.7	**1,726.3**	40.2	512.0	36.8	68.5	45.5
20	50.1	48.3	**2,432.1**	318.6	1,405.9	**1,724.4**	57.9	513.9	27.4	63.5	45.0
27	50.1	41.0	**2,421.2**	323.4	1,398.8	**1,722.2**	47.2	520.7	24.2	62.3	44.6
3 Apr.	50.6	91.9	**2,489.9**	291.5	1,441.6	**1,733.2**	54.2	560.1	25.0	62.7	54.7
10	51.1	87.7	**2,478.8**	320.8	1,420.1	**1,740.9**	49.8	543.2	24.7	67.2	53.0
17	51.4	51.4	**2,486.7**	303.3	1,452.8	**1,756.2**	42.5	533.7	26.0	63.1	65.3
24	51.4	41.4	**2,513.1**	345.2	1,412.2	**1,757.4**	43.6	565.4	24.5	68.8	53.4
1 May	52.2	43.5	**2,484.9**	297.2	1,458.3	**1,755.5**	37.3	548.9	22.6	59.6	61.0
8	52.2	89.3	**2,559.3**	331.7	1,423.4	**1,755.2**	62.9	560.8	25.4	76.3	78.7
15	52.2	46.3	**2,526.6**	316.1	1,440.2	**1,756.3**	42.5	564.3	27.2	71.8	64.5
22	52.9	35.3	**2,498.9**	338.9	1,418.6	**1,757.5**	35.7	548.1	26.0	71.1	60.5
29	54.0	50.4	**2,527.3**	339.1†	1,414.8†	**1,753.8**	47.8	550.1	26.0	68.8	80.8
5 June	55.1	75.1	**2,576.7**	307.4†	1,455.4†	**1,762.8**	45.8	526.9	27.3	74.7	139.3
12	55.4	66.7	**2,572.9**	337.6†	1,433.3†	**1,770.9**	52.3	566.6	26.1	72.7	84.3
19	55.5	67.0	**2,581.6**	332.9†	1,437.3†	**1,770.1**	43.7	571.6	24.9	74.4	96.9
26	55.5	54.6	**2,586.9**	339.9	1,434.9	**1,774.8**	45.5	573.6	25.4	74.4	93.2
3 July	57.1	107.5	**2,636.9**	299.4	1,502.5	**1,802.0**	49.3	530.2	30.3	66.5	158.7
10	57.1	48.1	**2,607.9**	348.8	1,467.7	**1,816.5**	39.0	534.8	26.4	68.0	123.3
17	57.1	54.5	**2,628.5**	334.6	1,482.6	**1,817.2**	60.0	539.7	28.1	80.0	103.4
24	57.1	43.7	**2,583.3**	350.7	1,460.2	**1,810.9**	56.6	532.7	26.1	74.0	83.0
31	58.4	51.9	**2,563.8**	304.8†	1,513.0†	**1,817.7**	54.2	490.5	26.9	77.2	97.3
7 Aug.	58.5	47.7	**2,601.5**	325.7	1,500.4	**1,826.1**	45.7	531.5	28.2	70.9	99.2
14	58.5	56.8	**2,622.9**	340.1	1,486.2	**1,826.3**	49.4	547.9	28.8	70.9	99.5
21	58.5	58.7	**2,658.8**	342.3	1,475.3	**1,817.6**	51.9	560.8	32.2	80.7	115.6
28	58.5	69.5	**2,634.1**	345.2	1,468.9	**1,814.1**	67.0	563.7	32.4	61.4	95.5

1. Foreign exchange and foreign securities 2. Industrial Development Bank capital stock, bonds and debentures. 3. Bank premises and all other assets. 4. Capital, rest fund and all other liabilities. 5. On Dec. 31, 1956, the basis for the valuation of securities held by the Bank of Canada was changed from "not exceeding market values" to amortized values, and for this reason figures for Dec. 31 and later dates are not comparable with those for earlier dates. † Revised.

NOTE: For 1935–1944 year-end and 1946–1952 month-end data for the majority of these series see pages 4–13 in the "Financial Supplement 1954". For 1945–1956 year-end and all month-end and weekly data back to 1953 see pages 4–15 in the "Financial Supplement 1956".

CHARTERED BANKS

MONTHLY SERIES

Bank of Canada

Millions of Dollars

I. CANADIAN CASH RESERVES★

	Cash Reserves: Bank of Canada Deposits	Cash Reserves: Bank of Canada Notes	Cash Reserves: Total	Canadian Dollar Deposit Liabilities	Average Cash Reserve Ratio 1
Averages					
1951	567	225	**792**	7,759	10.2
1952	606	239	**844**	8,110	10.4
1953	627	256	**883**	8,624	10.2
1954 1st Half	634	260	**894**	8,820	10.1
1954 2nd Half★	525	286	**811**	9,097	8.9
1955	541	293	**834**	9,915	8.4
1956	548	325	**873**	10,527	8.3
1956–Jan.	568	310	**877**	10,515	8.4
Feb.	504	354	**858**	10,448	8.2
Mar.	542	299	**841**	10,285	8.2
Apr.	561	294	**855**	10,357	8.3
May	545	310	**856**	10,409	8.2
June	560	318	**878**	10,597	8.3
July	544	332	**876**	10,608	8.3
Aug.	563	338	**900**	10,649	8.5
Sept.	549	328	**877**	10,563	8.3
Oct.	544	340	**885**	10,607	8.3
Nov.	539	341	**881**	10,591	8.3
Dec.	553	338	**890**	10,704	8.3
1957–Jan.	523	355	**878**	10,660	8.2
Feb.	475	390	**865**	10,525	8.2
Mar.	514	335	**848**	10,371	8.2
Apr.	542	314	**856**	10,489	8.2
May	553	310	**863**	10,528	8.2
June	556	321	**877**	10,694	8.2
July	535	328	**863**	10,645	8.1
Aug.*	535	329	**864**	10,647	8.1

II. LIABILITIES

	Advances from Bank of Canada	Govt. of Canada	Provincial Governments	Canadian Dollar Deposits: Personal Savings	Other Notice	Other Banks 2	Public Demand	Total	Foreign Currency Deposits	Acceptances, Guarantees, & Letters of Credit	All Other Liabilities	Shareholders Equity 3	Total Liabilities	
As at Dec. 31														**As at Dec. 31**
1951	–	88	185	4,296	316	95	2,993	**7,973**	878	225	7	375	**9,458**	1951
1952	–	49	214	4,600	325	75	3,373	**8,636**	905	199	7	381	**10,128**	1952
1953	–	473	166	4,756	278	69	3,368	**9,111**	963	155	8	419	**10,656**	1953
1954	–	176	190	5,218	397	104	3,597	**9,683**	1,030	155	43	521	**11,433**	1954
1955	2	517	181	5,633	464	139	3,915	**10,848**	1,056	203	26	567	**12,702**	1955
1956	–	246	169	6,007	444	116	4,180	**11,162**	1,369	210	34	653	**13,428**	1956
End of														**End of**
1956—Jan.	–	501	148	5,676	469	117	3,596	**10,507**	1,070	216	28	567	**12,387**	Jan.–1956
Feb.	–	493	152	5,721	476	123	3,483	**10,449**	1,118	226	21	567	**12,380**	Feb.
Mar.	5	488	223	5,791	466	125	3,316	**10,408**	1,148	229	21	568	**12,380**	Mar.
Apr.	–	355	162	5,919	480	124	3,766	**10,805**	1,185	220	27	569	**12,806**	Apr.
May	16	494	168	5,844	485	110	3,554	**10,655**	1,203	216	24	587	**12,700**	May
June	–	413	172	5,881	459	118	3,817	**10,860**	1,236	217	23	609	**12,944**	June
July	–	279	143	5,923	472	115	3,773	**10,706**	1,315	210	27	619	**12,878**	July
Aug.	–	275	123	5,941	477	110	3,731	**10,658**	1,354	226	24	628	**12,889**	Aug.
Sept.	–	281	117	6,020	476	110	3,812	**10,816**	1,315	223	23	631	**13,008**	Sept.
Oct.	–	153	154	6,098	453	155	3,846	**10,859**	1,334	216	48	647	**13,104**	Oct.
Nov.	–	417	103	5,974	439	123	3,821	**10,877**	1,376	221	38	652	**13,164**	Nov.
Dec.	–	246	169	6,007	444	116	4,180	**11,162**	1,369	210	34	653	**13,428**	Dec.
1957—Jan.	–	254	138	6,039	438	110	3,499	**10,479**	1,409	209	41	653	**12,791**	Jan.–1957
Feb.	–	391	142	6,090	454	103	3,445	**10,625**	1,506	236	36	656	**13,058**	Feb.
Mar.	–	377	191	6,153	444	105	3,496	**10,765**	1,450	232	36	667	**13,150**	Mar.
Apr.	–	309	217	6,211	442	109	3,716	**11,004**	1,546	235	38	672	**13,494**	Apr.
May	–	284	173	6,161	450	106	3,564	**10,738**	1,667	235	35	677	**13,351**	May
June	3	186	179	6,196	434	102	3,782	**10,879**	1,650	243	36	684	**13,495**	June
July	–	148	154	6,242	424	96	3,581	**10,645**	1,644	256	39	700	**13,284**	July

III. ASSETS

	Bank of Canada Deposits and Notes	Cdn. Day-to-Day Loans	Treasury Bills	Government of Canada Direct and Guaranteed Bonds 6: 2 yrs. and under	Over 2 years	Total	Other Canadian Securities 6: Provincial 7, 8	Municipal 8	Corporate	Total	Ins. Res. Mtges.	Call and Short 9: To Stock-Brokers 11	To Others	Provincial 8	Municipal 8	Loans 9 In Canada: Grain Dealers 10, 11	C.S.B. 11, 12	Sub-Total 11	General Loans 11	Total Loans	Total of Foregoing Assets	Canadian Dollar Items in Transit (Net)	Foreign Cash Items Securities & Loans: Cash Items 13	Foreign Sec.	Loans Outside Canada	Customers' Liability Under Acceptances, Guarantees, & Letters of Credit	All Other Assets 14	Total Assets	
As at Dec. 31																													**As at Dec. 31**
1951	892	–	236	499	2,019	2,518	321	167	393	881	–	78	30	68	94	177	137	583	2,588	3,172	**7,699**	512	254	206	409	225	153	**9,458**	1951
1952	899	–	138	869	1,777	2,647	304	159	370	834	–	73	82	79	97	257	146	734	2,787	3,520	**8,038**	752	283	262	435	199	159	**10,128**	1952
1953	888	–	244	482	2,034	2,516	280	152	341	773	–	61	92	65	96	391	165	871	3,236	4,106	**8,527**	751	280	244	540	155	159	**10,656**	1953
1954	791	68	360	636	2,318	2,953	264	177	353	794	74	68	75	61	103	404	147	859	3,237	4,096	**9,137**	827	332	322	488	155	172	**11,433**	1954
1955	840	81	427	475	2,157	2,632	322	218	482	1,022	294	112	67	83	124	361	163	910	3,981	4,891	**10,187**	1,002	327	282	518	203	183	**12,702**	1955
1956	882	74	740	406	1,269	1,675	269	185	510	964	493	90	62	95	177	373	169	966	4,432	5,398	**10,226**	1,330	356	375	720	210	211	**13,428**	1956
End of																													**End of**
1956–Jan.	819	59	512	436	2,047	2,482	317	213	480	1,009	317	113	52	60	143	360	144	872	4,031	4,903	**10,101**	736	297	291	554	216	191	**12,387**	Jan.–1956
Feb.	759	82	564	406	1,993	2,400	308	210	489	1,007	331	116	56	54	166	356	129	877	4,087	4,964	**10,107**	677	301	293	585	226	191	**12,380**	Feb.
Mar.	725	75	593	398	1,922	2,319	298	210	485	993	345	109	53	6	200	354	114	836	4,235	5,071	**10,121**	629	310	295	607	229	189	**12,380**	Mar.
Apr.	836	43	756	350	1,695	2,045	295	211	489	995	361	120	56	16	223	319	97	831	4,353	5,184	**10,219**	936	314	314	611	220	191	**12,806**	Apr.
May	824	64	767	558	1,424	1,982	297	208	504	1,010	377	118	73	33	215	312	76	828	4,461	5,289	**10,313**	717	296	326	632	216	200	**12,700**	May
June	810	97	772	557	1,398	1,955	291	206	510	1,007	393	121	57	27	157	340	60	763	4,536	5,299	**10,333**	920	294	339	641	217	200	**12,944**	June
July	805	109	742	511	1,383	1,893	292	202	511	1,005	412	127	58	36	150	350	45	765	4,543	5,308	**10,274**	836	314	380	657	210	205	**12,878**	July
Aug.	830	68	814	522	1,325	1,847	291	200	520	1,010	432	123	37	57	145	358	34	753	4,570	5,323	**10,325**	697	334	355	750	226	203	**12,889**	Aug.
Sept.	820	114	786	526	1,322	1,848	286	197	519	1,003	448	110	38	81	167	341	22	759	4,523	5,281	**10,300**	859	313	396	711	223	206	**13,008**	Sept.
Oct.	884	85	791	464	1,320	1,784	295	197	516	1,008	471	104	39	83	168	359	4	756	4,610	5,367	**10,390**	843	381	371	701	216	202	**13,104**	Oct.
Nov.	875	64	743	485	1,280	1,765	265	192	518	975	489	89	36	124	152	361	193	955	4,577	5,532	**10,443**	878	314	395	712	221	201	**13,164**	Nov.
Dec.	882	74	740	406	1,269	1,675	269	185	510	964	493	90	62	95	177	373	169	966	4,432	5,398	**10,226**	1,330	356	375	720	210	211	**13,428**	Dec.
1957–Jan. 5	818	86	800	503 4	1,232 4	1,735 4	284 4	178	501 5	963 4	500	86	40	60	201	363	148	899	4,407 5	5,305 5	**10,209 5**	715	311	370	763 5	209	215	**12,791**	Jan.–1957
Feb.	758	101	809	545	1,223	1,768	288	178	499	964	507	90	63	74	218	360	132	937	4,422	5,359	**10,266**	814	352	395	780	236	215	**13,058**	Feb.
Mar.	744	162	805	538	1,227	1,764	260	178	501	940	508	85	65	40	250	391	115	945	4,446	5,392	**10,314**	907	330	357	793	232	217	**13,150**	Mar.
Apr.	846	105	758	520	1,227	1,747	268	175	502	945	509	104	91	23	270	378	95	962	4,521	5,482	**10,394**	1,078	347	385	843	235	213	**13,494**	Apr.
May	755	125	812	489	1,248	1,736	266	172	505	943	512	99	61	20	263	373	79	895	4,604	5,499	**10,383**	911	341	387	879	235	216	**13,351**	May
June	770	95	784	493	1,251	1,743	258	170	512	940	503	105	61	25	236	413	63	904	4,666	5,570	**10,406**	1,049	308	411	861	243	217	**13,495**	June
July	795	81	794	452	1,252	1,705	275	167	510	952	509	109	56	23	190	424	48	850	4,680	5,530	**10,365**	829	335	402	871	256	225	**13,284**	July

★ For periods prior to July 1954 all figures in this section are daily averages. From July 1954, in accordance with section 71 of the Bank Act of 1954, Bank of Canada deposits are averages of the juridical days in the month shown while Bank of Canada notes and Canadian dollar deposit liabilities are averages of the 4 consecutive Wednesdays ending with the second last Wednesday in the previous month.

1. Prior to July 1st, 1954, the statutory minimum requirement was 5 per cent for each day; since that date it has been a monthly average of 8 per cent, calculated as described in footnote ★.
2. Mainly deposits of foreign banks.
3. Capital, rest fund, and undivided profits as at the latest fiscal year-end.
4. Beginning January 31, 1957, month-end figures for chartered bank holdings of Government of Canada and provincial government securities are based on "amortized value" and are therefore not directly comparable with figures for preceding month-ends, which are based on "not exceeding market value".
5. Beginning January 31, 1957, figures for certain chartered bank asset items are not strictly comparable with those for earlier dates, owing to the reallocation of inner reserves consequent upon the securities valuation change referred to in footnote 4. Investment reserves which became redundant were reallocated to apply against other asset items, mainly general loans, loans outside Canada and corporate securities.
6. Including issues payable in foreign currency.
7. Includes securities guaranteed by provincial governments.
8. Securities purchased direct from issuer with a term of less than one year at time of issue are classified as loans.
9. Excluding Canadian day-to-day loans.
10. Loans to grain dealers and exporters.
11. "Call & Short loans to Stockbrokers", "Grain Dealers", "Canada Savings Bonds" and "General Loans" are Research Department estimates.
12. Loans to finance the purchase of Canada Savings Bonds at time of issue.
13. Includes deposits with other banks in foreign currencies, foreign bank notes, gold and coin outside Canada and foreign currency items in transit (net).
14. Includes bank premises, shares of and loans to controlled corporations, gold and coin in Canada, Canadian dollar deposits with other banks and other assets.

* Preliminary.

NOTE: For 1946–1952 data see pages 14–21 in the "Financial Supplement 1954" and for 1953–1956 data see pages 16–19 in the "Financial Supplement 1956".

CHARTERED BANKS

ESTIMATED WEEKLY SERIES

Bank of Canada

Millions of Dollars

	Bank of Canada Deposits & Notes ★	Cdn. Day-to-Day Loans	Treasury Bills	Govt. of Canada Bonds 1	Other Canadian Securities: Provincial 1, 3, 4	Municipal 4	Corporate	Total	Insured Residential Mortgages	Call & Short 2: To Stock-Brokers	To Others	Provincial 4	Municipal 4
Average of Wednesdays													
1955—Aug.	848	80	416	3,270	315	211	437	964	173	95	52	16	115
Sept.	852	54	379	3,210	334	211	443	988	196	95	40	32	123
Oct.	859	50	363	3,127	336	213	449	997	221	94	52	38	130
Nov.	854	53	298	3,051	336	215	473	1,024	250	99	55	66	117
Dec.	879	57	375	2,721	329	217	482	1,029	281	106	56	94	121
1956—Jan.	921	55	442	2,541	320	214	478	1,012	303	107	53	67	126
Feb.	796	80	542	2,432	312	211	482	1,005	324	114	53	54	147
Mar.	841	61	570	2,352	297	208	482	987	339	117	48	33	179
Apr.	874	17	640	2,184	295	208	480	984	352	119	57	11	213
May	858	59	759	1,994	294	207	489	990	368	126	65	24	216
June	886	78	760	1,932	289	206	504	1,000	385	119	62	39	188
July	871	77	739	1,906	288	202	509	999	400	128	58	25	151
Aug.	878	62	790	1,871	290	200	514	1,004	420	127	41	41	145
Sept.	885	78	798	1,850	289	197	516	1,002	438	120	35	61	153
Oct.	873	76	785	1,826	293	195	517	1,005	459	107	40	69	167
Nov.	881	79	771	1,773	280	191	515	987	480	95	36	108	142
Dec.	905	70	747	1,706	267	186	510	964	493	88	53	124	159
1957—Jan.	905	80	766	1,629	265	179	506	950	496	89	47	67	186
Feb.	805	113	813	1,658 7	270 7	179	504	952 7	502	87	48	72	199
Mar.	832	116	816	1,762	259	176	498	932	507	88	58	60	231
Apr.	866	90	792	1,740	268	173	498	939	505	94	76	26	259
May	879	107	774	1,732	266	171	500	936	508	104	68	24	264
June	889†	104	799	1,726	260	168	503	931	501	107	55	24	252
July	853	86	784	1,704	270	166	509	944	504	110	57	22	207
As at													
1957—Jan. 9	953	68	753	1,639	265	180	505	950	494	90	45	67	180
16	898	76	762	1,624	265	178	506	948	498	90	48	59	184
23	912	101	762	1,615	266	178	506	950	496	88	42	60	191
30	863	86	804	1,608	265	178	507	950	499	86	39	60	201
Feb. 6	809	110	818	1,607	264	180	507	951	499	85	40	67	187
13	809	115	814	1,626	264	179	506	950	501	86	37	72	195
20	798	117	812	1,642	266	178	505	950	503	85	55	74	204
27 7	804	112	808	1,758 7	285 7	176	497	958 7	506	91	62	74	211
Mar. 6	814	86	829	1,766	258	176	496	930	506	91	64	71	221
13	837	117	822	1,767	259	175	499	934	506	87	53	64	228
20	832	109	813	1,765	259	176	498	932	506	89	57	61	236
27	844	152	802	1,749	259	176	498	933	508	87	59	42	240
Apr. 3	852	93	819	1,755	268	173	496	938	504	90	84	22	252
10	864	95	806	1,733	268	173	498	939	504	91	81	24	254
17	837	76	778	1,735	268	173	498	939	506	96	70	29	260
24	911	96	766	1,737	268	173	498	939	507	98	67	28	271
May 1	846	105	763	1,740	267	171	498	936	507	105	85	29	272
8	893	114	757	1,742	266	171	498	935	507	106	70	27	268
15	880	109	756	1,727	266	170	499	935	508	103	69	22	259
22	887	91	782	1,731	265	170	501	936	509	104	63	23	265
29	889†	116	811	1,721	264	170	503	937	510	104	55	21	257
June 5	834†	105	829	1,727	263	168	502	933	500	105	46	23	264
12	904†	109	789	1,726	263	168	501	932	500	106	61	24	263
19	904†	106	785	1,726	256	168	498	922	502	108	56	27	248
26	914	98	792	1,724	257	169	511	937	503	107	58	20	232
July 3	830	93	788	1,723	260	166	508	935	501	110	52	23	229
10	884	89	773	1,705	271	165	507	944	502	110	56	19	223
17	874	98	773	1,695	270	165	509	943	504	108	51	22	201
24	883	70	794	1,693	274	165	509	948	506	112	68	24	192
31	795	81	794	1,705	275	167	510	952	509	109	56	23	190
Aug. 7	857	81	773	1,681	274	165	507	946	507	104	52	25	187
14	888	102	762	1,670	273	165	508	946	510	99	48	26	182
21	903	89	774	1,680	272	165	506	944	512	92	43	25	179

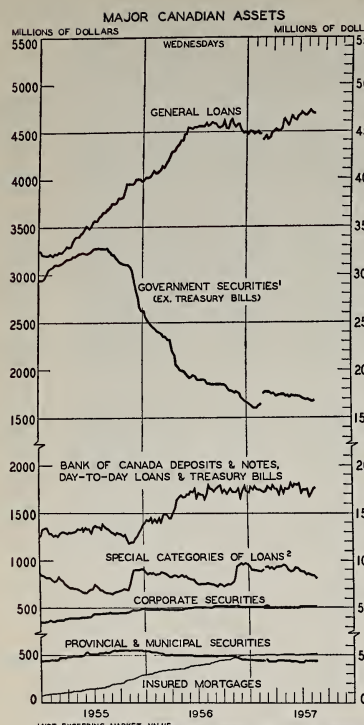
	Loans 2 in Canada: Grain Dealers 5	C.S.B. 6	Sub-Total	General Loans	Total Loans	Total of Foregoing Assets	Estimated Items in Transit (net) †	Canadian Dollar Deposits: Personal Savings	Govt. of Canada Deposits	All Other	Total	
Average of Wednesdays												
1955—Aug.	351	36	665	3,653	4,318	10,068	491	5,670	182	4,433	10,285	Aug.—1955
Sept.	353	24	665	3,737	4,402	10,083	506	5,727	165	4,421	10,313	Sept.
Oct.	361	12	687	3,817	4,504	10,120	546	5,775	124	4,492	10,392	Oct.
Nov.	369	112	817	3,948	4,766	10,295	558	5,655	443	4,421	10,520	Nov.
Dec.	359	174	909	3,988	4,897	10,237	605	5,603	541	4,351	10,495	Dec.
1956—Jan.	361	153	868	4,015	4,884	10,157	562	5,651	510	4,228	10,390	Jan.—1956
Feb.	358	136	863	4,069	4,932	10,110	539	5,693	495	4,136	10,324	Feb.
Mar.	355	119	852	4,156	5,008	10,158	511	5,754	530	4,057	10,342	Mar.
Apr.	331	103	834	4,287	5,121	10,172	591	5,822	367	4,234	10,423	Apr.
May	313	85	830	4,427	5,256	10,285	654	5,859	437	4,298	10,595	May
June	321	66	794	4,537	5,331	10,371	622	5,867	488	4,275	10,630	June
July	340	53	753	4,552	5,305	10,297	721	5,898	296	4,428	10,623	July
Aug.	355	39	747	4,571	5,319	10,343	613	5,918	307	4,338	10,563	Aug.
Sept.	341	26	737	4,563	5,300	10,351	669	5,982	312	4,342	10,635	Sept.
Oct.	347	11	740	4,571	5,312	10,335	700	6,047	184	4,413	10,644	Oct.
Nov.	357	130	867	4,581	5,449	10,420	678	5,992	370	4,299	10,661	Nov.
Dec.	361	178	963	4,512	5,475	10,361	716	5,960	341	4,355	10,655	Dec.
1957—Jan.	361	157	907	4,482	5,389	10,216	680	5,992	242	4,258	10,492	Jan.—1957
Feb.	355	138	899	4,463	5,363	10,207	616	6,063	335	4,010	10,408	Feb.
Mar.	365	121	923	4,447	5,369	10,334	610	6,102	436	3,955	10,492	Mar.
Apr.	374	105	934	4,511	5,445	10,376	668	6,151	311	4,093	10,556	Apr.
May	373	87	921	4,580	5,500	10,436	765	6,167	328	4,180	10,675	May
June	401	69	908	4,637	5,545	10,495†	723	6,164	266	4,237†	10,667†	June
July	416	54	866	4,679	5,545	10,421	795	6,209	180	4,274	10,663	July
As at												
1957—Jan. 9	361	161	904	4,500	5,404	10,261	549	5,985	233	4,176	10,394	9 Jan.—1957
16	363	157	901	4,486	5,387	10,193	695	5,985	262	4,234	10,481	16
23	360	153	895	4,474	5,369	10,205	548	5,984	295	4,070	10,349	23
30	359	148	894	4,480	5,374	10,183	580	5,998	257	4,106	10,360	30
Feb. 6	358	144	880	4,491	5,372	10,166	584	6,066	332	3,947	10,345	6 Feb.
13	354	140	884	4,476	5,360	10,174	570	6,054	324	3,959	10,337	13
20	356	136	909	4,474	5,383	10,204	642	6,061	340	4,040	10,441	20
27	355	132	925	4,413 7	5,338 7	10,284	667	6,071	344	4,096	10,511	27
Mar. 6	356	127	930	4,448	5,379	10,310	584	6,102	442	3,918	10,463	6 Mar.
13	363	123	919	4,422	5,341	10,323	579	6,094	455	3,884	10,434	13
20	366	119	928	4,436	5,364	10,322	673	6,102	425	4,022	10,550	20
27	370	115	914	4,479	5,393	10,382	604	6,108	419	3,995	10,523	27
Apr. 3	373	111	933	4,508	5,441	10,402	680	6,163	307	4,101	10,571	3 Apr.
10	373	107	929	4,522	5,452	10,393	569	6,144	320	4,022	10,486	10
17	375	103	933	4,505	5,438	10,309	699	6,149	309	4,074	10,531	17
24	375	99	939	4,509	5,448	10,403	725	6,150	309	4,177	10,635	24
May 1	375	95	960	4,527	5,487	10,384	922	6,219	309	4,295	10,823	1 May
8	373	91	936	4,631	5,567	10,514	629	6,178	343	4,075	10,596	8
15	373	87	914	4,587	5,501	10,416	782	6,152	356	4,160	10,668	15
22	371	83	908	4,557	5,464	10,400	799	6,152	336	4,202	10,691	22
29	370	79	887	4,596	5,483	10,466	691	6,132	294	4,169	10,595	29
June 5	381	75	895	4,652	5,546	10,472	696	6,179	294	4,151	10,625	5 June
12	403	71	928	4,633	5,561	10,520	653	6,159	314	4,166	10,639	12
19	410	67	916	4,615	5,531	10,475	788	6,161	248	4,312	10,721	19
26	410	63	891	4,650	5,541	10,508	756	6,155	207	4,314	10,676	26
July 3	411	60	885	4,676	5,560	10,429	969	6,217	126	4,468	10,810	3 July
10	419	57	883	4,703	5,586	10,483	731	6,183	247	4,225	10,656	10
17	412	54	849	4,670	5,518	10,405	773	6,206	187	4,248	10,642	17
24	416	51	863	4,668	5,531	10,425	675	6,197	189	4,174	10,560	24
31	424	48	850	4,680	5,530	10,365	829	6,242	148	4,255	10,645	31
Aug. 7	427	45	839	4,721	5,560	10,406	656	6,253	188	4,053	10,494	7 Aug.
14	437	42	834	4,688	5,522	10,400	652	6,238	159	4,104	10,501	14
21	431	39	809	4,684	5,494	10,396	694	6,243	154	4,131	10,529	21

★ For data on cash reserves, see section 1 of table on page 240. 1. Valued at "not exceeding market value". 2. Excluding Canadian day-to-day loans. 3. Includes securities guaranteed by provincial governments. 4. Securities purchased direct from issuer with a term of less than 1 year at time of issue are classified as loans. 5. Loans to grain dealers and exporters. 6. Loans to finance the purchase of Canada Savings Bonds at time of issue. 7. Beginning with the weekly statistics for Feb. 27 the chartered banks' holdings of Government of Canada and provincial government securities are valued at "amortized value" rather than at "not exceeding market value" as previously. Because of this change in valuation procedure and the consequent reallocation of inner reserves most of the asset figures for Feb. 27 and subsequent dates, particularly holdings of the securities in question and general loans, are not directly comparable with those of previous weeks. † Revised.

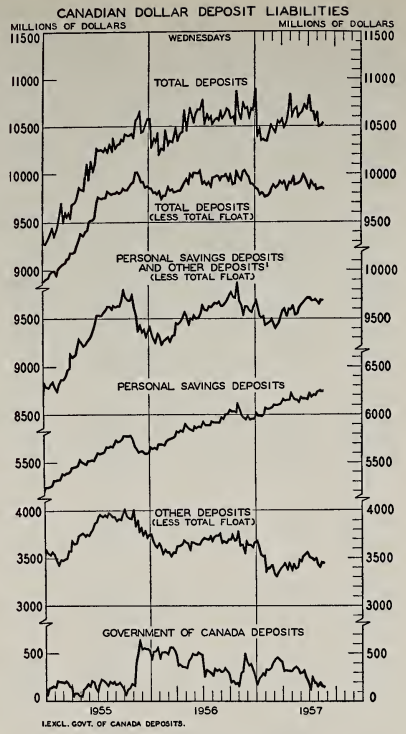
NOTE: FOR DATA BACK TO AUGUST 1953 SEE PAGES 20–27 IN THE "FINANCIAL SUPPLEMENT 1956".

CHARTERED BANKS

ASSETS AND LIABILITIES



1. NOT EXCEEDING MARKET VALUE.
2. LOANS TO PROVINCIAL GOVERNMENTS AND MUNICIPALITIES, SPECIALLY SECURED LOANS TO GRAIN DEALERS, INVESTMENT DEALERS AND STOCKBROKERS AND TO FINANCE THE PURCHASE OF CANADA SAVINGS BONDS.



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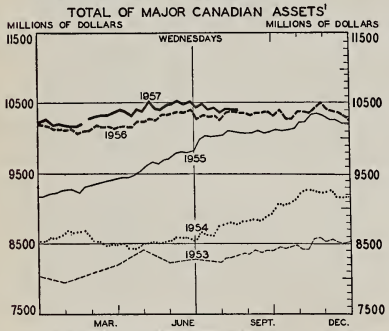
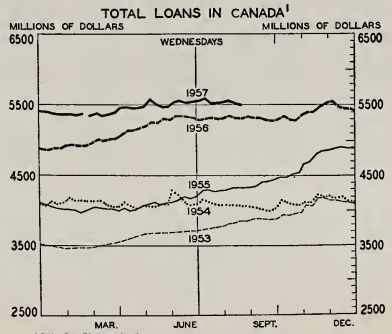


1. BANK OF CANADA NOTES & DEPOSITS, DAY-TO-DAY LOANS, TREASURY BILLS, GOVT OF CANADA SECURITIES, OTHER CANADIAN SECURITIES, INSURED MORTGAGES AND LOANS IN CANADA



1. EXCL. DAY-TO-DAY LOANS.

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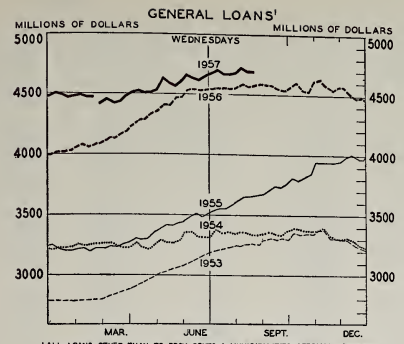
CHARTERED BANKS

SELECTED ASSETS



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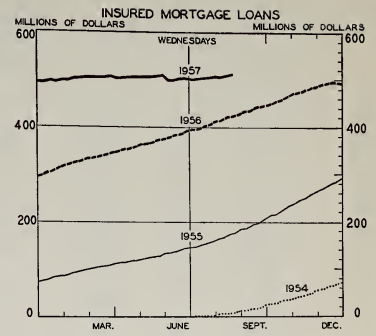

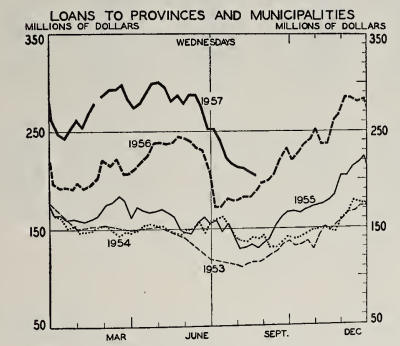

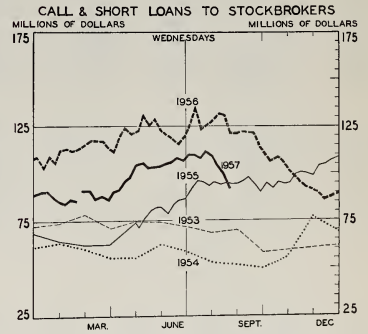

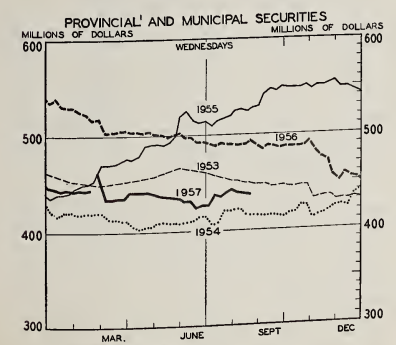

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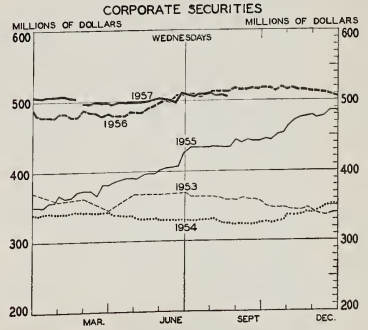


Last weekly data plotted Aug. 21, 1957. For explanation of break in series following February 20, 1957, see footnote 7 on page 242.

CANADIAN DOLLAR CURRENCY AND BANK DEPOSITS HELD BY THE GENERAL PUBLIC

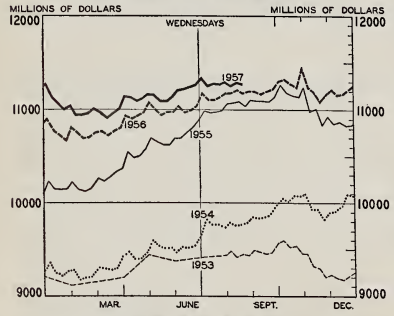
Millions of Dollars — *Bank of Canada*

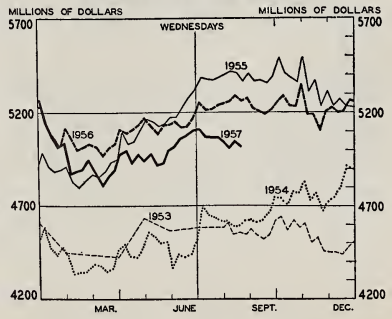
	Currency Outside Banks			Chartered Bank Deposits			Total Currency and Chartered Bank Deposits [1]	
	Notes	Coin	Total	Personal Savings Deposits	Other Deposits [1]	Total [1]	Excluding Personal Savings Deposits	Including Personal Savings Deposits
As at Dec. 31								
1952	1,289	88	1,377	4,600	3,281	7,881	4,658	9,258
1953	1,335	94	1,429	4,756	3,129	7,885	4,558	9,314
1954	1,362	96	1,458	5,218	3,462	8,680	4,920	10,137
1955	1,449	101	1,550	5,633	3,697	9,330	5,248	10,881
1956	1,498	108	1,605	6,007	3,580	9,587	5,185	11,192
End of								
1955—Aug.	1,374	97	1,471	5,696	3,931	9,627	5,402	11,098
Sept.	1,436	99	1,535	5,757	3,853	9,610	5,388	11,145
Oct.	1,397	100	1,497	5,839	3,929	9,768	5,426	11,265
Nov.	1,395	100	1,495	5,615	3,815	9,430	5,310	10,925
Dec.	1,449	101	1,550	5,633	3,697	9,330	5,248	10,881
1956—Jan.	1,358	98	1,457	5,676	3,593	9,269	5,049	10,726
Feb.	1,375	99	1,474	5,721	3,557	9,278	5,031	10,753
Mar.	1,458	102	1,561	5,791	3,501	9,292	5,062	10,853
Apr.	1,415	102	1,517	5,919	3,596	9,514	5,113	11,031
May	1,425	102	1,527	5,844	3,600	9,444	5,127	10,972
June	1,500	104	1,604	5,881	3,646	9,527	5,250	11,131
July	1,458	103	1,561	5,923	3,668	9,591	5,229	11,152
Aug.	1,515	106	1,621	5,941	3,745	9,686	5,366	11,306
Sept.	1,514	106	1,620	6,020	3,656	9,676	5,276	11,295
Oct.	1,472	106	1,578	6,098	3,764	9,862	5,342	11,440
Nov.	1,543	108	1,651	5,974	3,607	9,582	5,258	11,233
Dec.	1,498	108	1,605	6,007	3,580	9,587	5,185	11,192
1957—Jan.	1,445	104	1,549	6,039	3,470	9,509	5,019	11,058
Feb.	1,457	105	1,562	6,090	3,329	9,419	4,892	10,982
Mar.	1,500	107	1,607	6,153	3,328	9,481	4,935	11,088
Apr.	1,457	107	1,564	6,211	3,406	9,617	4,970	11,181
May	1,523	109	1,631	6,161	3,382	9,543	5,014	11,174
June	1,559	110	1,669	6,196	3,448	9,644	5,117	11,313
July	1,510	109	1,618	6,242	3,426	9,668	5,044	11,287

1. Less total float, i.e. cheques and other items in transit (net). Excludes Government of Canada deposits.

NOTE: For data back to 1953 see page 32 in the "Financial Supplement 1956".

CURRENCY AND CHARTERED BANK DEPOSITS[1] HELD BY THE GENERAL PUBLIC





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CLASSIFICATION OF GOVERNMENT OF CANADA DIRECT AND GUARANTEED SECURITIES

Millions of Dollars, Par Value — *Bank of Canada*

	Direct Funded Debt Outstanding							Guaranteed Funded Debt	Total Outstanding [2]
	Treasury Bills	Treasury Notes	Deposit Certificates	Other Unmatured Market Issues	Matured and Outstanding Market Issues	Non-market Issues [1]	Total		
As at Dec. 31									
1952	450	750	200	11,995	19	1,250	14,664	522	**15,186**
1953	650	750	–	12,066	19	1,632	15,117	520	**15,637**
1954	780	750	–	10,854	74	2,090	14,547	918	**15,465**
1955	1,225	500	–	10,952	30	2,433	15,140	860	**16,000**
1956	1,575	–	–	10,298	27	2,541	14,441	793	**15,234**
End of									
1956—Mar.	1,600	500	–	10,903	30	2,387	15,420	793	**16,213**
Apr.	1,650	500	–	10,903	30	2,363	15,446	793	**16,239**
May	1,690	–	–	10,903	28	2,327	14,948	793	**15,741**
June	1,690	–	–	10,848	35	2,293	14,866	793	**15,659**
July	1,700	–	–	10,448	34	2,264	14,446	793	**15,238**
Aug.	1,710	–	–	10,448	30	2,237	14,425	793	**15,218**
Sept.	1,730	–	–	10,448	29	2,210	14,417	793	**15,210**
Oct.	1,720	–	–	10,448	28	2,199	14,395	793	**15,188**
Nov.	1,625	–	–	10,448	26	2,593	14,692	793	**15,485**
Dec.	1,575	–	–	10,298	27	2,541	14,441	793	**15,234**
1957—Jan.	1,565	–	–	10,298	23	2,508	14,394	793	**15,187**
Feb.	1,605	–	–	10,298	21	2,475	14,399	793	**15,192**
Mar.	1,625	–	–	10,298	20	2,436	14,379	793	**15,172**
Apr.	1,625	–	–	10,298	20	2,394	14,337	793	**15,130**
May	1,625	–	–	10,298	19	2,350	14,292	793	**15,085**
June	1,625	–	–	10,148	22	2,315†	14,109	793	**14,902†**
July	1,625	–	–	10,148	17	2,277	14,066	728	**14,794**

For footnotes see table below.

DISTRIBUTION OF GOVERNMENT OF CANADA DIRECT AND GUARANTEED SECURITIES

Millions of Dollars, Par Value — *Bank of Canada*

	Bank of Canada	Chartered Banks [3]	Government of Canada Accounts			General Public			Total Outstanding [2]
			Securities Investment Account [4]	Unemployment Insurance Fund	Other	Market Issues [3]	Non-market Issues [1]	Total [3]	
As at Dec. 31									
1952	2,271	2,905	47	859	195	7,659	1,250	8,909	**15,186**
1953	2,322	2,862	119	919	276	7,507	1,632	9,139	**15,637**
1954	2,267	3,375	–	892	312	6,529	2,090	8,619	**15,465**
1955	2,416	3,132	200	884	407	6,528	2,433	8,961	**16,000**
1956	2,426	2,534	160	924	434	6,215	2,541	8,756	**15,234**
End of									
1956—Mar.	2,290	2,978	695	853	401	6,608	2,387	8,995	**16,213**
Apr.	2,346	2,872	810	838	413	6,596	2,363	8,959	**16,238**
May	2,299	2,815	350	841	415	6,694	2,327	9,021	**15,741**
June	2,374	2,797	341	850	415	6,588	2,293	8,881	**15,659**
July	2,387	2,717	80	862	414	6,514	2,264	8,777	**15,238**
Aug.	2,428	2,751	105	880	418	6,400	2,237	8,636	**15,218**
Sept.	2,453	2,732	105	895	422	6,394	2,210	8,604	**15,210**
Oct.	2,454	2,675	165	909	421	6,363	2,199	8,562	**15,188**
Nov.	2,478	2,624	190	919	430	6,250	2,593	8,844	**15,485**
Dec.	2,426	2,534	160	924	434	6,215	2,541	8,756	**15,234**
1957—Jan.	2,302	2,535	182	917	437	6,305	2,508	8,813	**15,187**
Feb.	2,249	2,580	182	899	442	6,365	2,475	8,840	**15,192**
Mar.	2,288	2,573	182	878	429	6,386	2,436	8,822	**15,172**
Apr.	2,353	2,509	182	858	433	6,400	2,394	8,794	**15,130**
May	2,354	2,549	112	847	530	6,343	2,350	8,693	**15,085**
June	2,410	2,530	–	854	508	6,285	2,315†	8,600†	**14,902†**
July	2,401	2,502	–	865	506	6,243	2,277	8,520	**14,794**

1. Refundable Tax, War Savings Certificates and Canada Savings Bonds, and since May 1, 1954, Canada Savings Bonds only.
2. Foreign pay issues are converted at the rate of £1 = $2.80 U.S. = $2.80 Cdn. Excludes sinking fund and government account "N" holdings of Newfoundland sterling securities assumed by the Government of Canada. For details by issue at June 30, 1957, see table on page 177.
3. Chartered bank holdings are shown at estimated par value; the figures for general public holdings are residuals obtained by deducting all other holdings from the total outstanding.
4. Market issues only, i.e., excludes holdings of Canada Savings Bonds being purchased on the payroll plan by Government employees, which are included under general public holdings of non-market issues. † Revised.

NOTE: For data back to 1953 see pages 33–34 in the "Financial Supplement 1956".

MONEY MARKET STATISTICS

WEEKLY SERIES

Bank of Canada

	Bank of Canada[1]			Chartered Banks					Treasury Bills[2]				Distribution of Govt. of Canada Direct and Gtd. Securities[2] (Including Treasury Bills)								
	Outstanding Advances to Chartered and Savings Banks	Can. Govt. Securities Held Under Purchase & Resale Agreements		Cash Ratio Statutory Basis		Day-to-Day Loans			Distribution				Weekly Tender on Thurs. following Wed. date shown				Total	Bank of Canada	Chartered Banks[3]	Government Accounts	General Public			
		At Date	Maximum During Week	At Date	Average: Month to Date	Closing Rate	Wkly. Av. of Daily Closing Rates	Amount Outstanding	Total	Bank of Canada	Chartered Banks	Other	Average Yield		Amount Sold						Canada Savings Bonds	Matured & Outstanding Market Issues	Other Unmatured	Total	
													3 Month Bills	9 Month Bills	3 Month Bills	9 Month Bills									
	Millions of Dollars			*Percent*				*mm. of $*	*Par Value in Millions of Dollars*				*Percent*		*Millions of Dollars*		*Par Value in Millions of Dollars*								
Wednesdays																									**Wednesdays**
1955—June 29	–	–	4	8.4	8.3	1 1/8	1.20	104	1,020	275	375	370	1.44	1.71	40	15	15,410	2,298	3,667	1,207	1,961	41	6,236	8,238	29 June—1955
July 27	–	–	–	8.1	8.4	1 1/8	1.08	109	1,050	282	407	361	1.43	1.72	40	15	15,519	2,301	3,741	1,247	1,942	40	6,248	8,230	27 July
Aug. 31	–	–	8	8.1	8.3	1 1/2	1.53	90	1,075	242	419	414	1.70	1.95	40	15	15,519	2,314	3,735	1,279	1,921	37	6,233	8,191	31 Aug.
Sept. 28	–	–	–	8.4	8.2	1 5/8	1.80	41	1,095	251	364	480	1.83	2.10	40	15	15,520	2,357	3,611	1,360	1,902	35	6,255	8,192	28 Sept.
Oct. 26	16	4	12	8.4	8.3	2 1/8	2.13	53	1,145	303	317	525	2.20	–	60	–	15,582	2,347	3,498	1,434	1,917	33	6,353	8,303	26 Oct.
Nov. 30	4	–	2	8.4	8.3	2 1/4	2.25	54	1,170	303	328	539	2.58	–	60	–	15,974	2,422	3,323	1,334	2,461	31	6,403	8,895	30 Nov.
Dec. 28	–	–	–	8.2	8.2	2 3/8	2.38	56	1,205	264	416	525	2.56	–	75	–	15,982	2,423	3,108	1,492	2,435	30	6,494	8,959	28 Dec.
1956—Jan. 25	–	–	–	8.3	8.4	2 1/4	2.33	54	1,275	234	480	561	2.53	–	100	–	15,989	2,303	3,038	1,604	2,415	35	6,595	9,044	25 Jan.—1956
Feb. 29	–	6	6	8.1	8.2	2 1/2	2.50	82	1,430	341	564	525	2.56	–	115	–	16,063	2,246	3,027	1,752	2,405	32	6,601	9,038	29 Feb.
Mar. 28	–	–	3	7.9	8.2	2 5/8	2.58	62	1,575	444	573	558	2.64	–	115	–	16,188	2,296	2,957	1,935	2,387	30	6,583	9,000	28 Mar.
Apr. 25	10	–	–	8.3	8.2	2 5/8	2.68	13	1,640	336	727	577	2.89	–	125	–	16,229	2,329	2,856	2,067	2,363	30	6,584	8,976	25 Apr.
May 30	26	–	–	8.2	8.2	2 3/4	2.73	63	1,690	394	759	537	2.72	–	130	–	15,737	2,302	2,802	1,604	2,323	28	6,678	9,029	30 May
June 27	5	–	–	8.3	8.3	2 3/8	2.48	62	1,690	465	795	430	2.52	–	130	–	15,658	2,392	2,795	1,606	2,293	35	6,538	8,865	27 June
July 25	12	–	–	8.1	8.3	2 5/8	2.63	81	1,695	467	735	493	2.65	–	130	–	15,236	2,398	2,699	1,352	2,266	35	6,487	8,787	25 July
Aug. 29	–	–	–	8.2	8.4	2 1/4	2.40	32	1,705	494	835	376	2.90	–	135	–	15,214	2,422	2,762	1,403	2,237	31	6,360	8,627	29 Aug.
Sept. 26	–	–	–	8.2	8.3	2 3/4	2.88	95	1,725	521	806	328	3.16	–	135	–	15,205	2,441	2,739	1,424	2,210	29	6,362	8,601	26 Sept.
Oct. 31	–	–	26	8.6	8.3	2 3/4	2.90	85	1,720	560	794	366	3.34	–	115	–	15,187	2,454	2,675	1,496	2,199	28	6,336	8,562	31 Oct.
Nov. 28	50	–	–	8.5	8.2	2 7/8	3.03	97	1,645	532	741	372	3.52	–	115	–	15,494	2,451	2,610	1,540	2,582	26	6,285	8,893	28 Nov.
Dec. 26	10	–	–	8.2	8.3	3 1/4	3.25	75	1,585	519	752	314	3.67	–	125	–	15,233	2,506	2,530	1,447	2,530	28	6,193	8,750	26 Dec.
1957—Jan. 30	–	–	–	8.2	8.2	3	3.00	86	1,565	418	807	340	3.70	–	125	–	15,178	2,312	2,530	1,536	2,500	23	6,278	8,800	30 Jan.—1957
Feb. 27	–	–	12	8.4	8.2	3 1/2	3.55	112	1,605	437	811	357	3.76	–	125	–	15,187	2,254	2,570	1,520	2,470	21	6,352	8,844	27 Feb.
Mar. 27	10	–	14	8.2	8.2	3 5/8	3.70	152	1,625	482	805	338	3.70	–	125	–	15,169	2,280	2,554	1,501	2,433	20	6,380	8,833	27 Mar.
Apr. 24	21	–	5	8.4	8.1	3 3/4	3.71	96	1,625	503	769	353	3.75	–	125	–	15,132	2,353	2,506	1,477	2,396	20	6,380	8,796	24 Apr.
May 29	25	–	–	8.2	8.2	3 3/8	3.53	116	1,625	474	814	337	3.76	–	125	–	15,082	2,352	2,535	1,494	2,348	19	6,335	8,701	29 May
June 26	24	–	9	8.4	8.2	3 3/4	3.83	97	1,625	516	795	314	3.81	–	125	–	14,900	2,404	2,519	1,397	2,312	22	6,245	8,580	26 June
July 31	–	–	3	7.7	8.1	3 3/4	3.75	81†	1,625	505	797†	322	3.81	–	125	–	14,794†	2,401	2,502†	1,371	2,277†	17†	6,227†	8,520†	31 July
Aug. 28	–	–	–	8.4	8.2	3 1/4	3.55	106	1,635	549	819	267	4.03	–	130	–	14,765	2,470	2,506	1,376	2,238	16	6,159	8,413	28 Aug.
Weekly																									**Weekly**
1957—Mar. 6	–	1	10	8.1	8.0	3 3/4	3.50	86	1,615	474	832	309	3.72	–	125	–	15,192	2,253	2,598	1,516	2,466	21	6,339	8,826	6 Mar.—1957
13	11	–	17	8.2	8.1	3 3/4	3.75	117	1,625	490	825	311	3.73	–	125	–	15,187	2,279	2,592	1,510	2,451	21	6,335	8,807	12
20	–	–	–	8.2	8.1	3 1/2	3.65	109	1,625	501	816	308	3.69	–	125	–	15,177	2,292	2,581	1,508	2,441	21	6,336	8,797	20
27	10	–	14	8.2	8.2	3 5/8	3.70	152	1,625	482	805	338	3.70	–	125	–	15,169	2,280	2,554	1,501	2,433	20	6,380	8,833	27
Apr. 3	30	–	–	8.3	8.1	3 5/8	3.55	93	1,625	467	822	336	3.69	–	125	–	15,165	2,277	2,577	1,490	2,430	20	6,372	8,822	3 Apr.
10	–	4	49	8.2	8.1	3 3/4	3.73	95	1,625	468	809	348	3.71	–	125	–	15,148	2,295	2,542	1,485	2,413	20	6,394	8,827	10
17	–	28	28	8.1	8.1	3 3/4	3.75	76	1,625	490	781	355	3.73	–	125	–	15,138	2,344	2,516	1,481	2,402	20	6,376	8,798	17
24	21	–	5	8.4	8.1	3 3/4	3.71	96	1,625	503	769	353	3.75	–	125	–	15,132	2,353	2,506	1,477	2,396	20	6,380	8,796	24
May 1	–	–	–	8.2	8.2	3 3/4	3.73	105	1,625	501	766	359	3.76	–	125	–	15,127	2,352	2,506	1,473	2,392	20	6,385	8,796	1 May
8	–	6	29	8.3	8.1	3 7/8	3.80	114	1,625	504	760	361	3.78	–	125	–	15,115	2,364	2,501	1,498	2,379	19	6,352	8,751	8
15	–	–	4	8.3	8.2	3 5/8	3.75	109	1,625	516	759	350	3.78	–	125	–	15,099	2,379	2,486	1,497	2,364	19	6,354	8,737	15
22	–	–	–	8.1	8.2	3 5/8	3.72	91	1,625	496	785	344	3.76	–	125	–	15,091	2,362	2,516	1,497	2,357	19	6,341	8,717	22
29	25	–	–	8.2	8.2	3 3/8	3.53	116	1,625	474	814	337	3.76	–	125	–	15,082	2,352	2,535	1,494	2,348	19	6,335	8,701	29
June 5	–	32	32	7.9	7.9	3 7/8	3.70	105	1,625	494	832	299	3.79	–	125	–	15,078	2,395	2,558	1,482	2,344	19	6,280	8,643	5 June
12	–	–	26	8.3	8.1	3 3/8	3.85	109	1,625	505	792	328	3.79	–	125	–	15,064	2,401	2,518	1,480	2,331	18	6,315	8,665	12
19	–	6	23	8.3	8.1	3 7/8	3.83	106	1,625	506	788	331	3.80	–	125	–	14,916	2,410	2,514	1,398	2,321	30	6,244	8,595	19
26	24	–	9	8.4	8.2	3 3/4	3.83	97	1,625	516	795	314	3.81	–	125	–	14,900	2,404	2,519	1,397	2,312	22	6,245	8,580	26
July 3	12	8	8	8.1	8.1	3 3/4	3.69	93	1,625	526	788	312	3.81	–	125	–	14,827†	2,421	2,510	1,361	2,306	21	6,210	8,536†	3 July
10	–	25	25	8.1	8.1	4	3.85	89	1,625	549	773	303	3.81	–	125	–	14,816†	2,460	2,478	1,366	2,296	20†	6,197	8,512†	10
17	–	–	20	8.2	8.2	3 3/4	3.75	98	1,625	561	773	291	3.81	–	125	–	14,803†	2,462	2,468	1,365	2,283	19†	6,206	8,508†	17
24	–	–	–	8.1	8.2	3 1/4	3.58	70	1,625	536	794	295	3.80	–	125	–	14,793†	2,434	2,486	1,369	2,275	18†	6,212	8,505†	24
31	–	–	3	7.7	8.1	3 3/4	3.75	81†	1,625	505	797†	322	3.81	–	125	–	14,794†	2,401	2,502†	1,371	2,277†	17†	6,227†	8,520†	31
Aug. 7	11	42	44	8.1	7.8	4	3.88	81	1,625	530	773	322	3.92	–	125	–	14,780	2,439	2,455	1,372	2,263	16	6,235	8,515	7 Aug.
14	–	4	35	8.3	8.0	4 1/8	4.08	102	1,625	557	762	306	4.03	–	125	–	14,768	2,462	2,432	1,370	2,252	16	6,237	8,504	14
21	–	–	6	8.4	8.1	3 7/8	4.00	89	1,630	567	774	288	4.08	–	130	–	14,767	2,486	2,455	1,372	2,245	16	6,193	8,454	21
28	–	–	–	8.4	8.2	3 1/4	3.55	106	1,635	549	819	267	4.03	–	130	–	14,765	2,470	2,506	1,376	2,238	16	6,159	8,413	28

1. Bank Rate, the minimum rate at which the Bank of Canada will make temporary loans or advances, stood at 2% from October 1950 to February 14, 1955 when it was reduced to 1½%. The rate was raised to 2% on August 5, 1955, to 2½% on October 12, 1955, to 2¾% on November 18, 1955, to 3% on April 4, 1956, to 3¼% on August 9, 1956, and to 3½% on October 17, 1956. Since November 1, 1956, Bank Rate has been ¼ of 1% above the latest weekly average tender rate for 91-day Treasury Bills. 2. This table has been revised to show all holdings of Government of Canada direct and guaranteed securities at par value, and for this reason the figures for Bank of Canada and chartered bank holdings differ from those appearing on pages 238, 240 and 242. Foreign-pay issues are valued at uniform exchange rates of £1 = $2.80 U.S. = $2.80 Cdn. 3. Estimated par value. † Revised.

NOTE: For data back to July 1954 see pages 36-41 in the "Financial Supplement 1956".

TREASURY BILL RATES, GOVERNMENT BOND PRICES[1] AND MARKET YIELDS[2] SELECTED ISSUES[3]

CANADA, UNITED STATES, UNITED KINGDOM

Bank of Canada

	Weighted Average of Tender Rates on 3 Month Treasury Bills[4]			Canada							
				3% Sept. 1/61–66		2¾% June 15/67–68		3¾% Jan. 15/75–78		3¼% Oct. 1/79	
	Canada	U.S.	U.K.	Price	Yield	Price	Yield	Price	Yield	Price	Yield
				Cdn. $		*Cdn. $*		*Cdn. $*		*Cdn. $*	
Wednesdays											
1955—Aug. 31	1.70	2.09	4.07	99 3/4	3.03	96 2/8	3.06	105 3/4	3.34	99 3/4	3.27
Sept. 28	1.83	2.12	4.07	99 1/4	3.08	96 3/8	3.10	105 1/2	3.36	99 3/8	3.27
Oct. 26	2.20	2.23	4.07	99 1/4	3.08	95 3/4	3.16	105 1/2	3.36	99 3/8	3.27
Nov. 30	2.58	2.45	4.07	97 1/2	3.28	94 3/8	3.30	105	3.39	97 3/4	3.39
Dec. 28	2.56	2.69	4.07	97 1/4	3.31	93 1/2	3.39	103 3/4	3.48	97 2/8	3.41
1956—Jan. 25	2.53	2.25	4.07	98	3.22	94 1/2	3.29	104 1/2	3.43	98 3/8	3.35
Feb. 29	2.56	2.41	5.20	98	3.23	95	3.25	105 1/4	3.37	99 1/4	3.30
Mar. 28	2.64	2.17	5.17	97 7/8	3.33	93 1/2	3.40	103 1/2	3.49	97 3/8	3.41
Apr. 25	2.89	2.79	5.01	94 3/4	3.61	92 1/2	3.51	100 3/4	3.69	94 1/2	3.60
May 30	2.72	2.57	5.01	95 5/8	3.51	92 5/8	3.51	102	3.60	95 7/8	3.51
June 27	2.52	2.54	5.14	96 3/8	3.42	93 3/8	3.40	103 3/4	3.47	98	3.37
July 25	2.65	2.30	4.98	95 3/8	3.55	92 1/2	3.53	101 1/2	3.64	95 1/4	3.55
Aug. 29	2.90	2.83	5.02	93 7/8	3.74	90	3.81	99 1/2	3.78	93 1/8	3.69
Sept. 26	3.16	2.99	5.09	92 7/8	3.87	89 1/2	3.88	98	3.89	91 1/2	3.81
Oct. 31	3.34	2.89	5.00	92 1/4	3.96	89	3.94	98	3.89	91 1/8	3.84
Nov. 28	3.52	3.17	5.02	91 1/8	4.11	88 3/4	3.97	97	3.96	90 3/4	3.86
Dec. 26	3.67	3.22	4.86	90 7/8	4.16	88 3/4	3.98	96 3/4	3.98	90 1/4	3.90
1957—Jan. 30	3.70	3.28	4.54	89 1/2	4.35	86 3/4	4.23	95	4.11	87	4.14
Feb. 27	3.76	3.29	4.00	91 5/8	4.07	88 1/2	4.02	96 1/4	4.02	89 1/2	3.96
Mar. 27	3.70	3.03	4.11	91 1/4	4.13	87 1/2	4.15	96 1/4	4.02	90	3.92
Apr. 24	3.75	3.05	3.91	89 5/8	4.36	86	4.35	96 1/4	4.02	89 1/2	3.96
May 29	3.76	3.25	3.92	89	4.46	85	4.49	94 1/2	4.15	86 3/4	4.17
June 26	3.81	3.23	3.85	88	4.62	84 1/2	4.56	94	4.19	86 3/4	4.17
July 31	3.81	3.36	3.82	87 3/4	4.67	83 1/2	4.71	93 1/2	4.25	85 3/4	4.25
Aug. 28	4.03	3.50	4.12	86 1/2	4.88	82 3/4	4.81	93	4.27	84 1/2	4.35
Weekly											
1957—Mar. 13	3.73	3.24	4.12	91 5/8	4.07	88 1/4	4.06	96	4.04	90	3.92
20	3.69	3.04	4.13	91 1/4	4.13	87 1/2	4.15	96 1/4	4.02	90	3.92
27	3.70	3.03	4.11	91 1/4	4.13	87 1/2	4.15	96 1/4	4.02	90	3.92
Apr. 3	3.69	3.05	4.15	91	4.16	87 1/4	4.19	96 1/4	4.02	90	3.92
10	3.71	3.15	4.04	90 3/4	4.20	87	4.22	96 1/8	4.00	89 3/4	3.94
17	3.73	3.19	3.94	90 3/8	4.26	86 1/2	4.28	96 3/8	4.01	89 3/4	3.94
24	3.75	3.05	3.91	89 5/8	4.36	86	4.35	96 1/4	4.02	89 1/2	3.96
May 1	3.76	3.04	3.74	89 3/8	4.40	85 1/4	4.45	96	4.04	89	4.00
8	3.78	2.91	3.81	89 3/8	4.40	85 1/4	4.45	95 1/2	4.07	88	4.07
15	3.78	2.89	3.83	89 1/4	4.42	85 1/4	4.45	95	4.11	87	4.15
22	3.76	3.12	3.91	89	4.46	84 3/4	4.51	94 3/4	4.13	86 3/4	4.17
29	3.76	3.25	3.92	89	4.46	85	4.49	94 1/2	4.15	86 3/4	4.17
June 5	3.79	3.37	3.91	89	4.46	85	4.49	94 7/8	4.12	86 7/8	4.16
12	3.79	3.26	3.86	88 7/8	4.48	85	4.49	95 1/8	4.10	86 7/8	4.16
19	3.80	3.40	3.86	88 1/2	4.55	84 3/4	4.53	94 1/2	4.15	86 3/4	4.17
26	3.81	3.23	3.85	88	4.62	84 1/2	4.56	94	4.19	86 3/4	4.17
July 3	3.81	3.24	3.85	88 1/4	4.58	84 3/4	4.53	94 1/4	4.17	86 3/4	4.17
10	3.81	3.17	3.85	88 1/8	4.60	84 1/2	4.56	93 1/2	4.23	86 1/4	4.21
17	3.81	3.09	3.84	87 3/4	4.67	84 1/4	4.60	93 1/4	4.25	86	4.23
24	3.80	3.16	3.85	87 3/4	4.67	84 1/8	4.62	93 1/4	4.25	85 3/4	4.25
31	3.81	3.36	3.82	87 3/4	4.67	83 1/2	4.71	93 1/4	4.25	85 3/4	4.25
Aug. 7	3.92	3.31	3.88	87 1/4	4.74	83 1/4	4.74	93	4.27	85 1/4	4.29
14	4.03	3.50	3.99	86 7/8	4.80	83	4.78	92 3/4	4.29	85	4.31
21	4.08	3.35	4.05	86 1/2	4.88	82 3/4	4.81	92 3/4	4.29	84 1/2	4.35
28	4.03	3.50	4.12	86 1/2	4.88	82 3/4	4.81	93	4.27	84 1/2	4.35

1. Government bond prices are closing bids at the Wednesday date for Canadian and United States issues. Prices of the United Kingdom Apr. 15/59–69 issue are closing transactions at the Wednesday date and of the United Kingdom Aug. 15/65–75 issue are approximate mid-market transactions at the Wednesday date. All prices exclude accrued interest.
2. Market yields are based on the prices shown and are expressed as per cent per annum to maturity date if at a discount and to earliest call date if at a premium.

NOTE: For 1950–1952 data see pages 52–55 in the "Financial Supplement 1954" and for 1953–1956 data see pages 44–51 in the "Financial Supplement 1956".

	United States						United Kingdom				
	2½% Dec. 15/63–68		2½% Dec. 15/67–72		3¼% June 15/78–83		3% Apr. 15/59–69		3% Aug. 15/65–75		
	Price	Yield	Price	Yield	Price	Yield	Price	Yield	Price	Yield	
	U.S. $		*U.S. $*		*U.S. $*		£		£		
Wednesdays											
1955—Aug. 31	95 7/16	2.92	94 19/32	2.90	104 1/4	2.99	79 1/4	5.14	76 1/2	4.85	31 Aug.—1955
Sept. 28	96	2.86	95 9/32	2.85	104 3/4	2.96	81 3/4	4.85	78	4.71	28 Sept.
Oct. 26	96 7/8	2.78	95 27/32	2.81	105 3/4	2.90	84 1/32	4.60	80 21/32	4.48	26 Oct.
Nov. 30	96 3/8	2.83	94 27/32	2.89	105 1/4	2.93	82 15/16	4.74	79	4.64	30 Nov.
Dec. 28	95 3/4	2.89	94 13/16	2.89	105 1/32	2.94	82 1/32	4.85	78 3/8	4.69	28 Dec.
1956—Jan. 25	96 1/2	2.83	95 3/4	2.82	105 3/4	2.90	80 13/32	5.04	77	4.83	25 Jan.—1956
Feb. 29	96 15/16	2.83	95 21/32	2.83	105 11/16	2.90	80 1/2	5.06	76 7/8	4.85	29 Feb.
Mar. 28	94 23/32	3.00	93 15/16	2.96	104 1/32	3.00	79 1/32	5.23	75 1/32	5.03	28 Mar.
Apr. 25	93 23/32	3.10	92 25/32	3.06	102 1/8	3.12	80 13/32	5.08	75 13/16	4.96	25 Apr.
May 30	95 13/16	2.90	95 1/4	2.86	104 5/16	2.98	79	5.27	74 3/4	5.07	30 May
June 27	95 3/16	2.96	94 9/16	2.92	104 1/4	2.99	77 19/32	5.45	73 5/32	5.24	27 June
July 25	93 31/32	3.09	93 7/32	3.03	102 1/16	3.12	77 27/32	5.43	72 1/16	5.36	25 July
Aug. 29	91 15/32	3.35	90 15/16	3.22	100 1/32	3.25	79 1/4	5.28	74 1/4	5.14	29 Aug.
Sept. 26	92 6/16	3.27	91 13/16	3.15	100 1/8	3.24	77 17/32	5.51	72 5/32	5.37	26 Sept.
Oct. 31	91 11/16	3.34	90 23/32	3.24	99 3/16	3.30	78 3/4	5.37	72 3/8	5.35	31 Oct.
Nov. 28	90 31/32	3.42	89 19/32	3.34	98 1/4	3.35	77 3/4	5.49	71 1/4	5.47	28 Nov.
Dec. 26	90 25/32	3.48	88 9/16	3.44	97 1/2	3.39	78 13/32	5.43	72 13/32	5.36	26 Dec.
1957—Jan. 30	92 9/16	3.26	91 9/16	3.18	99 1/4	3.29	83	4.86	77 5/8	4.84	30 Jan.—1957
Feb. 27	91 13/32	3.34	90 9/16	3.27	99 5/16	3.29	82 5/8	4.91	76 31/32	4.91	27 Feb.
Mar. 27	92 9/16	3.27	91 1/2	3.19	99 1/2	3.30	81 19/32	5.05	75 17/32	5.06	27 Mar.
Apr. 24	91 1/16	3.44	89 7/8	3.33	97 7/16	3.41	81 1/4	5.11	75	5.12	24 Apr.
May 29	89 1/2	3.62	88 7/16	3.47	96 1/8	3.48	79 5/16	5.38	72 25/32	5.36	29 May
June 26	87 1/2	3.89	86 3/8	3.66	93 7/8	3.61	78 1/32	5.45	70 9/16	5.60	26 June
July 31	87 1/2	3.87	86 13/16	3.63	93 1/4	3.66	79 9/16	5.38	70 3/4	5.59	31 July
Aug. 28	88 1/4	3.78	87 7/16	3.57	93	3.67	78 25/32	5.30	69 3/32	5.78	28 Aug.
Weekly											
1957—Mar. 13	91 13/16	3.35	90 7/8	3.24	99 11/16	3.27	82 21/32	4.92	76 27/32	4.93	13 Mar.—1957
20	92 3/8	3.29	91 3/16	3.22	99 1/2	3.28	81 5/32	5.09	75 3/32	5.10	20
27	92 9/16	3.27	91 1/2	3.19	99 1/8	3.30	81 15/32	5.05	75 15/32	5.06	27
Apr. 3	92 7/16	3.29	91 3/8	3.20	98 13/16	3.32	81 17/32	5.07	75 5/8	5.06	3 Apr.
10	92 1/8	3.32	91	3.24	98 11/16	3.33	81 9/32	5.10	75 1/2	5.07	10
17	91 1/8	3.43	89 7/8	3.33	98 3/8	3.36	80 19/32	5.19	74 3/8	5.18	17
24	91 1/16	3.44	89 7/8	3.33	97 5/16	3.41	81 1/4	5.11	75	5.12	24
May 1	91 1/8	3.44	89 13/16	3.34	96 5/8	3.45	81 3/4	5.06	75 5/16	5.09	1 May
8	90 15/16	3.46	89 7/8	3.34	97	3.42	82 7/16	4.97	75 5/16	5.09	8
15	90 3/8	3.51	89 1/4	3.39	96 15/16	3.43	80 7/8	5.17	73 21/32	5.26	15
22	90 1/2	3.50	89 1/2	3.37	96 15/16	3.43	79 15/16	5.29	72 19/32	5.38	22
29	89 1/2	3.62	88 7/16	3.47	96 1/8	3.48	79 5/16	5.38	72 25/32	5.36	29
June 5	89 1/8	3.67	88 1/4	3.49	96	3.49	78 19/32	5.48	71 11/32	5.52	5 June
12	88 13/16	3.70	88	3.51	95 1/2	3.52	77 29/32	5.57	70 29/32	5.56	12
19	87 1/16	3.91	86 1/4	3.67	93 5/8	3.63	78 11/32	5.52	71 11/32	5.52	19
26	87 1/4	3.89	86 3/8	3.66	93 7/8	3.61	78 1/32	5.45	70 9/16	5.60	26
July 3	87 3/4	3.84	87 3/16	3.59	94 9/16	3.57	78 3/32	5.56	70 1/2	5.62	3 July
10	87 3/4	3.84	87 1/4	3.58	94 3/8	3.59	77 23/32	5.61	70 1/2	5.62	10
17	87 5/8	3.85	87	3.61	94 3/16	3.60	77	5.71	69 1/4	5.76	17
24	86 15/16	3.93	86 5/16	3.66	93 5/16	3.65	78 5/8	5.49	70 5/16	5.64	24
31	87 1/2	3.87	86 13/16	3.63	93 1/4	3.66	79 3/16	5.38	70 3/4	5.59	31
Aug. 7	87 7/8	3.83	87 1/16	3.61	92 7/8	3.68	80 1/16	5.30	71 5/16	5.53	7 Aug.
14	87 1/2	3.87	86 15/16	3.64	92 7/16	3.71	79 3/4	5.36	70 5/8	5.63	14
21	88 1/16	3.81	87 3/8	3.57	93 5/16	3.65	78 15/16	5.46	69 15/16	5.78	21
28	88 1/4	3.78	87 7/16	3.57	93	3.67	78 29/32	5.46	69 3/32	5.78	28

3. On Jan. 1st, 1957 the amounts outstanding for the four Canadian bond issues were $1,692 million, $350 million, $100 million, and $400 million respectively; for the three United States bond issues, $2,824 million, $3,785 million, and $1,606 million respectively; and for the two United Kingdom bond issues £296 million and £1,073 million respectively.
4. Treasury Bill tender rates are at the date nearest the Wednesday shown. In Canada tenders are received on Thursday, in the United States on Monday, and in the United Kingdom on Friday.

SECURITY ISSUES AND RETIREMENTS★

Bank of Canada

Par Values in Millions of Canadian Dollars

Total Provincial, Municipal, Corporate & "Other" Securities

	Gross New Issues			Retirements			Net New Issues		
	Canadian Dollars Only	Other Currencies 2	Total	Canadian Dollars Only	Other Currencies 2	Total	Canadian Dollars Only	Other Currencies 2	**Total**
Calendar Years									
1953	1,129	354	1,483	385	58	443	744	296	**1,040**
1954	1,572	260	1,832	521	121	642	1,051	139	**1,190**
1955	1,877	96	1,973	642	120	762	1,235	−24	**1,211**
1956	2,143	551	2,694	403	56	459	1,740	495	**2,235**
Quarters									
1955—III	297	10	307	157	24	181	140	−14	**126**
IV	472	–	472	190	19	209	282	−19	**263**
1956—I	473	119	592	108	11	119	365	108	**473**
II	559	132	691	112	12	124	447	120	**567**
III	539	164	703	81	7	88	458	157	**615**
IV	572	136	708	102	26	128	470	110	**580**
1957—I	552	206	758	143	47	190	409	159	**568**
II	608	232	840	92	68	160	516	164	**680**

Municipal Direct and Guaranteed Securities 3

	Gross New Issues			Retirements			Net New Issues		
	Canadian Dollars Only	Other Currencies	Total	Canadian Dollars Only 4	Other Currencies	Total	Canadian Dollars Only	Other Currencies	**Total**
Calendar Years									
1953	221	72	293	86	17	103	135	55	**190**
1954	340	31	371	89	20	109	251	11	**262**
1955	291	42	333	101	22	123	190	20	**210**
1956	235	108	343	112	24	136	123	84	**207**
Quarters									
1955—III	51	–	51	26	3	29	25	−3	**22**
IV	102	–	102	26	10	36	76	−10	**66**
1956—I	38	5	43	27	3	30	11	2	**13**
II	98	32	130	28	4	32	70	28	**98**
III	32	59	91	28	2	30	4	57	**61**
IV	67	12	79	29	15	44	38	−3	**35**
1957—I	61	32	93	30	3	33	31	29	**60**
II	55	9	64	31	4	35	24	5	**29**

★ Figures for the last twelve months are preliminary and are subject to revision as additional information becomes available. Series include all publicly announced issues and some private placements not publicly announced. Figures include all serial issues, and other issues with an original term to maturity of more than one year. New issues are based on delivery rather than offering dates. Foreign currencies have been converted to Canadian dollars at market noon rates on the date of delivery. In the case of optional-pay issues the option most favourable to the lender has been taken.

Details of Government of Canada Direct and Guaranteed Securities are shown on pages 176–177.

1. Excludes payments into sinking funds.
2. Includes Canadian stock issues with dividends payable in U.S. dollars.
3. Excludes issues guaranteed by provinces which are already included in "Provincial Direct and Guaranteed". Also excludes issues sold directly to provinces which are estimated to be as follows:

NOTE: For calendar year 1952 and first half of 1955

	Gross New Issues	Retirements	Net New Issues
1952	23	2	21
1953	42	3	39
1954	39	4	35
1955	45	11	34
1956	57	9	48

Provincial Direct and Guaranteed Securities

	Gross New Issues			Retirements 1			Net New Issues		
	Canadian Dollars Only	Other Currencies	Total	Canadian Dollars Only	Other Currencies	Total	Canadian Dollars Only	Other Currencies	**Total**
Calendar Years									
1953	251	140	391	91	28	119	160	112	**272**
1954	380	116	496	133	69	202	247	47	**294**
1955	372	–	372	111	50	161	261	−50	**211**
1956	406	214	620	72	23	95	334	191	**525**
Monthly									
Aug.—1955	5	–	5	4	6	10	1	−6	**−5**
Sept.	61	–	61	25	8	33	36	−8	**28**
III	114	–	114	40	15	55	74	−15	**59**
Oct.	20	–	20	5	–	5	15	–	**15**
Nov.	–	–	–	4	1	5	−4	−1	**−5**
Dec.	3	–	3	7	2	9	−4	−2	**−6**
IV	23	–	23	16	3	19	7	−3	**4**
Jan.—1956	65	87	152	2	2	4	63	85	**148**
Feb.	–	5	5	2	2	4	−2	3	**1**
Mar.	14	–	14	7	–	7	7	–	**7**
I	79	92	171	11	4	15	68	88	**156**
Apr.	9	–	9	9	–	9	–	–	–
May	65	50	115	1	2	3	64	48	**112**
June	5	–	5	19	4	23	−14	−4	**−18**
II	79	50	129	29	6	35	50	44	**94**
July	80	39	119	10	1	11	70	38	**108**
Aug.	9	–	9	2	1	3	7	−1	**6**
Sept.	4	–	4	4	1	5	–	−1	**−1**
III	93	39	132	16	3	19	77	36	**113**
Oct.	73	–	73	3	–	3	70	–	**70**
Nov.	8	–	8	7	1	8	1	−1	–
Dec.	74	33	107	6	9	15	68	24	**92**
IV	155	33	188	16	10	26	139	23	**162**
Jan.—1957	36	15	51	7	3	10	29	12	**41**
Feb.	54	48	102	5	2	7	49	46	**95**
Mar.	30	–	30	66	–	66	−36	–	**−36**
	120	63	183	78	5	83	42	58	**100**
Apr.	125	2	127	1	2	3	124	–	**124**
May	5	43	48	5	6	11	–	37	**37**
June	5	–	5	4	55	59	1	−55	**−54**
II	135	45	180	10	63	73	125	−18	**107**
July	84	–	84	17	1	18	67	−1	**66**

Corporate and "Other" Securities 5

	Gross New Issues			Retirements			Net New Issues		
	Canadian Dollars Only	Other Currencies 2	Total	Canadian Dollars Only	Other Currencies 2	Total	Canadian Dollars Only	Other Currencies 2	**Total**
Calendar Years									
1953	657	142	799	208	13	221	449	129	**578**
1954	852	113	965	299	32	331	553	81	**634**
1955	1,214	54	1,268	430	48	478	784	6	**790**
1956	1,502	229	1,731	219	9	228	1,283	220	**1,503**
Quarters									
III—1955	132	10	142	91	6	97	41	4	**45**
IV	347	–	347	148	6	154	199	−6	**193**
I — 1956	356	22	378	70	4	74	286	18	**304**
II	382	50	432	55	2	57	327	48	**375**
III	414	66	480	37	2	39	377	64	**441**
IV	350	91	441	57	1	58	293	90	**383**
I — 1957	371	111	482	35	39	74	336	72	**408**
II	418	178	596	51	1	52	367	177	**544**

4. No information is available on retirements of Canadian dollar municipal bonds on a quarterly basis and annual estimates have been prorated over the four quarters.
5. For detail see table on page 254.

DATA SEE PAGES 56–57 IN THE "FINANCIAL SUPPLEMENT 1956".

CORPORATE AND "OTHER" SECURITY ISSUES AND RETIREMENTS★

Par Values in Millions of Canadian Dollars — *Bank of Canada*

	Corporate Bonds and Debentures[1]								
	Gross New Issues			Retirements			Net New Issues		
	Canadian Dollars Only	Other Currencies	Total	Canadian Dollars Only	Other Currencies	Total	Canadian Dollars Only	Other Currencies	Total
Calendar Years									
1953	393	114	507	148	13	161	245	101	**346**
1954	579	112	691	220	32	252	359	80	**439**
1955	676	9	685	331	45	376	345	−36	**309**
1956	808	229	1,037	197	9	206	611	220	**831**
Monthly									
1955—Aug.	25	8	33						
Sept.	33	–	33						
III	71	9	80	64	3	67	7	6	**13**
Oct.	109	–	109						
Nov.	38	–	38						
Dec.	61	–	61						
IV	208	–	208	111	6	117	97	−6	**91**
1956—Jan.	90	1	91						
Feb.	56	20	76						
Mar.	90	1	91						
I	236	22	258	65	4	69	171	18	**189**
Apr.	88	–	88						
May	54	17	71						
June	52	33	85						
II	194	50	244	49	2	51	145	48	**193**
July	64	39	103						
Aug.	24	–	24						
Sept.	90	27	117						
III	178	66	244	31	2	33	147	64	**211**
Oct.	56	5	61						
Nov.	76	57	133						
Dec.	68	29	97						
IV	200	91	291	53	1	54	147	90	**237**
1957—Jan.	49	35	84						
Feb.	140	68	208						
Mar.	83	8	91						
I	272	111	383	33	6	39	239	105	**344**
Apr.	153	148	301						
May	66	13	79						
June	67	17	84						
II	286	178	464	49	1	50	237	177	**414**
July	17	7	24						

	"Other" Bonds and Debentures[2]			Preferred Stocks			Common Stocks		
	Gross New Issues	Retirements	Net New Issues	Gross New Issues[3]	Retirements[4]	Net New Issues	Gross New Issues[3,5]	Retirements	Net New Issues
Calendar Years									
1953	3	7	**−4**	83	32	**51**	206	21	**185**
1954	35	12	**23**	92	66	**26**	147	1	**146**
1955	52	27	**25**	170	75	**95**	361	–	**361**
1956	13	9	**4**	184	12	**172**	497	–	**497**
Quarters									
1955—III	–	15	**−15**	4	15	**−11**	58	–	**58**
IV	16	4	**12**	72	33	**39**	51	–	**51**
1956—I	4	2	**2**	34	3	**31**	82	–	**82**
II	3	2	**1**	82	4	**78**	103	–	**103**
III	1	2	**−1**	34	4	**30**	201	–	**201**
IV	5	3	**2**	34	1	**33**	111	–	**111**
1957—I	9	2	**7**	19	33	**−14**	71	–	**71**
II	–	2	**−2**	14	–	**14**	118	–	**118**

★ Figures for the last twelve months are preliminary and are subject to revision as additional information becomes available. Series include all publicly announced issues and some private placements not publicly announced. Figures include all serial issues, and other issues with an original term to maturity of more than one year. New issues are based on delivery rather than offering dates. Foreign currencies have been converted to Canadian dollars at market noon rates on the date of delivery. In the case of optional-pay issues the option most favourable to the lender has been taken.

1. Includes issues of Canadian corporations (including CNR issues not guaranteed by the Government of Canada) payable in Canadian dollars or other currencies except in those few cases where issues are sold abroad in foreign currencies and the proceeds are used outside Canada. Also includes Canadian dollar issues of foreign corporations when the proceeds are used in Canada. No liabilities of trust and loan companies are included.
2. Consists of issues of Canadian religious and other institutions and Canadian dollar issues of Australia and I.B.R.D. New issues of Australia amounted to $15 million in 1955 and those of I.B.R.D. amounted to $15 million in 1952, $25 million in 1954, and $15 million in 1955 and retirements to $15 million in 1955. These are all Canadian dollar issues.
3. At offering prices.
4. Includes retirement of $3 million stock in third quarter 1955 and of $33 million stock in first quarter of 1957 having dividends payable in U.S. dollars.
5. Includes stock issues having dividends payable in U.S. dollars of $28 million in 1953, $1 million in 1954, $44 million in the first quarter of 1955 and $1 million in the second quarter of 1955.

NOTE: For calendar year 1952 and first half of 1955 data see page 58 in the "Financial Supplement 1956".

GOVERNMENT OF CANADA THEORETICAL BOND YIELDS[1]

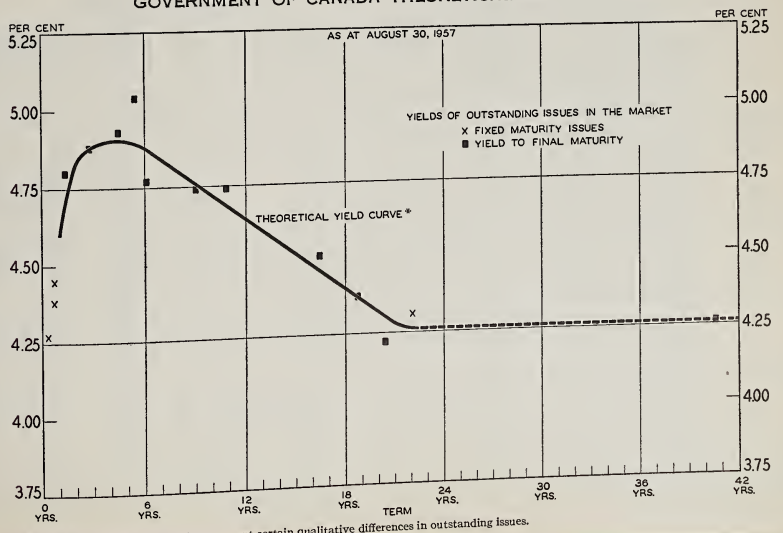
Percent per Annum — *Bank of Canada*

	1 Year	2 Years	3 Years	5 Years	10 Years	15 Years	20 Years	25 Years
1956—May 15	3.34	3.51	3.61	3.65	3.54	3.56	3.58	3.60
31	2.98	3.35	3.56	3.66	3.51	3.52	3.52	3.53
June 15	2.98	3.32	3.49	3.54	3.43	3.42	3.41	3.41
29	2.70	3.12	3.33	3.46	3.39	3.38	3.39	3.40
July 13	2.97	3.30	3.43	3.56	3.48	3.46	3.45	3.44
31	3.20	3.44	3.56	3.68	3.58	3.59	3.60	3.61
Aug. 15	3.69	3.93	3.97	3.95	3.78	3.76	3.75	3.74
31	3.57	3.86	3.89	3.88	3.78	3.77	3.76	3.76
Sept. 15	3.87	3.94	3.96	3.91	3.79	3.78	3.78	3.78
29	3.80	3.95	4.01	4.05	3.87	3.88	3.88	3.88
Oct. 15	3.82	3.97	4.03	4.05	3.86	3.85	3.84	3.84
31	4.03	4.12	4.17	4.19	3.94	3.90	3.87	3.85
Nov. 15	4.11	4.24	4.35	4.41	4.02	3.93	3.90	3.89
30	4.32	4.46	4.50	4.51	4.13	3.98	3.93	3.92
Dec. 14	4.32	4.48	4.51	4.51	4.08	3.97	3.95	3.94
31	4.41	4.56	4.60	4.60	4.10	4.01	4.00	3.99
1957—Jan. 15	4.62	4.84	4.84	4.67	4.23	4.13	4.10	4.08
31	4.74	4.80	4.81	4.79	4.28	4.18	4.16	4.13
Feb. 15	4.43	4.49	4.52	4.54	4.05	4.03	4.02	4.01
28	4.08	4.26	4.38	4.45	4.03	4.00	3.98	3.97
Mar. 15	4.07	4.21	4.29	4.35	4.05	4.01	3.97	3.95
29	4.18	4.29	4.37	4.41	4.13	4.06	3.99	3.95
Apr. 15	4.14	4.34	4.43	4.49	4.20	4.10	4.00	3.94
30	4.18	4.49	4.58	4.61	4.35	4.16	4.01	3.96
May 15	4.25	4.58	4.64	4.64	4.40	4.27	4.15	4.11
31	4.33	4.68	4.74	4.69	4.46	4.31	4.17	4.14
June 15	4.30	4.65	4.73	4.77	4.47	4.30	4.16	4.14
28	4.35	4.72	4.81	4.82	4.56	4.37	4.20	4.18
July 15	4.38	4.70	4.80	4.84	4.61	4.42	4.25	4.22
31	4.23	4.68	4.76	4.79	4.64	4.45	4.26	4.24
Aug. 15	4.77	4.90	4.95	4.95	4.81	4.56	4.30	4.27
30	4.60	4.84	4.89	4.90	4.72	4.52	4.32	4.26

1. Obtained as indicated by chart below.

NOTE: For 1952 data see page 38 in the "Financial Supplement 1955" and for 1953–1956 data see pages 42–43 in the "Financial Supplement 1956"

GOVERNMENT OF CANADA THEORETICAL BOND YIELDS



* Free-hand curve which takes into account certain qualitative differences in outstanding issues.

STOCK MARKET STATISTICS

Toronto, Montreal and Canadian Stock Exchanges; Dominion Bureau of Statistics

	Brokers' Loans 1 (Millions of Dollars)	Market Transactions 1		Index Numbers of Common Stock Prices 2 (1935–39 = 100)						
		Volume (Millions of Shares)	Value (Millions of Dollars)	Investors' Total	Industrials			Total Utilities	Golds	Base Metals
					Total	Pulp & Paper	Oils			
1955—June	97.0	195.8	436.0	237.1	244.4	1,044.7	163.6	202.9	75.9	226.0
July	108.3	148.0	355.0	246.5	252.8	1,069.8	169.2	208.9	75.0	241.8
Aug.	102.9	138.8	340.4	245.3	252.3	1,066.9	164.7	207.0	76.3	250.0
Sept.	98.8	144.3	333.6	255.9	265.9	1,098.2	174.1	211.2	75.3	252.0
Oct.	102.2	104.8	287.4	239.9	248.9	1,044.9	164.1	200.6	71.0	224.2
Nov.	107.6	94.0	264.5	245.6	255.3	1,062.5	168.8	201.4	71.2	230.2
Dec.	120.3	101.0	256.9	247.6	257.0	1,073.3	170.8	204.2	72.6	233.0
1956—Jan.	121.5	139.3	247.1	248.5	257.0	1,070.0	175.5	206.5	75.8	238.1
Feb.	123.2	219.1	304.4	249.2	258.1	1,077.3	182.6	204.1	76.7	235.8
Mar.	117.1	212.9	439.3	267.9	280.3	1,153.0	205.2	210.2	79.4	260.2
Apr.	131.3	258.1	479.6	273.0	286.2	1,123.9	210.0	209.3	78.8	269.7
May	129.6	148.1	399.6	268.5	282.9	1,192.5	211.7	204.2	78.8	268.5
June	133.4	103.3	259.4	267.0	283.0	1,146.0	219.4	199.8	76.7	273.1
July	139.3	104.6	309.0	282.4	299.0	1,185.8	234.9	207.9	79.5	291.5
Aug.	136.1	106.0	324.3	291.8	308.9	1,175.3	250.1	215.7	79.5	301.9
Sept.	123.7	81.6	213.3	278.9	294.4	1,077.2	243.7	209.2	74.1	282.2
Oct.	118.3	94.0	239.7	270.3	284.8	1,024.9	236.2	205.1	72.5	273.3
Nov.	103.6	80.4	255.4	262.3	276.0	994.2	239.2	200.3	68.6	262.2
Dec.	102.2	78.4	199.0	267.8	281.7	998.9	244.8	203.6	68.9	267.8
1957—Jan.	97.3	136.8	275.0	273.7	287.3	1,005.3	251.6	207.5	70.6	265.7
Feb.	100.7	108.3	200.3	263.2	276.0	946.4	244.8	203.6	69.3	243.2
Mar.	95.5	128.7	242.3	267.5	281.0	966.4	246.2	209.2	68.1	249.6
Apr.	114.0	124.6	310.9	278.8	294.2	997.0	262.9	212.5	72.4	255.4
May	109.6	117.5	324.4	287.6	304.8	996.4	278.8	216.1	76.2	234.2
June	115.1	100.7	280.6	286.9	303.5	998.9	275.6	216.8	80.6	227.7
July	119.5	76.9	247.2	284.7	301.6	991.9	274.2	213.8	79.3	222.2
Aug.*		70.0		259.0	272.4	915.9	245.9	200.6	73.2	192.6

1. Toronto, Montreal and Canadian Stock Exchanges. Brokers' loan data are for the last business day of the month and include borrowings from chartered banks, trust companies and other sources. Customers' free credit balances are not included. 2. Calculated by the Dominion Bureau of Statistics from Montreal and Toronto exchange quotations. Monthly series is an average of Thursday closing prices during the month. * Preliminary.

NOTE: For data back to 1953 see page 55 in the "Financial Supplement 1956".

PRICE INDEXES

"Prices and Price Indexes", Dominion Bureau of Statistics

WHOLESALE PRICES

	General			Construction	Farm 1		Consumer Prices 2					
	Total Index (Mid-Month)	Raw and Partly Manufactured	Fully & Chiefly Manufactured	Non-Residential Building Materials	Grains	Livestock	Total Index	Food	Shelter	Clothing	Household Operation	Other Commodities & Services
	1935–39 = 100			1949 = 100	1935–39 = 100		100	32	15	11	17	25
							1949 = 100					
Average of Mths. 1951	240.2	237.9	242.4	118.6	217.3	407.8	113.7	117.0	114.4	109.8	113.1	111.5
1952	226.0	218.7	230.7	123.2	206.2	316.4	116.5	116.8	120.2	111.8	116.2	116.0
1953	220.7	207.0	228.8	124.4	201.0	288.1	115.5	112.6	123.6	110.1	117.0	115.8
1954	217.0	204.8	224.2	121.8	187.2	283.3	116.2	112.2	126.5	109.4	117.4	117.4
1955	218.9	209.7	224.5	123.4	188.0	263.2	116.4	112.1	129.4	108.0	116.4	118.1
1956	225.6	215.8	231.5	128.0	188.4	265.6	118.1	113.4	132.5	108.6	117.1	120.9
Monthly 1956—Mar.	223.3	214.7	228.4	127.0	190.5	240.4	116.4	109.1	131.6	108.7	116.8	119.9
Apr.	224.6	216.3	229.5	127.1	191.5	241.5	116.6	109.7	131.9	108.7	116.6	120.1
May	225.4	217.3	230.3	127.2	192.0	252.3	116.6	109.3	132.1	108.8	116.5	120.5
June	226.5	219.2	231.3	127.5	190.8	272.8	117.8	112.5	132.6	108.6	116.7	120.6
July	226.6	219.0	231.6	127.2	188.4	278.4	118.5	114.4	132.7	108.6	116.7	121.1
Aug.	227.0	217.0	233.2	129.4	188.9	280.8	119.1	115.9	133.0	108.4	116.8	121.3
Sept.	227.4	216.2	234.4	129.2	188.8	284.2	119.0	115.5	133.1	108.4	117.1	121.4
Oct.	227.0	214.3	234.7	129.8	187.6	277.3	119.8	117.4	133.3	108.5	117.7	121.6
Nov.	226.6	213.3	234.6	129.5	185.9	281.0	120.3	117.9	133.4	108.4	118.1	122.8
Dec.	228.0	216.4	235.1	129.7	184.9	284.3	120.4	117.5	133.5	108.6	118.6	122.9
1957—Jan.	229.4	217.8	236.5	130.0	184.6	287.7	120.3	117.1	133.6	107.6	119.0	123.1
Feb.	228.4	214.9	236.8	130.1	182.3	287.6	120.5	117.2	133.8	107.4	119.1	123.8
Mar.	228.4	212.5	237.8	130.1	180.3	278.3	120.5	116.4	134.0	108.2	119.5	124.2
Apr.	228.4	211.7	238.3	130.1	178.5	281.8	120.9	116.7	134.0	108.5	119.4	125.1
May	228.0	209.6	238.8	130.2	174.5	283.5	121.1	116.7	134.2	108.5	119.2	126.3
June	228.0	209.8	238.8	129.5	171.9	292.9	121.6	117.7	134.8	108.4	119.1	126.5
July	228.2	209.1	239.5	132.0	170.6	300.3	121.9	118.2	135.1	108.4	119.6	126.5
Aug.							122.6	120.2	135.3	108.2	119.7	126.9

1. Two sub-groups of the General Wholesale Price Index.
2. Components were selected and weighted on the basis of 1948 urban family incomes ranging from $1,650 to $4,050 with incomes between $2,000 and $3,000 most common.

NOTE: For 1952 data see page 86 in the "Financial Supplement 1955" and for 1953–1956 see page 117 in the "Financial Supplement 1956".

CANADIAN INVESTMENT TRANSACTIONS OF TWELVE LIFE INSURANCE COMPANIES[1]

Millions of Dollars

Net Investment in:—		Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	Apr.	May	June	July	7 Month Total*	Aug.	Sept.	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.	Annual Total*
Govt. of Canada Bonds 2	1954	−6.2	8.0	−14.6	−10.6	−30.0	−1.1	−11.4	−65.8	−0.6	−10.4	7.6	−12.3	−15.2	−96.7
	1955	7.4	−2.6	−11.4	15.8	−10.4	−15.1	−8.4	−24.6	1.3	3.8	5.0	−2.7	−22.2	−39.4
	1956	−10.7	−11.4	−17.9	−26.7	−9.1	−24.7	−21.5	−121.9	−7.6	5.3	−6.3	−6.3	−11.1	−147.8
	1957	−10.1	3.2	−5.2	−11.7	−1.3	1.3	1.1	−22.7						
Provincial Bonds 2	1954	2.7	3.7	4.1	1.1	18.3	−2.5	2.9	30.3	−6.4	−3.8	1.2	−4.0	−2.2	15.1
	1955	−4.6	−2.0	16.2	−1.1	−0.6	−1.0	2.4	9.3	−7.9	−1.2	−0.9	−1.6	−0.3	−2.7
	1956	13.6	0.1	−8.5	0.4	12.0	−5.4	5.9	18.1	−3.6	−1.6	3.9	−1.2	2.1	17.7
	1957	1.7	4.5	0.3	13.0	−9.5	−8.6	1.1	2.4						
Municipal Bonds 2	1954	0.3	0.9	3.0	2.9	1.1	0.9	3.1	12.2	1.2	1.3	1.1	0.6	0.4	16.8
	1955	2.6	2.1	0.9	−1.4	1.0	2.4	−0.7	6.9	3.2	0.7	1.4	2.1	8.1	22.6
	1956	1.7	3.7	0.7	2.8	1.9	9.7	3.1	23.6	0.7	−0.3	1.4	1.3	1.5	28.2
	1957	2.8	4.3	1.8	−0.2	−1.7	0.1	−1.0	6.1						
Corporate & Other Bonds	1954	9.4	5.8	18.7	17.3	3.6	7.9	6.1	68.8	0.2	10.8	−4.7	15.9	1.6	92.5
	1955	1.3	−2.3	8.0	−6.3	23.0	8.6	−1.1	31.3	−4.2	−8.8	−2.2	7.6	11.0	34.7
	1956	31.2	17.2	30.9	21.2	2.3	6.9	−1.7	108.0	8.1	−5.9	3.4	2.6	12.4	128.4
	1957	15.0	7.9	7.7	19.7	3.0	1.8	4.1	59.1						
Pref. & Com. Stocks	1954	−0.5	−0.5	−0.5	−0.4	−0.3	−0.1	−0.6	−2.9	−0.7	−1.1	0.4	0.2	0.9	−3.2
	1955	0.3	0.3	0.4	0.5	−0.2	−1.5	−1.5	−1.8	−0.6	−0.5	−0.5	0.2	4.3	1.1
	1956	0.1	0.5	–	0.1	0.2	1.3	0.7	2.7	−1.0	–	−0.3	−0.2	0.2	1.3
	1957	−0.2	0.7	0.9	0.7	0.1	−0.9	−1.1	0.3						
Mortgage Loans (Gross) 3	1954	22.2	19.0	22.0	21.3	24.8	29.4	32.6	171.3	34.4	38.7	33.0	42.2	37.5	357.1
	1955	33.8	26.8	28.0	23.8	33.7	38.3	45.5	229.8	44.0	46.8	41.0	40.4	39.3	441.3
	1956	35.9	27.6	27.5	27.4	34.5	46.6	45.7	245.2	50.7	45.1	52.5	45.0	40.2	478.6
	1957	37.5	25.6	25.6	24.1	33.8	39.9	48.0	234.6						
Real Estate 4	1954	1.0	1.2	0.8	1.8	2.0	3.4	3.0	13.2	1.7	2.6	2.5	2.5	4.7	27.1
	1955	0.7	4.6	5.0	1.2	1.9	1.9	2.6	17.8	3.7	0.9	0.1	2.0	0.4	24.8
	1956	2.5	0.4	1.9	0.5	6.5	0.9	1.1	13.7	1.2	1.5	1.5	1.0	5.1	24.0
	1957	1.2	1.2	1.6	1.8	8.1	4.2	2.0	20.0						
Policy Loans	1954	1.0	0.8	1.2	1.3	1.2	1.3	1.0	7.8	0.9	1.1	1.0	0.7	0.6	12.1
	1955	0.8	0.6	1.0	0.9	0.8	0.9	0.7	5.7	0.5	0.7	0.6	0.3	0.3	8.1
	1956	0.8	0.9	1.0	1.2	2.0	2.2	1.5	9.6	1.6	1.7	1.8	1.3	0.5	16.5
	1957	1.7	1.9	1.9	2.1	2.0	1.6	1.4	12.5						
Total 5	1954	29.9	38.9	34.7	34.7	20.7	39.2	36.7	234.9	30.7	39.2	42.1	45.8	28.3	420.8
	1955	42.3	27.5	48.1	33.4	49.2	34.5	39.5	274.3	40.0	42.4	44.5	48.3	40.9	490.5
	1956	75.1	39.0	35.6	26.9	50.3	37.5	34.8	299.0	50.1	45.8	57.9	43.5	50.9	546.9
	1957	49.6	49.2	34.7	49.5	34.5	39.4	55.6	312.3						
Net Source of Funds:—															
Mortgage Repayments (Gross) 3	1954	11.3	10.3	11.8	10.4	11.7	10.8	12.1	78.3	11.5	12.1	12.1	12.7	10.1	136.7
	1955	14.2	11.0	13.1	11.7	14.1	13.6	13.0	90.7	13.5	13.2	14.3	14.4	12.4	158.5
	1956	15.6	12.5	13.2	14.4	17.2	15.3	17.2	105.5	15.0	14.1	22.6	14.9	13.5	185.6
	1957	16.0	12.9	14.1	14.9	15.8	14.7	19.0	107.3						
Funds Transferred From Abroad	1954	−2.5	–	2.6	−0.7	2.1	2.4	3.2	7.1	2.3	2.6	3.9	2.6	4.4	22.8
	1955	1.6	0.1	3.4	−0.1	4.0	1.6	4.8	15.4	1.4	0.4	6.6	−1.1	12.7	35.5
	1956	17.0	7.2	3.3	−8.5	5.8	2.0	3.0	29.7	9.2	8.1	19.4	7.3	8.9	82.5
	1957	2.3	6.0	4.3	4.3	−0.2	3.2	7.7	27.5						
Funds From Canadian Insurance Operations★	1954	21.1	28.6	20.3	25.0	6.9	26.0	21.4	149.5	16.9	24.5	26.1	30.5	13.8	261.3
	1955	26.5	16.4	31.6	21.8	31.1	19.3	21.7	168.2	25.1	28.8	23.6	35.0	15.8	296.5
	1956	42.5	19.3	19.1	21.0	27.3	20.2	14.6	163.8	25.9	23.6	15.9	21.3	28.5	278.8
	1957	31.3	30.3	16.3	30.3	18.9	21.5	28.9	177.5						

1. Data are based on cash transactions affecting ledger assets and taking place in Canadian dollars, by 12 companies whose net premium income in Canada in 1956 was 77.6% of the total for all companies registered under the federal Insurance Acts. Total Canadian assets of these 12 companies at December 31, 1950 to 1956 are shown on page 87. 2. Includes guaranteed bonds. 3. Includes sale agreements. 4. Includes real estate for the production of income. 5. Includes gross mortgage loans. * Figures rounded to the nearest $100,000. Due to rounding, totals may not equal the sum of the monthly components. ★ Balancing item in the table, representing mainly Canadian dollars available from insurance operations *plus* any reduction or *minus* any increase in Canadian dollar cash balances.

NOTE: For 1952 data see page 56 in the "Financial Supplement 1955" and for 1953–1956 data see page 63 in the "Financial Supplement 1956".

FOREIGN EXCHANGE RATES[1]

Bank of Canada

Canadian cents per unit

Business Days	U.S. Dollar					£ Sterling				
	Spot Rates			Average Noon Rates[2]		Spot Rates			Average Noon Rates[2]	
	High	Low	Close	Spot	90-Day Forward Rate[2]	High	Low	Close	Spot	90-Day Forward Rate[2]
1951	107 5/16	101 3/16	101 3/16	105.28	104.92	300 1/2	281 3/8	281 3/8	294.68	294.71
1952	101 1/8	95 7/8	97 1/32	97.89	98.09	281 1/4	266 3/4	272 9/16	273.40	272.26
1953	99 25/32	96 3/4	97 3/8	98.34	98.66	280 15/16	272 3/8	273 5/8	276.66	277.02
1954	98 3/4	96 11/32	96 19/32	97.32	97.65	278 5/16	269	269	273.39	274.19
1955	100 1/16	96 15/32	99 29/32	98.63	98.62	280 7/16	268 3/4	280 3/32	275.35	274.23
1956	99 31/32	95 21/32	95 31/32	98.41	98.64	280 11/16	266 3/16	267 7/16	275.16	274.13
1956—June	99 1/16	98	98 3/32	98.53	98.75	277 5/8	274	274 15/32	276.16	275.25
July	98 13/32	97 27/32	98 5/32	98.18	98.45	275 3/32	273 3/16	273 1/4	274.30	273.51
Aug.	98 7/16	97 27/32	98 3/32	98.12	98.38	273 15/16	272 1/2	272 23/32	273.11	272.39
Sept.	98 1/16	97 7/16	97 15/32	97.77	98.10	272 7/8	271 3/16	271 1/4	272.14	271.43
Oct.	97 5/8	96 21/32	97 1/4	97.32	97.69	271 7/8	268 31/32	270 5/8	271.06	270.54
Nov.	97 3/16	95 21/32	96 1/8	96.44	96.81	270 7/16	266 3/16	267 7/16	268.36	267.56
Dec.	96 15/32	95 25/32	95 31/32	96.05	96.66	268 5/8	266 13/16	267 7/16	267.54	266.62
1957—Jan.	96 11/32	95 27/32	95 7/8	96.07	96.57	269 1/4	267 11/16	268 1/4	268.63	268.65
Feb.	95 15/16	95 3/4	95 3/4	95.83	96.24	268 1/2	267 13/16	267 13/16	268.21	268.39
Mar.	95 13/16	95 1/2	95 21/32	95.61	96.06	267 27/32	266 1/2	266 21/32	267.10	267.47
Apr.	96 7/32	95 11/16	95 25/32	95.97	96.21	268 13/32	266 5/8	267 13/32	267.71	267.58
May	95 23/32	95 5/16	95 17/32	95.56	95.84	267 17/32	266 1/8	266 1/2	266.76	266.59
June	95 1/2	95 7/32	95 11/32	95.32	95.66	266 1/2	265 19/32	266 3/32	266.02	266.07
July	95 5/16	94 25/32	94 13/16	95.09	95.34	266 1/8	263 31/32	264 3/32	265.12	264.85
Aug.	95 3/8	94 7/32	95 3/16	94.80	95.21	265 13/32	262 11/32	264 27/32	263.83	262.95

1. Rates are as reported on transactions between banks in the exchange market. 2. The 90-day forward rates are the averages of approximate rates at noon. Noon rates prior to May 6, 1954 are not available and closing rates have been used.

NOTE: For 1939–1952 data see page 59 in the "Financial Supplement 1954" and for 1953–1956 data see page 65 in the "Financial Supplement 1956".

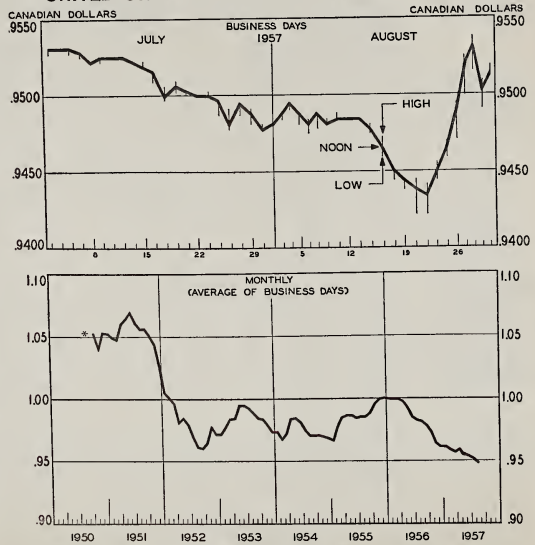
OFFICIAL HOLDINGS OF GOLD AND U.S. DOLLARS[1]

$ mm. U.S. *Dept. of Finance*

End of Period	Gold	U.S. Dollars	Total
1951	841.7	936.9	**1,778.6**
1952	885.0	975.2	**1,860.2**
1953	986.1	832.4	**1,818.5**
1954	1,072.7	869.9	**1,942.6**
1955	1,133.9	766.9	**1,900.8**
1956	1,103.3	832.9	**1,936.2**
1956—Jan.	1,129.5	749.4	**1,878.9**
Feb.	1,122.2	755.5	**1,877.7**
Mar.	1,120.1	751.3	**1,871.4**
Apr.	1,106.1	759.0	**1,865.1**
May	1,100.4	785.0	**1,885.4**
June	1,100.6	798.9	**1,899.5**
July	1,104.8	788.5	**1,893.3**
Aug.	1,105.9	777.8	**1,883.7**
Sept.	1,105.5	798.0	**1,903.5**
Oct.	1,109.8	803.2	**1,913.0**
Nov.	1,114.2	818.4	**1,932.6**
Dec.	1,103.3	832.9	**1,936.2**
1957—Jan.	1,105.9	824.7	**1,930.6**
Feb.	1,101.5	818.2	**1,919.7**
Mar.	1,101.2	822.4	**1,923.6**
Apr.	1,105.7	796.1	**1,901.8**
May	1,109.0	823.6	**1,932.6**
June	1,102.8	839.0	**1,941.8**
July	1,104.6	868.4	**1,973.0**
Aug.	1,104.7	838.2	**1,942.9**

1. Gold, U.S. dollars and short-term securities of the U.S. Gov't. held by the Exchange Fund Account, other Gov't. accounts, and the net holdings of the Bank of Canada.

UNITED STATES DOLLAR IN CANADIAN FUNDS



* Official rates were withdrawn on September 30 and the exchange market re-opened on October 2.

NOTE: For 1945–1954 data see pages 60–61 in the "Financial Supplement 1954". For data on an expanded series back to September 1950 see pages 52–53 and for 1951–1956 see pages 66–67 in the "Financial Supplements" 1955 and 1956 respectively.

LABOUR FORCE STATUS OF THE POPULATION[1]

Thousands of Persons *"The Labour Force", Dominion Bureau of Statistics; Department of National Defence*

Survey Week Ending	Persons With Jobs				Without Jobs and Seeking Work[3]		Total Civilian Labour Force	Civilian Non-Institutional Population (14 years of age and over)	Armed Forces	Civilian Labour Force Participation Ratio[4]		
	Agriculture	Non-Agricultural Industries	Total	*Of Which On Temporary Lay-off and Short-time*[2]	Thousands	Percentage of Labour Force				Total	Male	Female
1955—Nov. 19	728	4,691	5,419	*54*	162	2.9	5,581	10,602	117	52.6	81.2	24.3
Dec. 10	713	4,675	5,388	*67*	200	3.6	5,588	10,610	117	52.7	81.0	24.6
1956—Jan. 21	688	4,543	5,231	*74*	286	5.2	5,517	10,626	116	51.9	80.2	23.9
Feb. 18	678	4,538	5,216	*73*	308	5.6	5,524	10,635	117	51.9	80.3	23.9
Mar. 24	679	4,562	5,241	*66*	295	5.3	5,536	10,646	117	52.0	80.1	24.1
Apr. 21	764	4,562	5,326	*51*	257	4.6	5,583	10,663	117	52.4	80.7	24.3
May 19	817	4,682	5,499	*37*	165	2.9	5,664	10,680	116	53.0	81.9	24.4
June 23	804	4,843	5,647	*35*	117	2.0	5,764	10,699	116	53.9	83.1	24.9
July 21	897	4,892	5,789	*33*	102	1.7	5,891	10,714	116	55.0	85.3	25.0
Aug. 18	946	4,877	5,823	*36*	103	1.7	5,926	10,733	116	55.2	85.5	25.2
Sept. 22	841	4,835	5,676	*45*	97	1.7	5,773	10,752	117	53.7	82.7	25.0
Oct. 20	794	4,880	5,674	*39*	98	1.7	5,772	10,771	117	53.6	82.3	25.2
Nov. 17	693	4,937	5,630	*47*	135	2.3	5,765	10,791	117	53.4	81.7	25.5
Dec. 15	680	4,875	5,555	*59*	186	3.2	5,741	10,815	117	53.1	81.0	25.5
1957—Jan. 19	671	4,722	5,393	*74*	303	5.3	5,696	10,842	117	52.5	80.4	25.0
Feb. 16	654	4,708	5,362	*80*	323	5.7	5,685	10,861	117	52.3	80.4	24.6
Mar. 16	671	4,702	5,373	*87*	343	6.0	5,716	10,884	117	52.5	80.5	24.9
Apr. 20	706	4,736	5,442	*71*	306	5.3	5,748	10,926	117	52.6	80.7	24.9
May 18	773	4,914	5,687	*57*	194	3.3	5,881	10,968	116	53.6	82.1	25.5
June 22	774	5,060	5,834	*55*	162	2.7	5,996	11,012	116	54.4	83.2	26.0
July 20	880	5,069	5,949	*62*	163	2.7	6,112	11,043	117	55.3	85.4	25.6

1. The estimates are based on a sample of about 30,000 households and are therefore subject to sampling error which is relatively larger the smaller the estimate. Data not seasonally adjusted.
2. Includes those laid off for part of the week or on lay-off during the entire week, with definite instructions to return to their jobs within 30 days of the date on which lay-off began, provided they did not look for work during the survey week.
3. Includes persons who, though having jobs, did not work during the entire week and looked for work or would have looked for work only they were temporarily ill, on indefinite or prolonged lay-off or believed no work was available.
4. Civilian labour force as a percentage of civilian non-institutional population 14 years of age and over.

NOTE: For 1945–1952 data see pages 84–85 in the "Financial Supplement 1955". For 1952–1956 data and for years 1921–1952 see pages 114–115 in the "Financial Supplement 1956".

EMPLOYMENT AND LABOUR INCOME

"Employment and Payrolls", "Man-Hours and Hourly Earnings" and "Estimates of Labour Income", Dominion Bureau of Statistics

	Employment Indexes[1,2]		Average Hours Worked[1,3]		Average Hourly Earnings[1,3,4]		Monthly Labour Income[4]			
	Manufacturing	Mining	Manufacturing	Mining	Manufacturing	Mining	Total[5]	Manufacturing	Construction	All Other[6]
	Index 1949 = 100		*Hours per week*		*Cents*		*Millions of Dollars*			
Monthly Average										
1951	108.0	110.6	41.8	43.1	116.8	133.4	810	272	52	486
1952	109.3	116.8	41.5	42.7	129.2	147.1	906	303	63	540
1953	113.3	111.7	41.3	42.7	135.8	153.8	976	329	70	577
1954	107.7	109.8	40.6	42.6	140.8	157.3	1,000	323	69	608
1955	109.3	113.4	41.0	43.2	144.5	161.1	1,068	342	78	648
1956	115.4	122.0	41.1	42.9	151.5	171.4	1,190	379	93	718
1956—Feb.	110.2	114.4	41.2	43.8	147.3	166.2	1,090	358	69	663
Mar.	112.3	115.9	41.3	44.0	148.5	166.8	1,094	365	70	659
Apr.	113.4	117.3	41.1	42.6	150.5	168.5	1,126	371	79	676
May	114.1	116.9	41.4	42.7	151.1	169.0	1,169	377	92	700
June	115.4	123.0	40.9	42.8	151.9	170.5	1,215	381	105	729
July	118.0	126.1	41.2	42.4	152.7	172.0	1,223	382	105	736
Aug.	117.9	128.2	40.8	42.6	152.4	172.7	1,236	382	108	746
Sept.	118.0	128.6	41.1	42.7	152.1	173.8	1,268	392	110	766
Oct.	118.6	126.5	41.5	43.6	153.3	176.2	1,273	394	114	765
Nov.	118.6	126.9	41.6	42.5	154.7	177.3	1,265	397	101	767
Dec.	118.0	125.4	41.5	43.1	155.5	179.0	1,248	397	90	761
1957—Jan.	114.8	122.7	37.9	40.7	158.0	181.6	1,197	384	76	737
Feb.	115.1	124.1	40.9	42.9	157.5	181.6	1,205	389	74	742
Mar.	115.0	124.7	40.9	43.1	157.6	182.7	1,205	393	73	739
Apr.	115.4	123.4†	41.1	42.3	158.7	184.3	1,218†	393†	83†	742†
May	115.8	120.8	40.6	41.7	160.0	186.2	1,270†	397†	97†	776†
June	116.7	126.3	40.5	42.3	160.7	185.2	1,325*	404*	113*	808*
July*	118.3		40.6	42.8	161.0	187.0				

1. As reported by employers usually having 15 or more employees. Dated first of month and covering the last pay period in the previous month.
2. Coverage, including salaried and part time workers at June 1, 1957, was Manufacturing, 1,215,756; Mining, 112,361.
3. Include hourly rated wage earners only.
4. Gross earnings before deductions for taxes, unemployment insurance, etc.
5. Wages and salaries and includes bonuses and commissions, food, clothing, shelter and contributions to insurance, pensions, etc. provided by employer.
6. Includes all supplementary labour income. † Revised. * Preliminary.

NOTE: For 1952 data see page 83 in the "Financial Supplement 1955" and for 1953–1956 data see page 113 in the "Financial Supplement 1956".

SELECTED PETROLEUM STATISTICS

Compiled from Dominion Bureau of Statistics' publications except where otherwise noted.

SUMMARY OF CANADIAN STATISTICS

	Western Canada: Producing Wells at Beginning of Year	Western Canada: Wells Drilled During Year: Productive	Western Canada: Wells Drilled During Year: Dry	Proven Reserves at Year End[1]: Natural Gas Liquids	Proven Reserves at Year End[1]: Crude Oil	Crude Oil[2]: Total Canadian Production	Crude Oil[2]: Ratio of Canadian Production to: World Production	Crude Oil[2]: Ratio of Canadian Production to: Proven Reserves at year-end	Crude Oil[2]: Ratio of Canadian Production to: Domestic Consumption[2]	
	Number	Number	No.	Millions of barrels			%	%	%	
1947	593	130	25	150		7	0.2	4.8	7.4	1947
1951	2,099	923	302	11	1,365	48	1.1	3.5	31.1	1951
1952	2,846	1,118	475	65	1,680	61	1.4	3.6	35.7	1952
1953	3,821	1,886	666	198	1,845	81	1.7	4.4	43.0	1953
1954	5,211	1,278	656	208	2,208	96	1.9	4.3	47.0	1954
1955	6,286	2,073	630	247	2,510	129	2.3	5.1	55.0	1955
1956	8,138	2,200**	*	280	2,849	172	2.8	6.0	65.3	1956

1. 1947, Industry sources; 1951–1956, Canadian Petroleum Association. 2. See "Final Disposition of Oil in Canada". 3. Capacity at year end. 4. Motor vehicle registrations. 5. 1947, C.N.R. and C.P.R. only. * Not available. ** Estimated.

	Refining Industry: Crude Oil Throughput Capacity[3]: Quebec & Maritimes	Ontario	Prairies & N.W.T.	British Columbia	Total Canada	Total Actual Crude Throughput	Selected Users of Petroleum Products: Motor Vehicles[4]	Oil Using Locomotives[5]	Oil Heated Households	
	Thousands of barrels; daily rate						Thousands	Number	Thousands	
1947	107	88	45	22	262	210	1,836	352	388	1947
1951	182	79	121	29	411	349	2,878	1,129	774	1951
1952	186	104	135	29	454	379	3,157	1,354	944	1952
1953	198	119	146	46	509	423	3,432	1,623	1,260	1953
1954	198	146	161	57	562	475	3,645	1,867	1,417	1954
1955	238**	149**	178**	59**	624**	537	3,943	2,159	1,656	1955
1956	285**	163**	185**	67**	700**	631	4,255	*	1,843	1956

CANADIAN CRUDE OIL PRODUCTION BY PROVINCES[1]

Thousands of barrels; daily rate

	British Columbia	Northwest Territories	Alberta	Saskatchewan	Manitoba	Western Canada	Eastern Canada[2]	Total	
1947	–	1	18	1	–	**20**	‡	**20**	1947
1951	–	1	125	3	‡	**129**	1	**130**	1951
1952	–	1	161	5	‡	**166**	1	**167**	1952
1953	–	1	210	8	2	**221**	1	**222**	1953
1954	–	1	240	15	6	**262**	1	**263**	1954
1955	‡	1	310	31	11	**354**	1	**355**	1955
1956	‡	1	393	58	16	**468**	2	**470**	1956

1. Excludes natural gas liquids. 2. Ontario and New Brunswick. ‡ Less than 500 barrels.

SOURCE OF CANADIAN REQUIREMENTS

Thousands of barrels; daily rate

Domestic Production: Crude Oil	Natural Gas Liquids	Other Materials Used[1]	Imports: Crude Oil[2]: U.S.A.	Venezuela	Other	Total	Products	Inventory Change: Crude Oil	Products	Total Supply	
20	1	9	107	76	8	191	55	−2	+8	**270**	1947
130	2	7	58	124	46	228	78	+6	+17	**422**	1951
167	3	6	55	139	31	225	88	+10	+5	**474**	1952
222	3	8	39	159	25	223	90	+15	+11	**520**	1953
263	4	6	21	163	26	210	93	+1	+7	**568**	1954
355	6	6	21	187	31	239	103	+15	−1	**694**	1955
470	6	7	15	213	64	292	99	+13	+19	**842**	1956

1. Includes imported natural gas liquids. 2. Received by Canadian refineries.

MARKET OUTLETS FOR WESTERN CANADIAN OIL[1]

Thousands of barrels; daily rate

	Canadian Refineries: B.C.	Alberta[2]	Sask.	Man.	Ont.	Maritimes & Que.	Total	U.S.A.	Added to Field and Pipeline Inventories	Total	
1947	–	15	2	2	–	–	19	–	1	**20**	1947
1951	–	47	31	13	37	–	128	1	–	**129**	1951
1952	1	55	34	17	53	–	160	3	3	**166**	1952
1953	7	60	43	17	62	–	189	6	26	**221**	1953
1954	36	56	47	19	96	–	254	7	1	**262**	1954
1955	49	63	51	21	104	–	288	46	20	**354**	1955
1956	58	69	53	28	133	1	342	116	10	**468**	1956

1. Excludes Ontario and New Brunswick production; also excludes natural gas liquids. 2. Includes N.W.T.

FINAL DISPOSITION OF OIL IN CANADA

Thousands of barrels; daily rate

Domestic Consumption: Aviation & Motor Gasoline[1]	Middle Distillates[2]	Heavy Fuel Oils[3]	Other Products	Refinery Fuel and Losses	Total	Exports[4]: Crude Oil	Products	Total Demand	
105	120		21	21	**267**	–	3	**270**	1947
160	102	95	34	29	**420**	1	1	**422**	1951
181	121	98	37	31	**468**	3	3	**474**	1952
196	138	107	39	33	**513**	6	1	**520**	1953
202	166	109	46	36	**559**	7	2	**568**	1954
224	205	122	56	38	**645**	46	3	**694**	1955
242	234	138	60	40	**719**	116	7	**842**	1956

1. Includes naptha specialties. 2. Includes tractor distillate, aviation turbine fuel, kerosene, stove oil, diesel fuel, furnace oil and other light fuel oils (nos. 1, 2, 3). 3. Includes heavy fuel oils (nos. 4, 5, 6) and bunker fuel. 4. Includes shipments to Newfoundland in 1947.

WORLD CRUDE OIL PRODUCTION

U.S. Bureau of Mines and "World Oil"

Thousands of barrels; daily rate

	Western Hemisphere: Canada	U.S.A.	Venezuela	Mexico	Other	Total Western Hemisphere	Eastern Hemisphere: Gulf Region: Iran	Iraq	Persian Saudi Arabia	Kuwait	Other[1]	Total	U.S.S.R. & Eastern Europe[2]	Western Europe	Indonesia	Other	Total Eastern Hemisphere	World Total	
1939	21	3,466	566	118	213	4,384	214	84	11	–	21	330	736	17	170	78	1,331	**5,715**	1939
1947	20	5,088	1,192	154	228	6,682	425	92	246	44	32	839	613	34	22	90	1,598	**8,280**	1947
1951	130	6,158	1,705	212	287	8,492	338	178	762	561	80	1,919	887	89	152	195	3,242	**11,734**	1951
1952	167	6,256	1,804	211	290	8,728	21	386	825	747	99	2,078	1,026	108	171	197	3,580	**12,308**	1952
1953	222	6,458	1,765	198	309	8,952	25	576	845	862	115	2,423	1,206	128	207	199	4,163	**13,115**	1953
1954	263	6,342	1,895	229	326	9,055	59	626	953	952	146	2,736	1,355	147	218	205	4,661	**13,716**	1954
1955	355	6,807	2,157	250	341	9,910	329	688	965	1,092	169	3,243	1,680	171	239	213	5,546	**15,456**	1955*
1956**	470	7,151	2,456	257	363	10,697	542	637	986	1,086	188	3,439	1,809	184	283	237	5,952	**16,649**	1956**

1. Bahrein, Qatar and Neutral Zone. 2. Includes Albania, Bulgaria, Czechoslovakia, Hungary, Poland, Romania and Yugoslavia. * Preliminary. ** Estimates from "World Oil" February 15, 1957.

SELECTED HOUSING STATISTICS

Central Mortgage and Housing Corporation and Dominion Bureau of Statistics

	Dwellings in New Structures 1				Composite Indexes of Residential Building Costs			Residential Construction Expenditures 3, 6		
	Areas of 5,000 Population and over 2		All Areas 3		Residential Building Materials 4	Wage Rates of All Construction Workers 5	Residential Building Materials and Wage Rates 4	New Dwellings and Major Improvements	Repair and Maintenance	Total
	Starts	Completions	Starts	Completions						
	thousands of units				*1949 = 100*			*millions of dollars*		
Calendar Years										
1951	47.4	61.2	68.6	81.3	125.5	119.2	123.1	821.6	221.0	1,042.6
1952	63.4	54.3	83.2	73.1	124.9	129.5	126.6	825.6	203.2	1,028.8
1953	80.3	73.4	102.4	96.8	123.9	137.2	128.9	1,083.7	213.6	1,297.3
1954	89.8	80.6	113.5	102.0	121.7	141.1	129.0	1,178.0	221.8	1,399.8
1955	97.4	93.9	138.3	127.9	124.3	146.6	132.7	1,499.3	238.0	1,737.3
1956	87.3	95.2	127.3	135.7	128.5	152.4	137.5	1,574.2	255.5	1,829.7
Monthly										
1956—Feb.	4.1	5.8	4.7	7.5	127.1	147.4	134.7	299.1	62.4	361.5
Mar.	4.5	7.3	5.6	8.7	127.9	147.5	135.3			
Apr.	7.6	7.4	10.4	9.1	128.8	147.8	135.9			
May	11.1	7.9	15.9	9.7	129.1	148.5	136.4	425.0	63.3	488.3
June	11.0	7.8	19.4	13.6	129.0	148.5	136.3			
July	11.1	7.4	15.9	9.7	129.0	148.9	136.5			
Aug.	9.0	7.4	14.0	10.7	129.0	150.5	137.1	442.4	64.4	506.8
Sept.	8.9	7.7	13.3	12.2	128.7	151.1	137.1			
Oct.	7.8	10.7	11.8	18.5	128.8	152.4	137.7			
Nov.	5.7	10.1	8.0	14.1	128.7	151.9	137.4	407.7	65.4	473.1
Dec.	3.2	8.7	4.1	12.5	128.4	153.0	137.6			
1957—Jan.	1.4	7.1	1.9	10.2	128.6	153.3	137.9			
Feb.	1.7	6.0	2.1	7.5	128.7	153.4	138.0	267.5	66.2	333.7
Mar.	3.4	5.2	4.4	6.9	128.9	153.6	138.2			
Apr	6.1	5.5	8.7	7.0	128.8	156.7	139.3			
May	8.4†	5.6†	13.6	7.6	129.2	157.5	139.8			
June	9.6	5.5	17.8	11.2	129.1	158.3	140.1			
July *	9.0	6.4	13.0	8.7	129.0	158.3	140.0			

1. Excludes conversions. From 1951 to 1956 these are estimated to have totalled approximately 3.5, 3.2, 3.8, 4.4, 4.3 and 3.6 thousand respectively. 2. Based on a complete enumeration. 3. In areas outside the centres of 5,000 population and over, information relating to starts and completions is based on a sample survey. In the latter part of 1954 the sample was redesigned and enlarged and some discontinuity with previous years resulted. There is probably an understatement of total starts and completions and of expenditures in 1954 and earlier years. Total number of starts in 1957 is subject to upward revision when the results of the June survey are available. 4. Calendar year figures are the averages of 12 months. 5. Index of average hourly wage rates including holiday pay allowances. Annual data refer to the month of October each year. 6. Expenditures on work put in place. † Revised. * Preliminary.

NOTE: For 1952 data see page 78 in the "Financial Supplement 1955" and for 1953–1956 data see page 108 in the "Financial Supplement 1956".

CANADIAN WHEAT : STATISTICAL POSITION

Millions of Bushels *Compiled from "Handbook of Agricultural Statistics, Part I" and "The Wheat Review, D.B.S.*

Crop Year Beginning August 1	Supplies Beginning of Period: Wheat in Canada	Canadian Wheat in U.S. Positions	Total Carry-over	Crop	Total Supplies	*Less:* Apparent Domestic Dis-appearance	Available for Export and Carry-over	*Less:* Exports of Wheat and Flour 1	End of Period Stocks
1933/34	210	8	**218**	282	**500**	102	**398**	195	203
1934/35	193	10	**203**	276	**479**	100	**380**	166	214
1935/36	202	12	**214**	282	**496**	114	**381**	254	127
1936/37	108	19	**127**	219	**347**	100	**247**	210	37
1937/38	33	4	**37**	180	**217**	96 2	**121**	96	25
1938/39	24	1	**25**	360	**385**	123	**263**	160	103
1939/40	95	8	**103**	521	**624**	131	**493**	193	300
1940/41	273	28	**300**	540	**841**	129	**711**	231	480
1941/42	448	32	**480**	315	**795**	145	**650**	226	424
1942/43	405	19	**424**	556	**980**	170	**810**	215	595
1943/44	579	15	**595**	282	**877**	177	**700**	344	357
1944/45	338	18	**357**	415	**772**	171	**601**	343	258
1945/46	239	20	**258**	316	**574**	158	**417**	343	74
1946/47	74	–	**74**	412	**485**	160	**326**	239	86
1947/48	86	–	**86**	339	**425**	153	**273**	195	78
1948/49	78	–	**78**	381	**459**	125	**335**	232	102
1949/50	102	–	**102**	366	**468**	131	**337**	225	112
1950/51	112	–	**112**	466	**579**	149	**430**	241	189
1951/52	187	2	**189**	554	**743**	170	**573**	356	217
1952/53	215	2	**217**	702	**919**	150	**769†**	386	383
1953/54	382	1	**383**	634†	**1,018†**	144†	**873†**	255	619†
1954/55	619†	–	**619†**	332†	**951†**	162†	**789†**	252	537†
1955/56	537†	–	**537†**	519†	**1,056†**	167†	**889†**	309	580†
1956/57	580†	–	**580†**	573†	**1,153†**	167	**986**	263	723
1957/58*	723	–	**723**	360**	**1,083****				

1. Canadian Customs figures adjusted for changes in stocks of Canadian wheat in U.S.A. Lake and Seaboard Ports until 1935/36; after that year Board of Grain Commissioners' clearances. 2. Exclusive of consumption of 5.7 imported from the United States. † Revised. * Preliminary. ** D.B.S. estimate based on conditions at August 15, 1957.

VOLUME OF INDUSTRIAL PRODUCTION

INDEXES NOT SEASONALLY ADJUSTED

1935–39 = 100 *"Canadian Statistical Review", Dominion Bureau of Statistics*

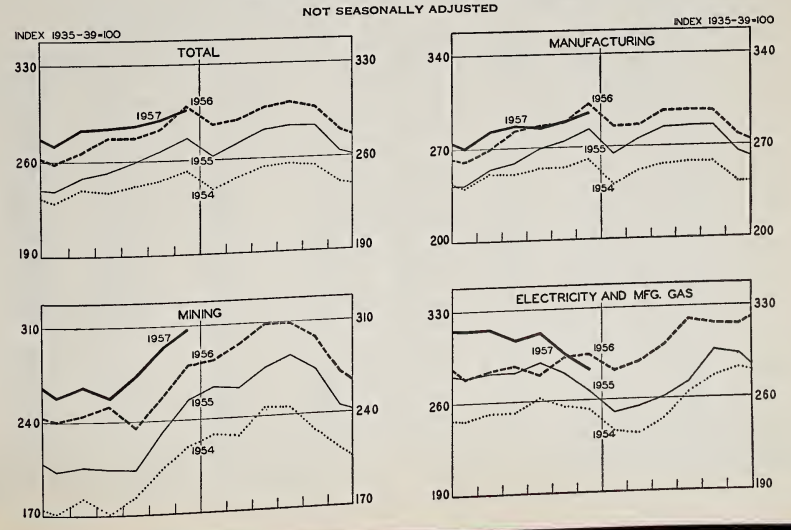
	Total	Mining	Manufacturing: Total	Manufacturing: Non-Durables	Manufacturing: Durables	Electricity and Manufactured Gas
Weighting	**100.0**	**16.8**	**75.6**	**46.1**	**29.5**	**7.6**
Annual Average						
1951	**226.5**	161.8	**242.1**	**214.0**	**285.9**	**214.2**
1952	**233.0**	174.7	246.3	**215.2**	**294.8**	**228.8**
1953	**248.4**	185.8	263.0	224.1	323.9	**241.9**
1954	**244.6**	209.7	251.4	221.7	297.7	**254.6**
1955	**265.8**	242.0	270.1	**235.2**	324.8	**275.7**
1956	**284.4**	272.5	285.6	245.6	348.9	**295.2**
Monthly						
1955—Nov.	**283.7**	273.9	284.6	**248.6**	**341.0**	**296.5**
Dec.	**264.3**	245.5	**265.5**	**229.5**	**321.9**	**293.2**
1956—Jan.	**257.7**	239.8	**259.5**	**223.5**	**315.8**	**278.8**
Feb.	**266.4**	243.6	**269.7**	**232.8**	**327.5**	**283.2**
Mar.	**277.5**	250.5	**282.5**	**240.9**	**347.5**	**286.9**
Apr.	**277.4**	234.5	**286.6**	**244.1**	**353.0**	**279.8**
May	**283.3**	257.5	**288.0**	**244.3**	**356.3**	**293.2**
June	**298.7**	279.5	**303.3**	**260.1**	**370.8**	**295.3**
July	**285.5**	284.3	**286.1**	**240.2**	**358.0**	**282.7**
Aug.	**288.6**	294.3	**287.3**	**252.5**	**341.8**	**289.1**
Sept.	**298.8**	308.6	**296.5**	**260.2**	**353.2**	**300.6**
Oct.	**300.7**	308.4	**297.1**	**256.4**	**360.8**	**319.5**
Nov.	**298.2**	298.4	**296.2**	**254.4**	**361.6**	**317.1**
Dec.	**279.4**	270.4	**277.7**	**237.7**	**340.3**	**316.3**
1957—Jan.	**272.0**	262.7	**269.8**	**227.4**	**336.2**	**314.6**
Feb.	**281.9**	264.5	**282.4**	**242.7**	**344.5**	**315.4**
Mar.	**283.0**	257.8	**286.3**	**245.6**	**349.9**	**306.4**
Apr.	**285.4**	273.9	**285.3**	**247.5**	**344.5**	**312.2**
May	**289.9***	294.9*	**288.2**	**251.9***	**345.1***	**296.0**
June	**297.0***	307.4*	**296.0***	**262.8***	**348.0***	**283.5**

* Preliminary.

NOTE: For 1952 data see page 82 in the "Financial Supplement 1955" and for 1953–1956 see page 116 in the "Financial Supplement 1956".

INDEXES OF INDUSTRIAL PRODUCTION

NOT SEASONALLY ADJUSTED



SELECTED SEASONALLY ADJUSTED STATISTICS★

Dominion Bureau of Statistics

	Gross National Production		Personal Income and Expenditure				Change in Business Inventories	Corporation Profits before Taxes 1	Expenditure on Construction 2	External Trade Value Indexes	
			Labour Income	Disposable Income	Expenditure on Goods					Exports of Goods	Imports of Goods
					Durable	Non-Dur.					
	Millions of Dollars									1949 = 100	
1955—July			12,864							142	166
Aug.	27,396	25,984	13,008	18,332	2,008	9,760	528	2,988	3,388	147	177
Sept.			13,056							147	183
Oct.			13,140							154	197
Nov.	27,912	26,468	13,236	18,664	2,032	9,996	488	3,188	3,556	145	183
Dec.			13,320							146	184
1956—Jan.			13,476							157	197
Feb.	28,726	27,150	13,644	19,284	1,948	10,196	992	3,208	3,812	156	196
Mar.			13,788							156	213
Apr.			13,992							160	218
May	29,550	27,966	14,100	19,760	2,100	10,272	856	3,268	4,088	151	203
June			14,232							165	206
July			14,484							166	207
Aug.	30,230	28,662	14,496	20,208	2,112	10,668	396	3,256	4,212	164	197
Sept.			14,700							170	213
Oct.			14,760							167	214
Nov.	30,960	29,256	14,832	20,692	2,084	10,916	724	3,216	4,308	159	220
Dec.			14,904							164	203
1957—Jan.			14,964							165	214
Feb.	30,910	29,522	15,072	20,820	2,052	11,132	560	3,080	4,184	160	219
Mar.			15,192							162	210
Apr.			15,156†							151	215
May			15,288†							155	205
June			15,456							160	200*
July											

	Labour Force Survey			Industrial Production Index	Manufacturing						
					Total		Durable Goods		Non-Durable Goods		
	Without Jobs	Non-Agric. Employment	Employment in Construction		Production Index	Employment Index	Employment Index	Hrs. Worked per Week	Employment Index	Hrs. Worked per Week	
	Thousands of Persons			1935–39 = 100	1949 = 100			Average	1949 = 100	Average	
1955—July	220			267	272	110	117	40.9	103	40.9	July—1955
Aug.	208	4,589	374	270	275	111	118	41.4	103	40.9	Aug.
Sept.	230			271	275	112	119	41.3	104	41.0	Sept.
Oct.	209			273	278	112	119	41.4	104	40.8	Oct.
Nov.	195	4,635	382	277	280	113	121	41.5	105	40.9	Nov.
Dec.	198			275	278	113	122	41.2	105	40.8	Dec.
1956—Jan.	200			276	279	113	121	41.2	106	41.1	Jan.—1956
Feb.	202	4,669	391	275	278	114	121	41.2	106	41.1	Feb.
Mar.	193			281	284	114	123	41.1	106	40.9	Mar.
Apr.	188			280	282	115	124	41.0	106	40.3	Apr.
May	183	4,710	419	280	282	115	124	41.4	106	40.7	May
June	167			287	291	116	126	41.1	106	40.9	June
July	150			289	292	117	127	41.3	107	41.0	July
Aug.	164	4,772	416	287	287	117	127	41.5	108	40.8	Aug.
Sept.	162			287	286	116	125	41.3	106	40.7	Sept.
Oct.	144			289	289	117	127	41.3	107	40.9	Oct.
Nov.	163	4,874	416	290	291	119	131	41.5	107	40.7	Nov.
Dec.	175			290	290	119	131	41.2	108	40.7	Dec.
1957—Jan.	212			291	290	119	130	40.2	108	39.7	Jan.—1957
Feb.	212	4,844	430	292	292	119	130	40.8	108	40.9	Feb.
Mar.	224			291	290	117	126	40.6	108	40.6	Mar.
Apr.	223			288	281	117	126	40.9	108	40.6	Apr.
May	216	4,944	448	287†	283†	117	126	40.6	108	40.0	May
June	231			284	282	117	125	40.8	109	40.3	June
July											July

★ Note: All dollar series are expressed at annual rates. 1. As per survey of corporate earnings: profits before payment of dividends abroad and including earnings of Canadian corporations abroad. 2. As per National Accounts: expenditure on private residential and non-residential construction. † Revised. * Preliminary.

NOTE: For 1952 data for most of this series, see page 87 in the "Financial Supplement 1955" and for 1953–1956 data see page 118 in the "Financial Supplement 1956".

MANUFACTURING: SHIPMENTS, ORDERS AND INVENTORIES

ESTIMATES FOR ALL ITEMS IN ALL INDUSTRIES

Millions of Dollars — *"Inventories, Shipments and Orders in Manufacturing Industries", DBS*

	Shipments During Month 1	Orders: New Orders Received During Month 2	Orders: Unfilled Orders at end of Month 3	Inventories at End of Month: Owned 4	All Inventories Held: Total 5	Raw Materials	Goods in Process	Finished Products
1955—Nov.	1,695	1,737	2,744	3,552	4,028	1,737	1,110	1,181
Dec.	1,644	1,684	2,784	3,636	4,070	1,766	1,105	1,199
1956—Jan.	1,539	1,752	2,997	3,706	4,138	1,788	1,106	1,244
Feb.	1,621	1,672	3,048	3,790	4,233	1,816	1,142	1,276
Mar.	1,761	1,759	3,046	3,833	4,262	1,823	1,150	1,289
Apr.	1,752	1,779	3,074	3,845	4,281	1,817	1,158	1,306
May	1,888	1,852	3,037	3,883	4,342	1,838	1,184	1,320
June	1,867	1,760	2,930	3,933	4,397	1,854	1,191	1,352
July	1,764	1,739	2,905	3,937	4,392	1,882	1,164	1,346
Aug.	1,810	1,831	2,926	3,938	4,399	1,897	1,170	1,332
Sept.	1,798	1,812	2,940	3,970	4,441	1,903	1,189	1,349
Oct.	1,911	1,858	2,886	3,989	4,464	1,926	1,205	1,333
Nov.	1,849	1,846	2,883	4,059	4,545	1,954	1,229	1,362
Dec.	1,717	1,966	3,133	4,119	4,608	1,995	1,236	1,377
1957—Jan.	1,693	1,799	3,239	4,166	4,668	1,992	1,257	1,419
Feb.	1,656	1,647	3,230	4,265	4,777	2,012	1,283	1,482
Mar.	1,863	1,799	3,165	4,262	4,793	2,022	1,285	1,485
Apr.	1,812	1,726	3,080	4,256	4,791	2,005	1,301	1,486
May *	1,912	1,815	2,989	4,268	4,814	2,003	1,316	1,496
June *	1,817	1,755	2,927	4,279	4,830	1,988	1,325	1,517
July *	1,815	1,805	2,917	4,268	4,824	1,998	1,323	1,503

1. Represent an estimated projection, on a monthly basis, of the latest available Census of Industry values. The value level used being the factory selling value.
2. Indicates the rate at which new business is being received. These are new orders received during the period at estimated selling value. 3. Estimated selling value of orders received but not yet shipped, irrespective of work done on them. 4. Estimated book value of inventory owned by manufacturers in connection with manufacturing operations. Excludes value of goods purchased for re-sale. 5. Estimated total value of manufacturers' inventory holdings in connection with manufacturing operations, regardless of ownership. Includes progress payments inventory. * Preliminary.

NOTE: For data back to 1952 see page 109 in the "Financial Supplement 1956".

U.S.A. ECONOMIC STATISTICS

U.S. Department of Commerce — *U.S. Dept. of Labor* — *Federal Reserve*

	Gross National Product	Change in Business Inventories	Govt. Expenditure on National Security 1	Personal Savings as a Percentage of Disposable Income	Total Personal Income	Construction 3	Unemployment	Retail Sales 4	Consumer Price Index	Wholesale Prices: All Commodities	Average Hourly Earnings in Manufacturing 5	Total Industrial Production 4
	Billions of Dollars 2				Billions of $ 2	Billions of $ 3	Millions	Billions of $	1947–49 = 100		Dollars	1947–49 = 100
Annual Averages 6												
1951	328.2	10.4	37.3	7.8	255.3	31.2	1.9	156.5	111.0	114.8	1.59	120
1952	345.4	3.0	48.8	8.0	271.8	34.8	1.7	162.4	113.5	111.6	1.67	124
1953	363.2	0.3	51.5	7.9	286.0	37.1	1.6	169.1	114.4	110.1	1.77	134
1954	361.2	−1.9	43.1	7.0	287.4	39.6	3.2	169.1	114.8	110.3	1.81	125
1955	391.7	4.2	41.3	5.8	305.9	44.6	2.7	183.9	114.5	110.7	1.88	139
1956	414.7	4.6	42.4	7.0	326.9	46.1	2.6	189.7	116.2	114.3	1.98	143
Monthly												
1956—Feb.	405.2	5.2	41.1	6.0	318.1	2.9	2.9	15.2	114.6	112.4	1.93	143
Mar.					320.3	3.2	2.8	15.6	114.7	112.8	1.95	141
Apr.					323.7	3.6	2.6	15.4	114.9	113.6	1.96	143
May	410.8	4.6	41.6	7.3	325.2	4.0	2.6	15.7	115.4	114.4	1.96	141
June					326.8	4.3	2.9	15.9	116.2	114.2	1.97	141
July					325.6	4.4	2.8	15.9	117.0	114.0	1.96	136
Aug.	416.7	3.3	42.7	7.0	329.3	4.5	2.2	16.1	116.8	114.7	1.98	143
Sept.					331.1	4.4	2.0	15.9	117.1	115.5	2.01	144
Oct.					334.1	4.3	1.9	15.9	117.7	115.6	2.02	146
Nov.	426.0	5.1	44.2	7.4	334.9	4.0	2.5	16.2	117.8	115.9	2.03	146
Dec.					334.8	3.5	2.5	16.2	118.0	116.3	2.05	147
1957—Jan.					335.9	3.2	3.2 7	16.3	118.2	116.9	2.05	146
Feb.	429.1	−0.8	45.5	6.4	337.9	3.0	3.1	16.4	118.7	117.0	2.05	146
Mar.					339.5	3.3	2.9	16.3	118.9	116.9	2.05	145
Apr.					340.6	3.6	2.7	16.4	119.3	117.2	2.05	143
May	434.3†	1.7†	46.3†	6.9†	342.9	4.0	2.7	16.6	119.6	117.1	2.06	143
June					343.8	4.3†	3.3	16.8	120.2	117.4	2.07	144†
July					345.5	4.4	3.0	16.9	120.8	118.1	2.08	144

1. Includes stockpiling, atomic energy, and Mutual Defence Assistance in addition to strictly military programmes.
2. Seasonally adjusted annual rates.
3. Value of new work put in place.
4. Seasonally adjusted.
5. Production workers.
6. Quarterly averages for first four columns. Calendar year totals in the case of "Construction" and "Retail Sales".
7. New series starting Jan. 1957; not strictly comparable with earlier figures. Includes persons temporarily laid-off who were classed as employed prior to 1957.

† Revised.

CANADIAN BALANCE OF INTERNATIONAL PAYMENTS : 1955* AND 1956**

Compiled from "The Canadian Balance of International Payments, 1956", Dominion Bureau of Statistics

Millions of Canadian Dollars

CURRENT ACCOUNT	1955* Receipts	1955* Payments	1955* Balance	1956* Receipts	1956* Payments	1956* Balance
All Countries						
Merchandise trade (adjusted)	4,332	4,503	211	4,833	5,567	734
Mutual Aid to NATO countries [1]	222	222	–	157	157	–
Gold production available for export	155	–	155	150	–	150
Travel expenditures	328	449	121	336	498	162
Interest and dividends	160	483	323	140	530	390
Freight and shipping	398	415	17	450	498	48
Inheritances and migrants' funds	86	105	19	98	112	14
Other current transactions	391	553	162	430	604	174
Total Current Account	**6,072**	**6,770**	**698**	**6,594**	**7,966**	**1,372**
United States						
Merchandise trade (adjusted)	2,598	3,283	685	2,850	4,023	1,173
Gold production available for export	155	–	155	150	–	150
Travel expenditures	303	363	60	308	391	83
Interest and dividends	78	388	310	75	433	358
Freight and shipping	203	287	84	220	350	130
Inheritances and migrants' funds	45	82	37	45	91	46
Other current transactions	318	332	14	350	350	–
Total Current Account	**3,700**	**4,735**	**1,035**	**3,998**	**5,638**	**1,640**
United Kingdom						
Merchandise trade (adjusted)	772	406	366	818	493	325
Travel expenditures	13	40	27	14	46	32
Interest and dividends	41	75	34	20	72	52
Freight and shipping	97	49	48	98	58	40
Inheritances and migrants' funds	20	16	4	23	14	9
Other current transactions	39	66	27	41	77	36
Total Current Account	**982**	**652**	**330**	**1,014**	**760**	**254**
Other Sterling Area						
Merchandise trade (adjusted)	254	211	43	256	220	36
Travel expenditures	4	8	4	4	8	4
Interest and dividends	21	1	20	21	1	20
Freight and shipping	27	3	24	29	3	26
Inheritances and migrants' funds	4	1	3	5	1	4
Other current transactions	8	34	26	8	40	32
Total Current Account	**318**	**258**	**60**	**323**	**273**	**50**
Total Sterling Area						
Merchandise trade (adjusted)	1,026	617	409	1,074	713	361
All other current transactions	274	293	19	263	320	57
Total Current Account	**1,300**	**910**	**390**	**1,337**	**1,033**	**304**
Other O.E.E.C. Countries [2]						
Merchandise trade (adjusted)	379	229	150	470	320	150
Travel expenditures	5	32	27	6	41	35
Interest and dividends	13	17	4	11	22	11
Freight and shipping	39	64	25	58	73	15
Inheritances and migrants' funds	13	4	9	18	4	14
Other current transactions	15	94	79	17	108	91
Total Current Account	**464**	**440**	**24**	**580**	**568**	**12**
All Other Countries						
Merchandise trade (adjusted)	329	414	85	439	511	72
Travel expenditures	3	6	3	4	12	8
Interest and dividends	7	2	5	13	2	11
Freight and shipping	32	12	20	45	14	31
Inheritances and migrants' funds	4	2	2	7	2	5
Other current transactions	11	27	16	14	29	15
Total Current Account	**386**	**463**	**77**	**522**	**570**	**48**

CAPITAL ACCOUNT	1955* Receipts	1955* Payments	1955* Balance	1956** Receipts	1956** Payments	1956** Balance
All Countries						
Net non-resident direct investment in Canada [3]			417			595
Net Canadian direct investment abroad [3]			74			110
Loan repayments to Government of Canada			69			69
New issues and retirements of Canadian securities	166	184	18	681	140	541
Sales and purchases of outstanding Canadian securities	905	932	27	1,075	868	207
Sales and purchases of foreign securities	272	278	6	247	235	12
Inc. or dec. in Canadian dollar holdings of foreigners [4]			89			26
Inc. or dec. in official holdings of gold & foreign exchange			44			33
Other capital transactions, net [5]			204			117
Net Capital Movement			**698**			**1,372**
United States [6]						
Non-resident direct investment in Canada [3]	423	117	306	480	71	409
Net Canadian direct investment abroad [3]			56			77
New issues and retirements of Canadian securities	127	169	42	616	133	483
Sales and purchases of outstanding Canadian securities	702	769	67	758	717	41
Sales and purchases of foreign securities	244	219	25	230	219	11
Inc. or dec. in Canadian dollar holdings of foreigners [4]			66			49
Inc. or dec. in official holdings of gold & U.S. dollars			42			34
Other capital transactions, net [5]			151			152
Balance settled by exchange transfers			610			704
Total Financing of Current Account Balance			**1,035**			**1,640**
United Kingdom and Other Sterling Area						
Net non-resident direct investment in Canada [3]			68			114
Net Canadian direct investment abroad [3]			9			27
Loan repayments to Government of Canada			45			45
New issues and retirements of Canadian securities	15	11	4	29	1	28
Sales and purchases of outstanding Canadian securities	86	60	26	152	69	83
Sales and purchases of foreign securities	6	36	30	11	8	3
Increase in Canadian dollar holdings of foreigners [4]			11			13
Decrease in official holdings of sterling			2			1
Other capital transactions, net [5]			60			5
Balance settled by exchange transfers			567			569
Total Financing of Current Account Balance			**390**			**304**
Other O.E.E.C. Countries						
Net non-resident direct investment in Canada [3]			43			72
Net Canadian direct investment abroad [3]			–			2
Loan repayments to Government of Canada			15			18
New issues and retirements of Canadian securities	21	3	18	36	4	32
Net sales of outstanding Canadian securities			16			86
Net purchases of foreign securities			3			2
Increase in Canadian dollar holdings of foreigners [4]			12			3
Other capital transactions, net [5]			6			1
Balance settled by exchange transfers			137			226
Total Financing of Current Account Balance			**24**			**12**
All Other Countries						
Net non-resident direct investment in Canada [3]			–			–
Net Canadian direct investment abroad [3]			9			8
Loan repayments to Government of Canada			9			6
New issues and retirements of Canadian securities	3	1	2	–	2	2
Net sales & purchases of outstanding Canadian securities			2			3
Net purchases of foreign securities			4			4
Increase in Canadian dollar holdings of foreigners [4]			–			7
Other capital transactions, net [5]			13			39
Balance settled by exchange transfers			94			91
Total Financing of Current Account Balance			**77**			**48**

* Revised estimates. ** Preliminary.

1. Mutual Aid to NATO countries is included in the statement for all countries but not in the bilateral statements. It consists of contributions to North Atlantic Treaty countries of equipment and supplies and the provision of air training by the Canadian Government. The entries under "Receipts", covering exports of goods and services are offset by entries of corresponding size under "Payments" representing the cost to the Government of Canada.
2. "Other O.E.E.C. Countries" include all the countries participating in the Organization for European Economic Co-operation which are not also members of the sterling area, namely, Austria, Belgium, Luxembourg, Denmark, France, West Germany, Greece, Italy, Netherlands, Norway, Portugal, Sweden, Switzerland and Turkey, and their overseas territories.
3. Excluding undistributed profits.
4. Excluding holdings of International Monetary Fund and International Bank for Reconstruction and Development.
5. Including changes in open account commercial indebtedness, private and chartered bank holdings of exchange and other capital transactions, and also balancing item representing unrecorded capital movements, errors and omissions.
6. Including some capital transactions on account of "All Other Countries".

NOTE: For back years see the following issues of the "Statistical Summary": 1954 see August 1956; 1953 see June 1955; 1952 see July 1954; 1952 see May 1953; 1950 see April 1952. For data prior to 1950 see pages 125–133 in the "Statistical Summary—1950 Supplement".

CANADIAN BALANCE OF INTERNATIONAL PAYMENTS: QUARTERLY

"Quarterly Estimates of the Canadian Balance of International Payments", Dominion Bureau of Statistics

Millions of Dollars

	1955			1956*				1957**	
	II	III	IV	I	II	III	IV	I	II
					★				★
Current Receipts [1]									
Merchandise exports (adjusted) [2]	1,098	1,127	1,140	1,051	1,263	1,246	1,273	1,102	1,214
Gold production available for export	39	37	40	37	40	38	35	39	31
Travel expenditures	66	182	54	26	65	191	54	30	74
Interest and dividends	32	27	75	35	39	25	41	24	37
Freight and shipping	100	108	108	102	115	117	116	104	113
Inheritances and immigrants' funds	25	24	21	17	28	26	27	24	37
All other current receipts	105	105	104	91	112	108	119	106	116
Total Current Receipts	**1,465**	**1,610**	**1,542**	**1,359**	**1,662**	**1,751**	**1,665**	**1,429**	**1,622**
Current Payments [1]									
Merchandise imports (adjusted) [2]	1,150	1,163	1,259	1,242	1,541	1,350	1,434	1,327	1,514
Travel expenditures	119	156	96	93	133	169	103	100	143
Interest and dividends	99	91	162	112	116	121	181	126	147
Freight and shipping	108	113	116	99	134	131	134	109	144
Inheritances and emigrants' funds	23	30	31	25	28	29	30	25	28
Official contributions	4	8	7	9	10	5	6	7	5
All other current payments	125	134	136	142	135	150	147	142	148
Total Current Payments	**1,628**	**1,695**	**1,807**	**1,722**	**2,097**	**1,955**	**2,035**	**1,836**	**2,129**
Balance on merchandise trade	−52	−36	−119	−191	−278	−104	−161	−225	−300
Balance on other transactions (excluding "Official contributions")	−107	−41	−139	−163	−147	−95	−203	−175	−202
Official contributions	−4	−8	−7	−9	−10	−5	−6	−7	−5
Current Account Balance	**−163**	**−85**	**−265**	**−363**	**−435**	**−204**	**−370**	**−407**	**−507**
Capital Account [3]									
Direct Investment									
Direct investment in Canada [4]	+115	+104	+113	+121	+169	+120	+185	+100	+150
Direct investment abroad [4]	−12	−12	−39	−66	−5	−24	−15	+20	−15
Canadian Securities									
Trade in outstanding issues	+5	−24	+25	+77	+43	+70	+17	+36	+47
New issues	+27	+17	+13	+111	+181	+178	+211	+260	+280
Retirements	−61	−19	−18	−71	−23	−24	−22	−43	−28
Foreign Securities									
Trade in outstanding issues	−6	+6	+11	−16	+10	+10	+23	−11	+16
New issues	−17	−4	−22	−1	−5	−3	−6	−4	−3
Retirements	–	+14	–	–	–	–	–	+1	+2
Loans by Government of Canada									
Repayment of post-war loans	+10	+2	+27	–	+13	–	+26	–	+12
Repayment of war loans	+8	+7	+8	+7	+8	+7	+8	+7	+8
Change in Canadian dollar holdings of foreigners	+39	+6	+14	−23	−5	−3	+5	−31	−25
Change in official holdings of gold and foreign exchange (minus sign denotes increase)	−56	−7	+36	+29	−30	−5	−27	+13	−22
Other capital movements [5]	+111	−5	+97	+195	+79	−122	−35	+99	+85
Net Capital Movement	**+163**	**+85**	**+265**	**+363**	**+435**	**+204**	**+370**	**+407**	**+507**

★ The current account balances in 2nd Qtr. of 1956 and 1957 with the United States were: −527 and −534; with the United Kingdom: +35 and +28; with all other countries: +57 and −1.

1. Mutual Aid to NATO countries is not included in either current receipts or current payments.
2. As used in the balance of payments, merchandise trade is adjusted to exclude such non-commercial items as settlers' effects, and tourist purchases which are covered elsewhere in the accounts.
3. A minus sign indicates an outflow of capital from Canada.
4. Exclusive of undistributed profits.
5. This item includes mainly short-term capital movements in the form of changes in international open account commercial indebtedness, private and chartered bank holdings of exchange (including interest arbitrage investments), and loans between private unrelated parties. It also includes the balancing item representing unrecorded capital movements and errors and omissions. Includes changes in holdings of International Monetary Fund and International Bank for Reconstruction and Development.

* Subject to revision.

** Preliminary.

NOTE: For 1952 data see pages 72–73 in the "Financial Supplement 1955" and for 1953–1956 data see pages 90–91 in the "Financial Supplement 1956".

EXTERNAL TRADE AND TRADE INDEXES

Millions of Dollars

Compiled from "Trade of Canada", Dominion Bureau of Statistics

TOTAL EXPORTS (EXCLUDING GOLD) TO [1]

	U.S.A.	U.K.	Other Sterling Area 2	Western Europe & Colonies 3	Central and South America	All Other	Total All Countries	New Gold Production Available for Export ‡	Export Indexes [4] 1948=100: Total Value	Price	Physical Volume
Calendar Yrs.											
1951	2,334	636	267	364	217	145	3,963	150	127.3	123.0	103.5
1952	2,349	751	291	468	281	216	4,356	150	139.9	121.8	114.9
1953	2,463	669	252	367	207	215	4,173	144	133.9	118.3	113.2
1954	2,367	658	208	349	196	169	3,947	155	126.2	115.1	109.6
1955	2,612	774	254	379	172	160	4,351	155	139.2	117.7	118.3
1956	2,879	818	257	465	188	256	4,863	150	155.7	121.3	128.4
12 Mths. ending June 1957	2,916	800	242	513	221	233	4,945				
Monthly											
1956–Jan.	217.3	72.9	19.9	26.5	14.1	14.7	365.4	12.5	140.4	119.3	117.7
Feb.	216.0	58.8	19.5	31.4	12.4	14.8	352.9	12.7	135.7	119.9	113.2
Mar.	208.4	49.2	21.0	28.6	12.0	14.0	333.2	12.4	127.8	120.8	105.8
Apr.	236.6	65.6	19.9	30.7	15.0	20.4	388.2	12.5	149.3	121.4	123.0
May	261.8	59.3	25.4	40.3	16.3	32.2	435.3	14.0	167.1	122.0	137.0
June	233.6	65.7	28.5	47.0	17.0	37.3	429.1	12.9	165.3	122.1	135.4
July	237.5	75.9	22.1	44.8	16.4	33.6	430.3	11.1	165.6	121.7	136.1
Aug.	267.5	69.1	19.2	37.0	13.6	20.8	427.1	14.5	164.1	121.9	134.6
Sept.	235.8	75.7	19.9	42.0	15.3	20.6	409.3	12.2	157.5	122.0	129.1
Oct.	285.5	67.4	17.9	47.0	21.2	17.1	456.1	12.3	175.2	122.4	143.1
Nov.	243.2	83.9	22.7	44.9	16.4	14.6	425.7	12.3	163.4	122.5	133.4
Dec.	235.9	75.0	20.8	45.1	18.4	15.4	410.6	10.4	157.5	122.2	128.9
1957–Jan.	219.0	63.8	23.1	51.3	22.6	23.6	403.4	13.9	154.8	122.5	126.4
Feb.	214.2	52.3	18.5	33.6	14.8	13.5	346.9	12.5	132.7	122.0	108.8
Mar.	227.6	45.5	15.2	44.2	21.4	14.3	368.2	12.1	140.9	122.8	114.7
Apr.	228.6	54.3	17.9	38.0	18.6	15.2	372.6	10.8	142.7	122.7†	116.3
May	266.8	68.7	23.9	38.9	23.7	23.4	445.4	15.4	170.7*	121.9	140.0
June	235.0	56.4	21.1	46.4	17.5	17.7	394.1	5.2	151.0	122.8*	123.0*
July *	255.3	69.3					449.3				

TOTAL IMPORTS (EXCLUDING GOLD) FROM

	U.S.A.	U.K.	Other Sterling Area 2	Western Europe & Colonies 3	Central and South America	All Other	Total All Countries	Excess of Merchandise Exports over Merchandise Imports	Import Indexes [4] 1948=100: Total Value	Price	Physical Volume
Calendar Yrs.											
1951	2,813	421	309	181	275	86	4,085	−122	154.8	126.2	122.7
1952	2,977	360	186	157	285	65	4,030	326	152.3	110.4	138.0
1953	3,221	453	172	179	291	67	4,383	−210	165.2	109.4	151.0
1954	2,961	392	183	199	286	72	4,093	−146	154.4	109.5	141.0
1955	3,452	401	211	234	320	94	4,712	−361	177.1	110.5	160.3
1956	4,162	485	222	328	363	145	5,705	−842	214.9	113.1	190.0
12 Mths. ending Apr. 1957	4,225	503	230	341	359	140	5,798	−883			
Monthly											
1956–Jan.	294.4	33.1	13.0	18.2	33.2	11.7	403.7	−38.3	183.3	113.4	161.6
Feb.	305.3	30.9	13.1	16.5	30.4	8.8	405.0	−52.1	183.4	113.8	161.2
Mar.	361.7	33.8	13.2	17.4	27.9	9.5	463.5	−130.3	210.0	114.4	183.6
Apr.	400.3	50.0	14.0	27.6	30.8	9.7	532.4	−144.2	240.0	113.8	210.9
May	397.7	49.5	26.5	32.9	32.4	11.0	550.0	−114.7	248.0	113.1	219.3
June	357.8	41.4	18.4	29.4	28.2	15.4	490.6	−61.5	221.6	113.5	195.2
July	341.7	45.9	22.5	28.8	29.8	13.9	482.6	−52.3	218.1	112.4	194.0
Aug.	329.7	42.8	21.6	30.9	35.1	13.6	473.7	−46.6	212.9	112.4	189.4
Sept.	309.9	35.8	21.2	29.0	28.4	13.4	437.7	−28.4	196.2	112.0	175.2
Oct.	394.6	43.7	21.6	38.5	27.9	16.5	542.8	−86.7	245.3	112.8	217.5
Nov.	368.7	48.5	26.4	35.8	30.7	11.4	521.5	−95.8	236.3	113.0	209.1
Dec.	299.9	29.3	11.2	22.7	28.1	10.7	401.9	+8.7	181.0	113.5	159.5
1957–Jan.	346.7	35.7	16.1	20.9	30.5	9.1	459.0	−55.6	208.2	115.0	181.0
Feb.	330.0	34.8	10.1	18.4	29.9	8.2	431.4	−84.5	195.5	116.1	168.4
Mar.	354.6	43.2	14.5	21.5	27.8	7.3	468.9	−100.7	212.7	116.7	182.3
Apr.	393.2	52.3	19.7	32.3	30.6	9.1	537.2	−164.6	243.8*	117.1*	208.2*
May *	397.4	50.7					557.4	−112.0			
June *	321.4	43.4					454.6	−60.5			
July*	336.0	45.5					482.9	−33.6			

1. Includes exports of foreign produce. Excludes defence equipment transferred by Canada to North Atlantic Treaty countries which in 1951, 1952, 1953, 1954, 1955 and 1956 amounted to 109.1, 100.9, 182.0, 202.4, 165.9 and 96.8 respectively.
2. Consists of U.K. Dependencies, Union of South Africa, Ireland, India, Pakistan, Burma, Australia, New Zealand, Iceland, Jordan, Libya, Ceylon and Iraq.
3. Excludes Spain, but includes Greece and Turkey.
4. Excludes exports of foreign produce. Price indexes are based largely on unit values derived from the Customs' entries.

‡ See footnote ‡ to "Canadian Gold Statistics" table on page 223.

† Revised. * Preliminary.

NOTE: For 1952 data see pages 76–77 in the "Financial Supplement 1955" and for 1953–1956 see pages 102–103 in the "Financial Supplement 1956".

MERCHANDISE EXPORTS : COMMODITY CLASSIFICATION BY DESTINATION★

Compiled from "Trade of Canada"

Dominion Bureau of Statistics

Millions of Dollars

Destination, Calendar Years and Quarters	Farm and Fish Products: Wheat and Wheat Flour	Barley, Oats and Rye	Other Farm and Fish [1]	Total Farm and Fish	Forest Products: Softwood Lumber	Wood Pulp	Newsprint	Other Forest Products [2]	Total Forest Products	Metals and Minerals: Iron Ore	Primary Iron and Steel	Aluminum and Products	Copper, Nickel and Products	Lead, Zinc and Products	Crude Petroleum	Uranium Ores and Concentrates [3]	Other Metal and Mineral Materials [4]	Total Metal and Mineral Materials	Chemicals and Fertilizers	Total Manufactured and Miscellaneous Goods [5]	Exports of Foreign Produce	Total Exports
To U.S.A. 1953	24	115	244	383	189	202	564	128	1,083	14	56	91	178	68	6	*	153	565	85	303	44	**2,463**
1954	13	70	246	330	212	206	559	122	1,099	26	26	77	183	63	6	*	141	522	86	280	50	**2,367**
1955	12	32	234	277	256	234	578	142	1,210	80	49	84	228	64	36	*	168	710	112	250	53	**2,612**
1956	20	49	234	303	236	245	616	140	1,237	114	51	97	246	67	103	*	187	865	131	282	60	**2,879**
1955–I	2	2	57	61	55	52	134	32	274	–	6	18	52	16	5	*	36	132	36	63	13	**579**
II	5	8	56	68	67	60	145	31	303	17	11	26	54	16	7	*	43	174	23	69	13	**649**
III	2	4	58	65	76	59	145	39	319	38	14	23	58	15	10	*	43	201	22	55	14	**676**
IV	3	18	63	84	59	62	154	39	314	24	18	18	65	18	14	*	47	203	30	63	13	**708**
1956–I	4	3	59	66	56	60	147	35	298	–	10	17	60	16	20	*	43	166	34	65	13	**642**
II	10	12	57	79	60	66	153	30	308	26	13	24	66	14	27	*	49	218	35	77	15	**732**
III	2	16	59	77	68	58	155	35	317	54	13	28	60	16	26	*	45	243	27	63	15	**742**
IV	4	18	59	82	53	61	161	40	314	34	16	28	60	21	31	*	49	239	34	78	17	**764**
1957–I	4	3	53	59	40	60	152	32	284	–	8	28	54	16	39	19	45	209	23	69	18	**661**
II	6	13	47	66	50	59	156	29	293	26	9	26	69	13	41	26	49	259	20	76	18	**730**
To U.K. 1953	240	35	43	318	49	28	18	15	110	7	18	66	68	20	–	*	28	208	9	22	4	**669**
1954	162	34	47	242	68	34	29	14	145	6	7	75	82	27	–	*	36	234	16	16	5	**658**
1955	167	47	59	273	69	35	33	20	156	9	19	99	93	33	–	*	39	292	20	28	5	**774**
1956	198	38	72	307	39	30	42	23	133	19	15	108	99	29	–	*	45	315	21	37	6	**818**
1955–I	40	14	21	75	17	8	7	2	35	1	2	23	20	10	–	*	7	63	4	6	1	**184**
II	43	13	14	70	20	10	8	4	42	1	5	23	26	9	–	*	11	76	7	7	1	**203**
III	50	12	7	69	17	9	10	7	41	3	5	26	23	7	–	*	11	76	4	6	1	**198**
IV	34	8	17	58	15	9	8	6	38	4	6	27	24	7	–	*	10	77	5	9	1	**189**
1956–I	45	2	22	69	11	6	9	4	30	1	3	22	25	4	–	*	12	68	4	9	1	**181**
II	52	6	10	68	10	7	13	4	34	3	3	25	22	8	–	*	12	73	6	9	1	**190**
III	53	13	15	81	9	10	11	9	40	10	5	23	25	10	–	*	12	84	7	7	2	**220**
IV	48	17	24	89	8	7	8	6	29	5	4	38	27	7	–	*	9	90	4	12	2	**227**
1957–I	34	5	23	62	6	5	6	5	22	1	3	19	25	8	–	–	8	65	4	8	1	**162**
II	28	5	17	50	9	9	15	7	40	3	4	23	24	9	–	–	9	73	6	9	1	**179**
To All Other 1953	406	68	83	559	27	18	36	8	91	10	13	21	41	7	–	*	38	131	45	209	7	**1,040**
1954	289	26	97	412	31	30	48	11	121	8	11	32	52	9	–	*	41	153	60	166	10	**921**
1955	234	20	113	367	42	29	55	13	138	11	30	29	70	10	–	*	48	198	78	172	12	**965**
1956	367	32	112	510	34	30	51	12	127	12	41	31	84	13	1	*	65	246	77	199	7	**1,166**
1955–I	56	2	26	85	9	6	10	2	27	1	7	6	16	2	–	*	5	36	16	38	1	**203**
II	59	10	25	94	13	10	17	3	42	2	6	10	17	1	–	*	14	49	21	36	2	**245**
III	58	5	23	86	10	7	14	4	36	5	9	7	19	5	–	*	13	58	19	56	5	**260**
IV	60	3	39	102	10	6	13	4	33	4	7	6	17	3	–	*	17	55	23	42	3	**257**
1956–I	60	5	33	97	7	7	9	2	25	1	6	5	22	–	–	*	8	42	16	46	2	**229**
II	124	12	21	157	10	8	14	2	24	2	11	6	20	1	–	*	19	60	20	58	1	**330**
III	104	7	20	131	8	9	13	4	34	6	10	7	21	7	–	*	17	68	20	49	2	**305**
IV	79	7	38	125	9	7	15	3	34	4	14	13	21	4	1	*	20	76	20	45	2	**302**
1957–I	59	12	45	116	9	9	11	3	32	1	15	17	22	2	–	–	12	69	21	57†	2	**296†**
II	62	7	30	99	10	9	15	3	37	2	15	13	21	3	–	–	22	76	26	61	3	**302**
Total All Countries 1953	670	217	371	1,258	265	249	619	150	1,283	31	88	178	287	96	6	*	219	904	138	534	55	**4,173**
1954	463	131	390	984	311	271	636	146	1,365	40	44	185	317	99	6	*	218	909	161	462	66	**3,947**
1955	413	99	406	917	367	297	666	175	1,505	100	97	213	390	108	36	*	256	1,200	210	450	70	**4,351**
1956	585	119	417	1,121	309	305	708	174	1,496	144	107	236	428	109	104	*	297	1,426	229	518	73	**4,863**
12 Months ending June 1957	485	121	430	1,037	280	302	718	176	1,475	145	116	263	427	115	137	*	298	1,548	212	533	83	**4,890**
1955–I	98	18	104	220	82	66	152	36	336	2	15	47	87	28	5	*	48	231	56	108	15	**966**
II	107	30	95	232	99	79	170	38	387	20	22	59	97	26	7	*	67	299	50	112	16	**1,097**
III	110	22	88	220	102	75	169	50	396	46	29	56	101	26	10	*	67	335	46	117	20	**1,134**
IV	97	28	119	245	84	77	175	50	385	31	32	51	105	28	14	*	73	335	58	113	18	**1,154**
1956–I	108	9	114	232	74	72	166	41	353	3	19	44	107	21	20	*	64	276	55	120	16	**1,052**
II	186	31	88	304	80	80	179	36	375	30	26	56	108	24	27	*	81	351	61	143	18	**1,252**
III	158	36	94	289	85	77	180	48	390	69	28	58	106	33	26	*	75	395	54	120	19	**1,267**
IV	132	42	121	296	71	75	183	49	378	43	34	79	107	31	31	*	78	404	58	135	21	**1,293**
1957–I	98	19	121	237	56	73	169	40	337	2	26	64	101	26	39	19	65	342	48	133†	21	**1,118†**
II	97	24	94	215	68	77	186	39	370	31	28	62	113	25	41	26	80	407	52	145	22	**1,212**

★ A complete list of items included in this classification is available from the Research Department on request.
1. Mainly fishery products, cattle and beef, pork and products, flaxseed, furs and dairy products.
2. Mainly pulpwood, plywoods, veneers, hardwood lumber, logs, pit props, poles and paper products.
3. Prior to January 1957 this item was included in "Chemicals and Fertilizers".
4. Largely asbestos, silver and products, platinum and abrasives.
5. Mainly machinery (both farm and non-farm) and parts, whiskey, beer, automobiles, trucks and parts, electrical apparatus, textiles, aircraft and parts. Also includes a small amount of non-commercial items, e.g., settlers' effects, postal packages and donations.

* Not available separately. † Revised.

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Month-End and Weekly Series

Millions of Dollars

	ASSETS																							
	Government of Canada Direct and Guaranteed Securities																							
	Treasury Bills	Other Maturities [1]					Total	*Of which held under Purchase and Resale Agreements*	Provincial Govt. Securities	Advances to		Foreign Currency Assets	Investment in IDB	All Other Accounts	Total Assets or Liabilities	LIABILITIES								
																Notes in Circulation			Canadian Dollar Deposits			Foreign Currency Liabilities	All Other Accounts	
																Held by		Total						
		2 yrs. and under	Over 2 yrs. to 5 yrs.	Over 5 yrs. to 10 yrs.	Over 10 yrs.					Govt. of Canada	Chartered & Savings Banks					Chartered Banks	Others		Govt. of Canada	Chartered Banks	Other			
	1							1				2	3	4									5	
As at Dec. 31																								**As at Dec. 31**
1951	186.4	955.3		1,049.3			2,004.7	**2,191.1**	–	–	–	204.2	27.8	21.0	**2,444.1**	273.1	1,191.1	**1,464.2**	94.9	619.0	66.1	155.6	44.4	1951
1952	282.9	1,176.9		767.2			1,944.1	**2,227.0**	–	–	–	84.5	30.8	39.2	**2,381.4**	272.5	1,288.7	**1,561.2**	16.2	626.6	44.5	82.9	50.0	1952
1953	374.5	1,002.1		893.7			1,895.7	**2,270.2**	*19.0*	–	–	67.2	36.3	63.5	**2,437.2**	263.8	1,335.3	**1,599.1**	51.5	623.9	29.5	63.8	69.3	1953
1954	168.5	1,193.0	410.8	297.3	152.5		2,053.6	**2,222.0**	–	–	–	66.4	35.6	76.9	**2,400.8**	261.6	1,361.9	**1,623.5**	56.3	529.6	30.5	63.1	97.9	1954
1955	262.6	1,021.2	354.5	516.6	212.5		2,104.9	**2,367.5**	–	–	2.0	114.7	35.1	100.9	**2,620.2**	289.4	1,449.0	**1,738.5**	89.2	551.0	34.0	98.0	109.5	1955
1956	505.2	519.7 [1]	629.7 [1]	507.2 [1]	232.0 [1]		1,888.7 [1]	**2,393.9** [1]	–	–	–	77.7	48.0	28.1	**2,547.7**	370.9	1,497.8	**1,868.7**	38.8	511.5	31.2	62.2	35.4	1956
End of																								**End of**
1956—Sept.	535.3	506.0	672.7	447.5	215.6		1,841.8	**2,377.1**	–	–	–	74.8	42.2	108.0	**2,602.1**	255.8	1,513.7	**1,769.5**	46.0	564.0	45.2	64.9	112.4	Sept.—1956
Oct.	557.5	473.8	669.7	451.5	221.4		1,816.4	**2,374.0**	–	–	–	68.5	42.8	85.9	**2,571.1**	309.1	1,471.8	**1,780.9**	55.0	575.3	30.7	56.4	72.9	Oct.
Nov.	553.5	467.7	672.7	466.4	222.5		1,829.2	**2,382.8**	–	–	–	77.9	43.7	116.9	**2,621.3**	250.5	1,542.9	**1,793.5**	7.4	624.9	31.7	68.2	95.7	Nov.
Dec.	505.2	519.7 [1]	629.7 [1]	507.2 [1]	232.0 [1]		1,888.7 [1]	**2,393.9** [1]	–	–	–	77.7	48.0	28.1	**2,547.7**	370.9	1,497.8	**1,868.7**	38.8	511.5	31.2	62.2	35.4	Dec.
1957—Jan.	413.5	678.2	438.8	510.3	229.2		1,856.5	**2,270.0**	*2.1*	–	–	75.1	48.9	66.9	**2,460.9**	294.1	1,444.8	**1,738.9**	57.8	524.0	34.3	65.4	40.5	Jan.—1957
Feb.	436.6	616.1	620.4	318.9	224.9		1,780.4	**2,217.0**	*1.2*	–	–	84.8	50.1	69.6	**2,421.5**	260.6	1,457.3	**1,717.9**	52.7	497.5	27.2	75.0	51.4	Feb.
Mar.	477.2	627.9	612.4	314.4	223.5		1,778.4	**2,255.6**	*0.7*	–	–	75.2	50.9	167.0	**2,548.7**	224.5	1,500.0	**1,724.6**	78.3	519.5	25.1	65.4	135.8	Mar.
Apr.	498.1	659.9	617.2	321.0	224.8		1,822.8	**2,320.9**	–	–	0.3	71.9	52.2	72.3	**2,517.7**	299.4	1,456.8	**1,756.3**	62.9	546.9	22.5	62.2	67.0	Apr.
May	473.7	692.2	605.3	321.1	228.5		1 847.1	**2,320.9**	–	–	0.1	76.3	55.1	139.7	**2,592.0**	229.0	1,522.5	**1,751.5**	43.9	526.3	32.0	66.8	171.4	May
June	519.0	694.3	607.5	324.9	229.9		1,856 6	**2,375.5**	–	–	3.0	81.1	57.0	158.4	**2,675.2**	225.0	1,559.3	**1,784.3**	44.4	545.5	28.9	72.7	199.3	June
July	503.2	694.6	607.7	328.4	232.8		1,863.4	**2,366.6**	–	–	–	86.9	58.4	51.9	**2,563.8**	304.8	1,513.0	**1,817.7**	54.2	490.5	26.9	77.2	97.3	July
Aug.	537.6	714.2	609.5	329.7	234.6		1,888.1	**2,425.6**	–	–	–	83.8	59.6	157.5	**2,726.5**	244.5	1,571.0	**1,815.5**	64.0	542.8	33.3	74.0	196.9	Aug.
Sept.	427.6	780.8	615.3	323.2	231.1		1,950.4	**2,378.0**	–	–	–	67.5	59.6	73.7	**2,578.8**	*	*	**1,819.1**	66.9	480.8	28.7	57.7	125.6	Sept.
Average of Wednesdays																								**Average of Wednesdays**
1956—Sept.	505.1	514.9		1,335.0			1,859.9	**2,365.0**	*1.4*	–	–	70.7	41.0	42.5	**2,519.3**	342.2	1,430.8	**1,772.9**	47.7	542.8	31.4	60.7	63.7	Sept.—1956
Oct.	526.3	500.7		1,342.1			1,842.8	**2,369.1**	*1.4*	–	6.4	70.5	42.2	55.0	**2,543.2**	335.0	1,447.5	**1,782.5**	59.3	538.3	31.4	60.4	71.3	Oct.
Nov.	536.9	455.7		1,352.3			1,808.0	**2,344.9**	*3.8*	–	21.3	77.0	42.8	63.6	**2,549.5**	349.9	1,444.1	**1,794.1**	45.0	531.4	30.2	67.3	81.6	Nov.
Dec.	525.9	493.4		1,369.4			1,862.8	**2,388.7**	*0.4*	–	13.6	75.9	43.7	49.3	**2,571.3**	356.7	1,481.5	**1,838.2**	32.6	548.5	30.7	61.6	59.7	Dec.
1957—Jan.	466.4 [1]	687.6 [1]		1,178.3 [1]			1,866.0 [1]	**2,332.4** [1]	*1.2*	–	6.0	72.6	48.1	55.3	**2,514.3**	380.2	1,421.9	**1,802.2**	57.5	524.5	27.9	63.0	39.3	Jan.—1957
Feb.	402.6	646.2		1,174.1			1,820.3	**2,222.9**	*7.0*	–	–	73.8	49.0	60.6	**2,406.3**	326.7	1,399.4	**1,726.0**	64.3	478.3	28.0	64.1	45.5	Feb.
Mar.	484.3	610.9		1,149.4			1,760.3	**2,244.5**	*0.1*	–	5.4	75.4	50.1	54.0	**2,429.4**	318.0	1,406.6	**1,724.7**	51.0	513.8	28.6	65.3	45.9	Mar.
Apr.	479.7	650.8		1,154.5			1,805.3	**2,285.0**	*7.9*	–	12.8	75.2	51.1	68.1	**2,492.1**	315.2	1,431.7	**1,746.9**	47.5	550.6	25.1	65.5	56.6	Apr.
May	495.8	666.9		1,166.7			1,833.6	**2,329.4**	*1.2*	–	5.1	79.2	52.7	53.0	**2,519.4**	324.6	1,431.1	**1,755.7**	45.3	554.4	25.5	69.5	69.1	May
June	502.8	707.5		1,158.4			1,866.0	**2,368.8**	–	–	6.0	83.6	55.4	65.8	**2,579.5**	329.4	1,440.2	**1,769.6**	46.8	559.7	25.9	74.0	103.4	June
July	532.9	701.4		1,166.2			1,867.7	**2,400.6**	*6.6*	–	2.4	82.6	57.3	61.2	**2,604.1**	328.8†	1,484.1†	**1,812.9**	51.8	525.6	27.6	73.1	113.1	July
Aug.	548.1	709.4		1,171.8			1,881.2	**2,429.3**	*11.5*	–	2.8	80.6	58.5	58.2	**2,629.3**	338.3	1,482.7	**1,821.0**	53.5	551.0	30.4	71.0	102.5	Aug.
Sept.	510.6	754.4		1,172.2			1,926.6	**2,437.2**	–	–	–	72.8	59.6	62.4	**2,632.0**	341.5	1,486.4	**1,827.9**	47.3	547.7	28.6	62.9	117.6	Sept.
As at																								**As at**
1957—Apr. 3	465.0	628.5		1,151.4			1,780.0	**2,245.0**	–	–	30.0	72.4	50.6	91.9	**2,489.9**	291.5	1,441.6	**1,733.2**	54.2	560.1	25.0	62.7	54.7	3 Apr.—1957
10	466.0	645.3		1,151.9			1,797.2	**2,263.1**	*3.7*	–	–	76.9	51.1	87.7	**2,478.8**	320.8	1,420.1	**1,740.9**	49.8	543.2	24.7	67.2	53.0	10
17	487.1	666.9		1,157.2			1,824.0	**2,311.2**	*27.9*	–	–	72.8	51.4	51.4	**2,486.7**	303.3	1,452.8	**1,756.2**	42.5	533.7	26.0	63.1	65.3	17
24	500.7	662.6		1,157.5			1,820.1	**2,320.8**	–	–	21.0	78.6	51.4	41.4	**2,513.1**	345.2	1,412.2	**1,757.4**	43.6	565.4	24.5	68.8	53.4	24
May 1	498.1	657.8		1,163.7			1,821.6	**2,319.7**	–	–	0.3	69.2	52.2	43.5	**2,484.9**	297.2	1,458.3	**1,755.5**	37.3	548.9	22.6	59.6	61.0	1 May
8	501.5	663.5		1,166.7			1,830.2	**2,331.6**	*6.2*	–	0.1	86.0	52.2	89.3	**2,559.3**	331.7	1,423.4	**1,755.2**	62.9	560.8	25.4	76.3	78.7	8
15	513.7	665.5		1,167.4			1,832.9	**2,346.7**	–	–	–	81.5	52.2	46.3	**2,526.6**	316.1	1,440.2	**1,756.3**	42.5	564.3	27.2	71.8	64.5	15
22	494.0	665.9		1,170.0			1,835.8	**2,329.8**	–	–	–	80.8	52.9	35.3	**2,498.9**	338.9	1,418.6	**1,757.5**	35.7	548.1	26.0	71.1	60.5	22
29	471.8	681.8		1,165.8			1,847.6	**2,319.5**	–	–	25.1	78.5	54.0	50.4	**2,527.3**	339.1	1,414.8	**1,753.8**	47.8	550.1	26.0	68.8	80.8	29
June 5	492.0	715.7		1,154.6			1,870.3	**2,362.3**	*31.7*	–	–	84.3	55.1	75.1	**2,576.7**	307.4	1,455.4	**1,762.8**	45.8	526.9	27.3	74.7	139.3	5 June
12	502.4	708.4		1,157.6			1,866.0	**2,368.4**	–	–	–	82.4	55.4	66.7	**2,572.9**	337.6	1,433.3	**1,770.9**	52.3	566.6	26.1	72.7	84.3	12
19	503.4	711.3		1,160.4			1,871.6	**2,375.0**	*6.0*	–	–	84.2	55.5	67.0	**2,581.6**	332.9	1,437.3	**1,770.1**	43.7	571.6	24.9	74.4	96.9	19
26	513.4	694.7		1,161.3			1,856.0	**2,369.4**	–	–	24.0	83.5	55.5	54.6	**2,586.9**	339.9	1,434.9	**1,774.8**	45.5	573.6	25.4	74.4	93.2	26
July 3	523.1	699.4		1,163.3			1,862.7	**2,385.8**	*7.8*	–	12.0	74.6	57.1	107.5	**2,636.9**	300.4†	1,501.5†	**1,802.0**	49.3	530.2	30.3	66.5	158.7	3 July
10	546.4	714.0		1,164.5			1,878.5	**2,424.9**	*25.3*	–	–	77.9	57.1	48.1	**2,607.9**	351.6†	1,464.9†	**1,816.5**	39.0	534.8	26.4	68.0	123.3	10
17	558.3	702.6		1,165.8			1,868.5	**2,426.7**	–	–	–	90.2	57.1	54.5	**2,628.5**	334.5†	1,482.8†	**1,817.2**	60.0	539.7	28.1	80.0	103.4	17
24	533.5	696.6		1,168.7			1,865.3	**2,398.8**	–	–	–	83.7	57.1	43.7	**2,583.3**	352.8†	1,458.1†	**1,810.9**	56.6	532.7	26.1	74.0	83.0	24
31	503.2	694.6		1,168.9			1,863.4	**2,366.6**	–	–	–	86.9	58.4	51.9	**2,563.8**	304.8	1,513.0	**1,817.7**	54.2	490.5	26.9	77.2	97.3	31
Aug. 7	527.4	706.5		1,170.0			1,876.5	**2,403.9**	*42.3*	–	11.0	80.4	58.5	47.7	**2,601.5**	325.7	1,500.4	**1,826.1**	45.7	531.5	28.2	70.9	99.2	7 Aug.
14	554.1	701.9		1,170.9			1,872.8	**2,426.8**	*3.7*	–	–	80.8	58.5	56.8	**2,622.9**	340.1	1,486.2	**1,826.3**	49.4	547.9	28.8	70.9	99.5	14
21	564.7	714.3		1,172.3			1,886.6	**2,451.3**	–	–	–	90.4	58.5	58.7	**2,658.8**	342.3	1,475.3	**1,817.6**	51.9	560.8	32.2	80.7	115.6	21
28	546.1	715.0		1,174.0			1,889.0	**2,435.0**	–	–	–	71.1	58.5	69.5	**2,634.1**	345.2	1,468.9	**1,814.1**	67.0	563.7	32.4	61.4	95.5	28
Sept. 4	537.0	717.5		1,168.5			1,886.0	**2,423.0**	–	–	–	80.0	59.6	93.1	**2,655.7**	314.9	1,513.0	**1,827.9**	50.3	532.8	27.9	70.3	146.5	4 Sept.
11	534.9	744.6		1,168.2			1,912.7	**2,447.6**	–	–	–	67.9	59.6	52.0	**2,627.1**	350.2	1,484.6	**1,834.8**	38.5	559.5	27.9	57.9	108.4	11
18	511.9	774.8		1,181.6			1,956.4	**2,468.3**	–	–	–	73.4	59.6	54.8	**2,656.1**	346.9	1,481.7	**1,828.6**	49.9	565.0	30.8	63.7	118.1	18
25	458.7	780.9		1,170.5			1,951.4	**2,410.1**	–	–	–	69.6	59.6	49.7	**2,589.0**	354.2	1,466.0	**1,820.2**	50.4	533.7	27.6	59.9	97.3	25

1. On Dec. 31, 1956, the basis for the valuation of securities held by the Bank of Canada was changed from "not exceeding market values" to amortized values, and for this reason figures for Dec. 31 and later dates are not comparable with those for earlier dates. 2. Foreign exchange and foreign securities. 3. Industrial Development Bank capital stock, bonds and debentures. 4. Bank premises and all other assets. 5. Capital, rest fund and all other liabilities.

* Not available. † Revised.

NOTE: For 1935–1944 year-end and 1946–1952 month-end data for the majority of these series see pages 4–13 in the "Financial Supplement 1954". For 1945–1956 year-end and all month-end and weekly data back to 1953 see pages 4–15 in the "Financial Supplement 1956".

CHARTERED BANKS

MONTHLY SERIES

Bank of Canada

Millions of Dollars

I. CANADIAN CASH RESERVES★

	Cash Reserves: Bank of Canada Deposits	Cash Reserves: Bank of Canada Notes	Cash Reserves: Total	Canadian Dollar Deposit Liabilities	Average Cash Reserve Ratio 1
Averages					
1951	567	225	**792**	7,759	10.2
1952	606	239	**844**	8,110	10.4
1953	627	256	**883**	8,624	10.2
1954 1st Half	634	260	**894**	8,820	10.1
1954 2nd Half★	525	286	**811**	9,097	8.9
1955	541	293	**834**	9,915	8.4
1956	548	325	**873**	10,527	8.3
1956–Feb.	504	354	**858**	10,448	8.2
Mar.	542	299	**841**	10,285	8.2
Apr.	561	294	**855**	10,357	8.3
May	545	310	**856**	10,409	8.2
June	560	318	**878**	10,597	8.3
July	544	332	**876**	10,608	8.3
Aug.	563	338	**900**	10,649	8.5
Sept.	549	328	**877**	10,563	8.3
Oct.	544	340	**885**	10,607	8.3
Nov.	539	341	**881**	10,591	8.3
Dec.	553	338	**890**	10,704	8.3
1957–Jan.	523	355	**878**	10,660	8.2
Feb.	475	390	**865**	10,525	8.2
Mar.	514	335	**848**	10,371	8.2
Apr.	542	314	**856**	10,489	8.2
May	553	310	**863**	10,528	8.2
June	556	321	**877**	10,694	8.2
July	535	329†	**864†**	10,647†	8.1
Aug.	546	335	**880**	10,668	8.3
Sept.*	545	328	**873**	10,542	8.3

II. LIABILITIES

	Advances from Bank of Canada	Govt. of Canada	Provincial Governments	Canadian Dollar Deposits: Personal Savings	Other Notice	Other Banks 2	Public Demand	Total	Foreign Currency Deposits	Acceptances, Guarantees, & Letters of Credit	All Other Liabilities	Shareholders Equity 3	Total Liabilities
As at Dec. 31													
1951	–	88	185	4,296	316	95	2,993	**7,973**	878	225	7	375	**9,458**
1952	–	49	214	4,600	325	75	3,373	**8,636**	905	199	7	381	**10,128**
1953	–	473	166	4,756	278	69	3,368	**9,111**	963	155	8	419	**10,656**
1954	–	176	190	5,218	397	104	3,597	**9,683**	1,030	155	43	521	**11,433**
1955	2	517	181	5,633	464	139	3,915	**10,848**	1,056	203	26	567	**12,702**
1956	–	246	169	6,007	444	116	4,180	**11,162**	1,369	210	34	653	**13,428**
End of													
1956—Feb.	–	493	152	5,721	476	123	3,483	**10,449**	1,118	226	21	567	**12,380**
Mar.	5	488	223	5,791	466	125	3,316	**10,408**	1,148	229	21	568	**12,380**
Apr.	–	355	162	5,919	480	124	3,766	**10,805**	1,185	220	27	569	**12,806**
May	16	494	168	5,844	485	110	3,554	**10,655**	1,203	216	24	587	**12,700**
June	–	413	172	5,881	459	118	3,817	**10,860**	1,236	217	23	609	**12,944**
July	–	279	143	5,923	472	115	3,773	**10,706**	1,315	210	27	619	**12,878**
Aug.	–	275	123	5,941	477	110	3,731	**10,658**	1,354	226	24	628	**12,889**
Sept.	–	281	117	6,020	476	110	3,812	**10,816**	1,315	223	23	631	**13,008**
Oct.	–	153	154	6,098	453	155	3,846	**10,859**	1,334	216	48	647	**13,104**
Nov.	–	417	103	5,974	439	123	3,821	**10,877**	1,376	221	38	652	**13,164**
Dec.	–	246	169	6,007	444	116	4,180	**11,162**	1,369	210	34	653	**13,428**
1957—Jan.	–	254	138	6,039	438	110	3,499	**10,479**	1,409	209	41	653	**12,791**
Feb.	–	391	142	6,090	454	103	3,445	**10,625**	1,506	236	36	656	**13,058**
Mar.	–	377	191	6,153	444	105	3,496	**10,765**	1,450	232	36	667	**13,150**
Apr.	–	309	217	6,211	442	109	3,716	**11,004**	1,546	235	38	672	**13,494**
May	–	284	173	6,161	450	106	3,564	**10,738**	1,667	235	35	677	**13,351**
June	3	186	179	6,196	434	102	3,782	**10,879**	1,650	243	36	684	**13,495**
July	–	148	154	6,242	424	96	3,581	**10,645**	1,644	256	39	700	**13,284**
Aug.	–	122	140	6,273	420	106	3,582	**10,642**	1,752	256	38	703	**13,391**

III. ASSETS

	Bank of Canada Deposits and Notes	Cdn. Day-to-Day Loans	Treasury Bills 4	Government of Canada Direct and Guaranteed Bonds 4, 5: 2 yrs. and under	Over 2 years	Total	Other Canadian Securities 5: Provincial 6, 7	Municipal 7	Corporate	Total	Ins. Res. Mtges.	Call and Short 9: To Stock-Brokers 8	To Others	Provincial 7	Municipal 7
As at Dec. 31															
1951	892	–	236	499	2,019	2,518	321	167	393	881	–	78	30	68	94
1952	899	–	138	869	1,777	2,647	304	159	370	834	–	73	82	79	97
1953	888	–	244	482	2,034	2,516	280	152	341	773	–	61	92	65	96
1954	791	68	360	636	2,318	2,953	264	177	353	794	74	68	75	61	103
1955	840	81	427	475	2,157	2,632	322	218	482	1,022	294	112	67	83	124
1956	882	74	740	406	1,269	1,675	269	185	510	964	493	90	62	95	177
End of															
1956–Feb.	759	82	564	406	1,993	2,400	308	210	489	1,007	331	116	56	54	166
Mar.	725	75	593	398	1,922	2,319	298	210	485	993	345	109	53	6	200
Apr.	836	43	756	350	1,695	2,045	295	211	489	995	361	120	56	16	223
May	824	64	767	558	1,424	1,982	297	208	504	1,010	377	118	73	33	215
June	810	97	772	557	1,398	1,955	291	206	510	1,007	393	121	57	27	157
July	805	109	742	511	1,383	1,893	292	202	511	1,005	412	127	58	36	150
Aug.	830	68	814	522	1,325	1,847	291	200	520	1,010	432	123	37	57	145
Sept.	820	114	786	526	1,322	1,848	286	197	519	1,003	448	110	38	81	167
Oct.	884	85	791	464	1,320	1,784	295	197	516	1,008	471	104	39	83	168
Nov.	875	64	743	485	1,280	1,765	265	192	518	975	489	89	36	124	152
Dec.	882	74	740	406	1,269	1,675	269	185	510	964	493	90	62	95	177
1957–Jan. [14]	818	86	800	503[4]	1,232[4]	1,735[4]	284[4]	178	501[14]	963[4]	500	86	40	60	201
Feb.	758	101	809	545	1,223	1,768	288	178	499	964	507	90	63	74	218
Mar.	744	162	805	538	1,227	1,764	260	178	501	940	508	85	65	40	250
Apr.	846	105	758	520	1,227	1,747	268	175	502	945	509	104	91	23	270
May	755	125	812	489	1,248	1,736	266	172	505	943	512	99	61	20	263
June	770	95	784	493	1,251	1,743	258	170	512	940	503	105	61	25	236
July	795	81	794	452	1,252	1,705	275	167	510	952	509	109	56	23	190
Aug.	787	110	820	455	1,239	1,694	273	165	506	945	519	84	38	23	187

	Loans 9 In Canada: Grain Dealers 8, 10	C.S.B. 8, 11	Sub-Total 8	General Loans 8	Total Loans	Total of Foregoing Assets	Canadian Dollar Items in Transit (Net)	Foreign Cash Items Securities & Loans: Cash Items 12	Foreign Sec.	Loans Outside Canada	Customers' Liability Under Acceptances, Guarantees, & Letters of Credit	All Other Assets 13	Total Assets
As at Dec. 31													
1951	177	137	583	2,588	3,172	**7,699**	512	254	206	409	225	153	**9,458**
1952	257	146	734	2,787	3,520	**8,038**	752	283	262	435	199	159	**10,128**
1953	391	165	871	3,236	4,106	**8,527**	751	280	244	540	155	159	**10,656**
1954	404	147	859	3,237	4,096	**9,137**	827	332	322	488	155	172	**11,433**
1955	361	163	910	3,981	4,891	**10,187**	1,002	327	282	518	203	183	**12,702**
1956	373	169	966	4,432	5,398	**10,226**	1,330	356	375	720	210	211	**13,428**
End of													
1956–Feb.	356	129	877	4,087	4,964	**10,107**	677	301	293	585	226	191	**12,380**
Mar.	354	114	836	4,235	5,071	**10,121**	629	310	295	607	229	189	**12,380**
Apr.	319	97	831	4,353	5,184	**10,219**	936	314	314	611	220	191	**12,806**
May	312	76	828	4,461	5,289	**10,313**	717	296	326	632	216	200	**12,700**
June	340	60	763	4,536	5,299	**10,333**	920	294	339	641	217	200	**12,944**
July	350	45	765	4,543	5,308	**10,274**	836	314	380	657	210	205	**12,878**
Aug.	358	34	753	4,570	5,323	**10,325**	697	334	355	750	226	203	**12,889**
Sept.	341	22	759	4,523	5,281	**10,300**	859	313	396	711	223	206	**13,008**
Oct.	359	4	756	4,610	5,367	**10,390**	843	381	371	701	216	202	**13,104**
Nov.	361	193	955	4,577	5,532	**10,443**	878	314	395	712	221	201	**13,164**
Dec.	373	169	966	4,432	5,398	**10,226**	1,330	356	375	720	210	211	**13,428**
1957–Jan. [14]	363	148	899	4,407[14]	5,305[14]	**10,209[14]**	715	311	370	763[14]	209	215	**12,791**
Feb.	360	132	937	4,422	5,359	**10,266**	814	352	395	780	236	215	**13,058**
Mar.	391	115	945	4,446	5,392	**10,314**	907	330	357	793	232	217	**13,150**
Apr.	378	95	962	4,521	5,482	**10,394**	1,078	347	385	843	235	213	**13,494**
May	373	79	895	4,604	5,499	**10,383**	911	341	387	879	235	216	**13,351**
June	413	63	904	4,666	5,570	**10,406**	1,049	308	411	861	243	217	**13,495**
July	424	48	850	4,680	5,530	**10,365**	829	335	402	871	256	225	**13,284**
Aug.	426	35	794	4,726	5,520	**10,395**	847	365	424	881	256	224	**13,391**

★ For periods prior to July 1954 all figures in this section are daily averages. From July 1954, in accordance with section 71 of the Bank Act of 1954, Bank of Canada deposits are averages of the juridical days in the month shown while Bank of Canada notes and Canadian dollar deposit liabilities are averages of the 4 consecutive Wednesdays ending with the second last Wednesday in the previous month.

1. Prior to July 1st, 1954, the statutory minimum requirement was 5 per cent for each day; since that date it has been a monthly average of 8 per cent, calculated as described in footnote★.
2. Mainly deposits of foreign banks.
3. Capital, rest fund, and undivided profits as at the latest fiscal year-end.
4. Beginning January 31, 1957, month-end figures for chartered bank holdings of Government of Canada and provincial government securities are based on "amortized value" and are therefore not directly comparable with figures for preceding month-ends, which are based on "not exceeding market value".
5. Including issues payable in foreign currency.
6. Includes securities guaranteed by provincial governments.
7. Securities purchased direct from issuer with a term of less than one year at time of issue are classified as loans;
8. "Call & Short loans to Stockbrokers", "Grain Dealers", "Canada Savings Bonds" and "General Loans" are Research Department estimates.
9. Excluding Canadian day-to-day loans.
10. Loans to grain dealers and exporters.
11. Loans to finance the purchase of Canada Savings Bonds at time of issue.
12. Includes deposits with other banks in foreign currencies, foreign bank notes, gold and coin outside Canada and foreign currency items in transit (net).
13. Includes bank premises, shares of and loans to controlled corporations, gold and coin in Canada, Canadian dollar deposits with other banks and other assets.
14. Beginning January 31, 1957, figures for certain chartered bank asset items are not strictly comparable with those for earlier dates, owing to the reallocation of inner reserves consequent upon the securities valuation change referred to in footnote 4. Investment reserves which became redundant were reallocated to apply against other asset items, mainly general loans, loans outside Canada and corporate securities.

† Revised. * Preliminary.

NOTE: For 1946–1952 data see pages 14–21 in the "Financial Supplement 1954" and for 1953–1956 data see pages 16–19 in the "Financial Supplement 1956".

CHARTERED BANKS

ESTIMATED WEEKLY SERIES

Bank of Canada

Millions of Dollars

	Bank of Canada Deposits & Notes ★	Cdn. Day-to-Day Loans	Treasury Bills 1	Govt. of Canada Bonds 2	Other Canadian Securities: Prov-incial 2, 4, 5	Mun-icipal 5	Cor-porate	Total	Insured Residential Mortgages	Call & Short 3: To Stock-Brokers	To Others	Prov-incial 5	Mun-icipal 5
Average of Wednesdays													
1955—Sept.	852	54	379	3,210	334	211	443	988	196	95	40	32	123
Oct.	859	50	363	3,127	336	213	449	997	221	94	52	38	130
Nov.	854	53	298	3,051	336	215	473	1,024	250	99	55	66	117
Dec.	879	57	375	2,721	329	217	482	1,029	281	106	56	94	121
1956—Jan.	921	55	442	2,541	320	214	478	1,012	303	107	53	67	126
Feb.	796	80	542	2,432	312	211	482	1,005	324	114	53	54	147
Mar.	841	61	570	2,352	297	208	482	987	339	117	48	33	179
Apr.	874	17	640	2,184	295	208	480	984	352	119	57	11	213
May	858	59	759	1,994	294	207	489	990	368	126	65	24	216
June	886	78	760	1,932	289	206	504	1,000	385	119	62	39	188
July	871	77	739	1,906	288	202	509	999	400	128	58	25	151
Aug.	873	62	790	1,871	290	200	514	1,004	420	127	41	41	145
Sept.	885	78	798	1,850	289	197	516	1,002	438	120	35	61	153
Oct.	873	76	785	1,826	293	195	517	1,005	459	107	40	69	167
Nov.	881	79	771	1,773	280	191	515	987	480	95	36	108	142
Dec.	905	70	747	1,706	267	186	510	964	493	88	53	124	159
1957—Jan.	905	80	766	1,629	265	179	506	950	496	89	47	67	186
Feb.	805	113	813	1,658 8	270 8	179	504	952 8	502	87	48	72	199
Mar.	832	116	816	1,762	259	176	498	932	507	88	58	60	231
Apr.	866	90	792	1,740	268	173	498	939	505	94	76	26	259
May	879	107	774	1,732	266	171	500	936	508	104	68	24	264
June	889	104	799	1,726	260	168	503	931	501	107	55	24	252
July	854†	86	785†	1,704	270	166	509	944	504	110	57	22	207
Aug.	889	94	782	1,680	273	165	507	945	511	96	45	25	182
As at													
1957—Feb. 6	809	110	818	1,607	264	180	507	951	499	85	40	67	187
13	809	115	814	1,626	264	179	506	950	501	86	37	72	195
20	798	117	812	1,642	266	178	505	950	503	85	55	74	204
27 8	804	112	808	1,758 8	285 8	176	497	958 8	506	91	62	74	211
Mar. 6	814	86	829	1,766	258	176	496	930	506	91	64	71	221
13	837	117	822	1,767	259	175	499	934	506	87	53	64	228
20	832	109	813	1,765	259	176	498	932	506	89	57	61	236
27	844	152	802	1,749	259	176	498	933	508	87	59	42	240
Apr. 3	852	93	819	1,755	268	173	496	938	504	90	84	22	252
10	864	95	806	1,733	268	173	498	939	504	91	81	24	254
17	837	76	778	1,735	268	173	498	939	506	96	70	29	260
24	911	96	766	1,737	268	173	498	939	507	98	67	28	271
May 1	846	105	763	1,740	267	171	498	936	507	105	85	29	272
8	893	114	757	1,742	266	171	498	935	507	106	70	27	268
15	880	109	756	1,727	266	170	499	935	508	103	69	22	259
22	887	91	782	1,731	265	170	501	936	509	104	63	23	265
29	889	116	811	1,721	264	170	503	937	510	104	55	21	257
June 5	834	105	829	1,727	263	168	502	933	500	105	46	23	264
12	904	109	789	1,726	263	168	501	932	500	106	61	24	263
19	904	106	785	1,726	256	168	498	922	502	108	56	27	248
26	914	98	792	1,724	257	169	511	937	503	107	58	20	232
July 3	831†	93	788	1,723	260	166	508	935	501	110	52	23	229
10	886†	89	773	1,705	271	165	507	944	502	110	56	19	223
17	874	98	773	1,695	270	165	509	943	504	108	51	22	201
24	885†	70	794	1,693	274	165	509	948	506	112	68	24	192
31	795	81	797†	1,705	275	167	510	952	509	109	56	23	190
Aug. 7	857	81	773	1,681	274	165	507	946	507	104	52	25	187
14	888	102	762	1,670	273	165	508	946	510	99	48	26	182
21	903	89	774	1,680	272	165	506	944	512	92	43	25	179
28	909	106	819	1,687	272	165	506	943	516	87	38	25	183
Sept. 4	848	119	822	1,676	271	163	504	938	518	81	43	23	186
11	910	107	833	1,680	271	164	504	938	519	79	40	28	186
18	912	72	883	1,686	270	164	504	939	525	77	32	25	191

Millions of Dollars

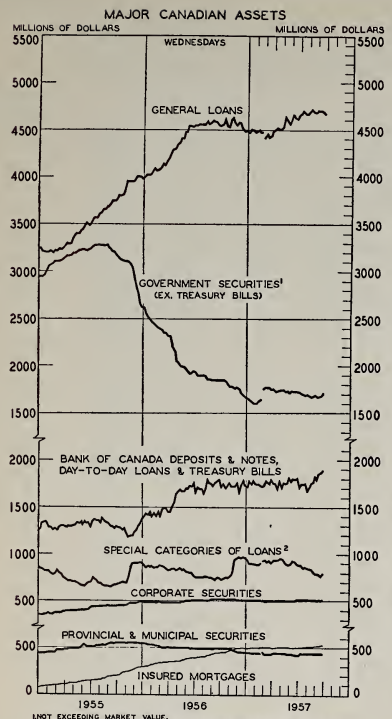
	Loans 3 in Canada: Grain Dealers 6	C.S.B. 7	Sub-Total	General Loans	Total Loans	Total of Fore-going Assets	Estimated Items in Transit (net)	Canadian Dollar Deposits: Personal Savings	Govt. of Canada Deposits	All Other	Total
Average of Wednesdays											
Sept.—1955	353	24	665	3,737	4,402	**10,083**	506	5,727	165	4,421	**10,313**
Oct.	361	12	687	3,817	4,504	**10,120**	546	5,775	124	4,492	**10,392**
Nov.	369	112	817	3,948	4,766	**10,295**	558	5,655	443	4,421	**10,520**
Dec.	359	174	909	3,988	4,897	**10,237**	605	5,603	541	4,351	**10,495**
Jan.—1956	361	153	868	4,015	4,884	**10,157**	562	5,651	510	4,228	**10,390**
Feb.	358	136	863	4,069	4,932	**10,110**	539	5,693	495	4,136	**10,324**
Mar.	355	119	852	4,156	5,008	**10,158**	511	5,754	530	4,057	**10,342**
Apr.	331	103	834	4,287	5,121	**10,172**	591	5,822	367	4,234	**10,423**
May	313	85	830	4,427	5,256	**10,285**	654	5,859	437	4,298	**10,595**
June	321	66	794	4,537	5,331	**10,371**	622	5,867	488	4,275	**10,630**
July	340	53	753	4,552	5,305	**10,297**	721	5,898	296	4,428	**10,623**
Aug.	355	39	747	4,571	5,319	**10,343**	613	5,918	307	4,338	**10,563**
Sept.	341	26	737	4,563	5,300	**10,351**	669	5,982	312	4,342	**10,635**
Oct.	347	11	740	4,571	5,312	**10,335**	700	6,047	184	4,413	**10,644**
Nov.	357	130	867	4,581	5,449	**10,420**	678	5,992	370	4,299	**10,661**
Dec.	361	178	963	4,512	5,475	**10,361**	716	5,960	341	4,355	**10,655**
Jan.—1957	361	157	907	4,482	5,389	**10,216**	680	5,992	242	4,258	**10,492**
Feb.	355	138	899	4,463	5,363	**10,207**	616	6,063	335	4,010	**10,408**
Mar.	365	121	923	4,447	5,369	**10,334**	610	6,102	436	3,955	**10,492**
Apr.	374	105	934	4,511	5,445	**10,376**	668	6,151	311	4,093	**10,556**
May	373	87	921	4,580	5,500	**10,436**	765	6,167	328	4,180	**10,675**
June	401	69	908	4,637	5,545	**10,495**	723	6,164	266	4,237	**10,667**
July	416	54	866	4,679	5,545	**10,422†**	795	6,209	180	4,274	**10,663**
Aug.	430	40	819	4,700	5,519	**10,420**	650	6,245	157	4,111	**10,513**
As at											
6 Feb.—1957	358	144	880	4,491	5,372	**10,166**	584	6,066	332	3,947	**10,345**
13	354	140	884	4,476	5,360	**10,174**	570	6,054	324	3,959	**10,337**
20	356	136	909	4,474	5,383	**10,204**	642	6,061	340	4,040	**10,441**
27	355	132	925	4,413 8	5,338 8	**10,284**	667	6,071	344	4,096	**10,511**
6 Mar.	356	127	930	4,448	5,379	**10,310**	584	6,102	442	3,918	**10,463**
13	363	123	919	4,422	5,341	**10,323**	579	6,094	455	3,884	**10,434**
20	366	119	928	4,436	5,364	**10,322**	673	6,102	425	4,022	**10,550**
27	370	115	914	4,479	5,393	**10,382**	604	6,108	419	3,995	**10,523**
3 Apr.	373	111	933	4,508	5,441	**10,402**	680	6,163	307	4,101	**10,571**
10	373	107	929	4,522	5,452	**10,393**	569	6,144	320	4,022	**10,486**
17	375	103	933	4,505	5,438	**10,309**	699	6,149	309	4,074	**10,531**
24	375	99	939	4,509	5,448	**10,403**	725	6,150	309	4,177	**10,635**
1 May	375	95	960	4,527	5,487	**10,384**	922	6,219	309	4,295	**10,823**
8	373	91	936	4,631	5,567	**10,514**	629	6,178	343	4,075	**10,596**
15	373	87	914	4,587	5,501	**10,416**	782	6,152	356	4,160	**10,668**
22	371	83	908	4,557	5,464	**10,400**	799	6,152	336	4,202	**10,691**
29	370	79	887	4,596	5,483	**10,466**	691	6,132	294	4,169	**10,595**
5 June	381	75	895	4,652	5,546	**10,472**	696	6,179	294	4,151	**10,625**
12	403	71	928	4,633	5,561	**10,520**	653	6,159	314	4,166	**10,639**
19	410	67	916	4,615	5,531	**10,475**	788	6,161	248	4,312	**10,721**
26	410	63	891	4,650	5,541	**10,508**	756	6,155	207	4,314	**10,676**
3 July	411	60	885	4,676	5,560	**10,429**	971†	6,217	126	4,468	**10,814†**
10	419	57	883	4,703	5,586	**10,483**	725†	6,183	247	4,225	**10,653†**
17	412	54	849	4,670	5,518	**10,405**	774†	6,206	187	4,248	**10,643†**
24	416	51	863	4,668	5,531	**10,425**	673†	6,197	189	4,174	**10,560**
31	424	48	850	4,680	5,530	**10,368†**	829	6,242	148	4,255	**10,645**
7 Aug.	427	45	839	4,721	5,560	**10,406**	656	6,253	188	4,053	**10,494**
14	437	42	834	4,688	5,522	**10,400**	652	6,238	159	4,104	**10,501**
21	431	39	809	4,684	5,494	**10,396**	694	6,243	154	4,131	**10,529**
28	424	35	792	4,706	5,498	**10,477**	600	6,244	126	4,156	**11,527**
4 Sept.	424	32	790	4,703	5,494	**10,415**	752	6,299	108	4,197	**10,604**
11	423	29	786	4,704	5,490	**10,477**	619	6,282	170	4,095	**10,547**
18	419	26	771	4,691	5,462	**10,479**	716	6,289	159	4,225	**10,674**

★ For data on cash reserves, see section 1 of table on page 272. 1. Par value throughout. 2. Valued at "not exceeding market value" prior to Feb. 27, 1957. See footnote 8. 3. Excluding Canadian day-to-day loans. 4. Includes securities guaranteed by provincial governments. 5. Securities purchased direct from issuer with a term of less than 1 year at time of issue are classified as loans. 6. Loans to grain dealers and exporters. 7. Loans to finance the purchase of Canada Savings Bonds at time of issue. 8. Beginning with the weekly statistics for Feb. 27 the chartered banks' holdings of Government of Canada and provincial government securities are valued at "amortized value" rather than at "not exceeding market value" as previously. Because of this change in valuation procedure and the consequent reallocation of inner reserves most of the asset figures for Feb. 27 and subsequent dates, particularly holdings of the securities in question and general loans, are not directly comparable with those of previous weeks. † Revised.

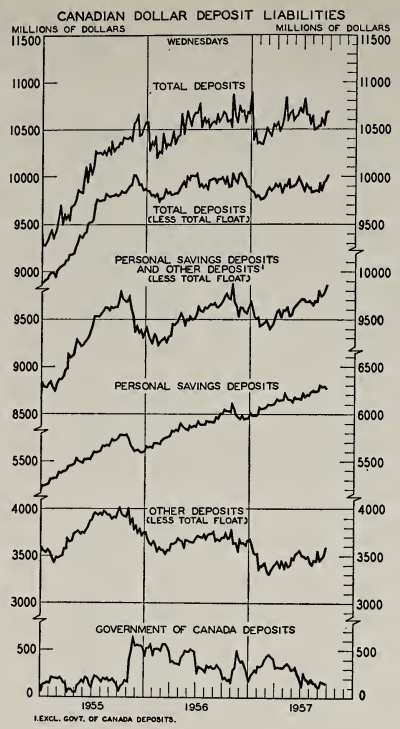
NOTE: FOR DATA BACK TO AUGUST 1953 SEE PAGES 20–27 IN THE "FINANCIAL SUPPLEMENT 1956".

CHARTERED BANKS

ASSETS AND LIABILITIES



1. NOT EXCEEDING MARKET VALUE.
2. LOANS TO PROVINCIAL GOVERNMENTS AND MUNICIPALITIES, SPECIALLY SECURED LOANS TO GRAIN DEALERS, INVESTMENT DEALERS AND STOCKBROKERS AND TO FINANCE THE PURCHASE OF CANADA SAVINGS BONDS.



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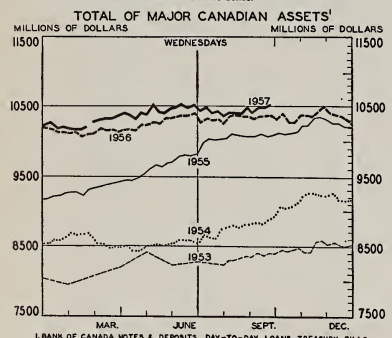
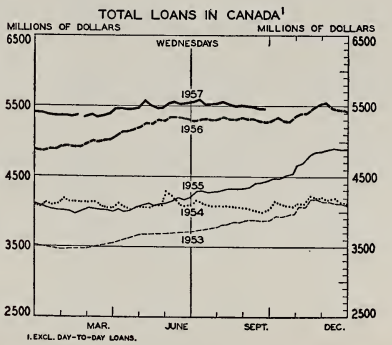


1. BANK OF CANADA NOTES & DEPOSITS, DAY-TO-DAY LOANS, TREASURY BILLS, GOVT. OF CANADA SECURITIES, OTHER CANADIAN SECURITIES, INSURED MORTGAGES AND LOANS IN CANADA.

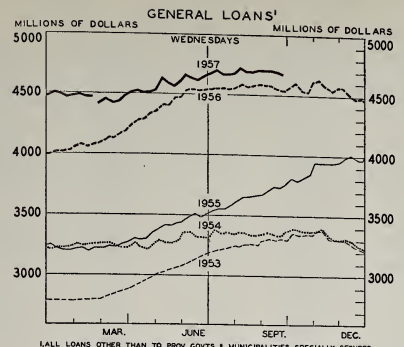


1. EXCL. DAY-TO-DAY LOANS.

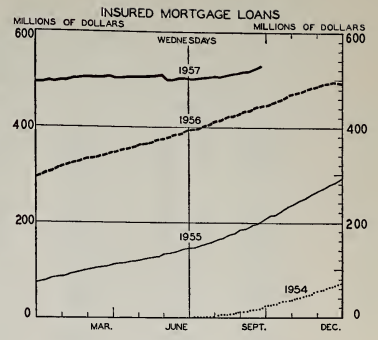
Last weekly data plotted Sept. 25, 1957. For explanation of break in series following February 20, 1957, see footnote 8 on page 276.

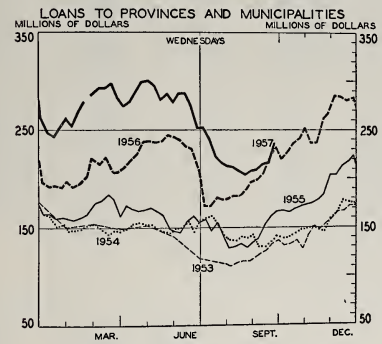
CHARTERED BANKS

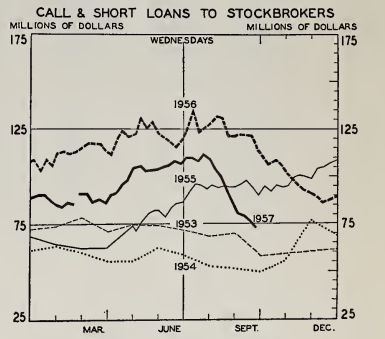
SELECTED ASSETS

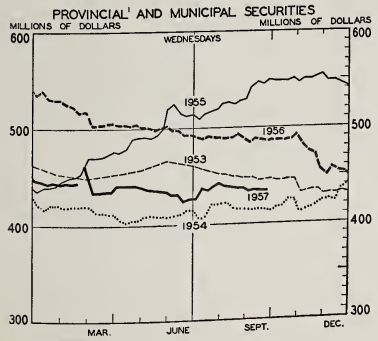


1. ALL LOANS OTHER THAN TO PROV. GOVTS. & MUNICIPALITIES, SPECIALLY SECURED LOANS TO GRAIN DEALERS, INVESTMENTS DEALERS & STOCKBROKERS AND TO FINANCE THE PURCHASE OF CAN. SAVINGS BONDS.









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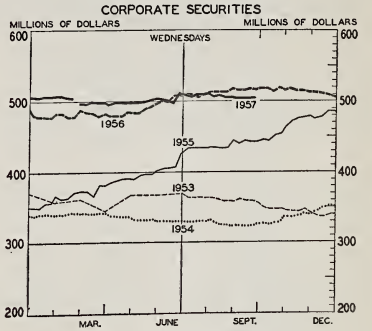

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CANADIAN DOLLAR CURRENCY AND BANK DEPOSITS HELD BY THE GENERAL PUBLIC

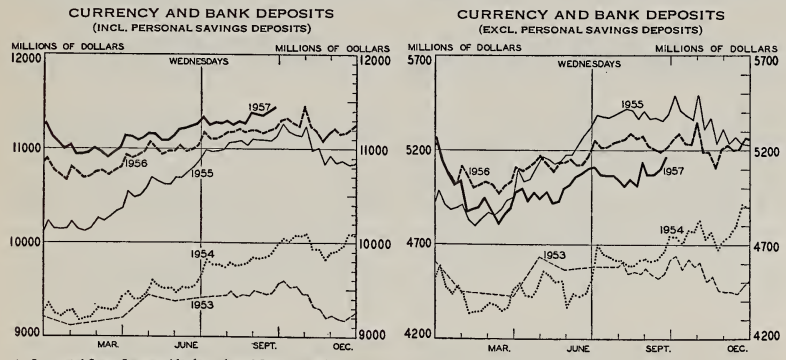
Millions of Dollars — *Bank of Canada*

	Currency Outside Banks			Chartered Bank Deposits			Total Currency and Chartered Bank Deposits [1]	
	Notes	Coin	Total	Personal Savings Deposits	Other Deposits [1]	Total [1]	Excluding Personal Savings Deposits	Including Personal Savings Deposits
As at Dec. 31								
1952	1,289	88	1,377	4,600	3,281	7,881	4,658	9,258
1953	1,335	94	1,429	4,756	3,129	7,885	4,558	9,314
1954	1,362	96	1,458	5,218	3,462	8,680	4,920	10,137
1955	1,449	101	1,550	5,633	3,697	9,330	5,248	10,881
1956	1,498	108	1,605	6,007	3,580	9,587	5,185	11,192
End of								
1955—Sept.	1,436	99	1,535	5,757	3,853	9,610	5,388	11,145
Oct.	1,397	100	1,497	5,839	3,929	9,768	5,426	11,265
Nov.	1,395	100	1,495	5,615	3,815	9,430	5,310	10,925
Dec.	1,449	101	1,550	5,633	3,697	9,330	5,248	10,881
1956—Jan.	1,358	98	1,457	5,676	3,593	9,269	5,049	10,726
Feb.	1,375	99	1,474	5,721	3,557	9,278	5,031	10,753
Mar.	1,458	102	1,561	5,791	3,501	9,292	5,062	10,853
Apr.	1,415	102	1,517	5,919	3,596	9,514	5,113	11,031
May	1,425	102	1,527	5,844	3,600	9,444	5,127	10,972
June	1,500	104	1,604	5,881	3,646	9,527	5,250	11,131
July	1,458	103	1,561	5,923	3,668	9,591	5,229	11,152
Aug.	1,515	106	1,621	5,941	3,745	9,686	5,366	11,306
Sept.	1,514	106	1,620	6,020	3,656	9,676	5,276	11,295
Oct.	1,472	106	1,578	6,098	3,764	9,862	5,342	11,440
Nov.	1,543	108	1,651	5,974	3,607	9,582	5,258	11,233
Dec.	1,498	108	1,605	6,007	3,580	9,587	5,185	11,192
1957—Jan.	1,445	104	1,549	6,039	3,470	9,509	5,019	11,058
Feb.	1,457	105	1,562	6,090	3,329	9,419	4,892	10,982
Mar.	1,500	107	1,607	6,153	3,328	9,481	4,935	11,088
Apr.	1,457	107	1,564	6,211	3,406	9,617	4,970	11,181
May	1,523	109	1,631	6,161	3,382	9,543	5,014	11,174
June	1,559	110	1,669	6,196	3,448	9,644	5,117	11,313
July	1,510	109	1,618	6,242	3,426	9,668	5,044	11,287
Aug.	1,571	111	1,682	6,273	3,401	9,673	5,082	11,355

1. Less total float, i.e. cheques and other items in transit (net). Excludes Government of Canada deposits.

NOTE: For data back to 1953 see page 32 in the "Financial Supplement 1956".

CURRENCY AND CHARTERED BANK DEPOSITS[1] HELD BY THE GENERAL PUBLIC



1. Less total float. Last weekly data plotted Sept. 25, 1957.

CLASSIFICATION OF GOVERNMENT OF CANADA DIRECT AND GUARANTEED SECURITIES

Millions of Dollars, Par Value — *Bank of Canada*

	Direct Funded Debt Outstanding							Guaranteed Funded Debt	Total Outstanding [2]
	Treasury Bills	Treasury Notes	Deposit Certificates	Other Unmatured Market Issues	Matured and Outstanding Market Issues	Non-market Issues [1]	Total		
As at Dec. 31									
1952	450	750	200	11,995	19	1,250	14,664	522	**15,186**
1953	650	750	–	12,066	19	1,632	15,117	520	**15,637**
1954	780	750	–	10,854	74	2,090	14,547	918	**15,465**
1955	1,225	500	–	10,952	30	2,433	15,140	860	**16,000**
1956	1,575	–	–	10,298	27	2,541	14,441	793	**15,234**
End of									
1956—Apr.	1,650	500	–	10,903	30	2,363	15,446	793	**16,239**
May	1,690	–	–	10,903	28	2,327	14,948	793	**15,741**
June	1,690	–	–	10,848	35	2,293	14,866	793	**15,659**
July	1,700	–	–	10,448	34	2,264	14,446	793	**15,238**
Aug.	1,710	–	–	10,448	30	2,237	14,425	793	**15,218**
Sept.	1,730	–	–	10,448	29	2,210	14,417	793	**15,210**
Oct.	1,720	–	–	10,448	28	2,199	14,395	793	**15,188**
Nov.	1,625	–	–	10,448	26	2,593	14,692	793	**15,485**
Dec.	1,575	–	–	10,298	27	2,541	14,441	793	**15,234**
1957—Jan.	1,565	–	–	10,298	23	2,508	14,394	793	**15,187**
Feb.	1,605	–	–	10,298	21	2,475	14,399	793	**15,192**
Mar.	1,625	–	–	10,298	20	2,436	14,379	793	**15,172**
Apr.	1,625	–	–	10,298	20	2,394	14,337	793	**15,130**
May	1,625	–	–	10,298	19	2,350	14,292	793	**15,085**
June	1,625	–	–	10,148	22	2,315	14,109	793	**14,902**
July	1,625	–	–	10,148	17	2,277	14,066	728	**14,794**
Aug.	1,640	–	–	10,148	16	2,245	14,049	728	**14,778**

For footnotes see table below.

DISTRIBUTION OF GOVERNMENT OF CANADA DIRECT AND GUARANTEED SECURITIES

Millions of Dollars, Par Value — *Bank of Canada*

	Bank of Canada	Chartered Banks [3]	Government of Canada Accounts			General Public			Total Outstanding [2]
			Securities Investment Account [4]	Unemployment Insurance Fund	Other	Market Issues [3]	Non-market Issues [1]	Total [3]	
As at Dec. 31									
1952	2,271	2,905	47	859	195	7,659	1,250	8,909	**15,186**
1953	2,322	2,862	119	919	276	7,507	1,632	9,139	**15,637**
1954	2,267	3,375	–	892	312	6,529	2,090	8,619	**15,465**
1955	2,416	3,132	200	884	407	6,528	2,433	8,961	**16,000**
1956	2,426	2,534	160	924	434	6,215	2,541	8,756	**15,234**
End of									
1956—Apr.	2,346	2,872	810	838	413	6,596	2,363	8,959	**16,238**
May	2,299	2,815	350	841	415	6,694	2,327	9,021	**15,741**
June	2,374	2,797	341	850	415	6,588	2,293	8,881	**15,659**
July	2,387	2,717	80	862	414	6,514	2,264	8,777	**15,238**
Aug.	2,428	2,751	105	880	418	6,400	2,237	8,636	**15,218**
Sept.	2,453	2,732	105	895	422	6,394	2,210	8,604	**15,210**
Oct.	2,454	2,675	165	909	421	6,363	2,199	8,562	**15,188**
Nov.	2,478	2,624	190	919	430	6,250	2,593	8,844	**15,485**
Dec.	2,426	2,534	160	924	434	6,215	2,541	8,756	**15,234**
1957—Jan.	2,302	2,535	182	917	437	6,305	2,508	8,813	**15,187**
Feb.	2,249	2,580	182	899	442	6,365	2,475	8,840	**15,192**
Mar.	2,288	2,573	182	878	429	6,386	2,436	8,822	**15,172**
Apr.	2,353	2,509	182	858	433	6,400	2,394	8,794	**15,130**
May	2,354	2,549	112	847	530	6,343	2,350	8,693	**15,085**
June	2,410	2,530	–	854	508	6,285	2,315	8,600	**14,902**
July	2,401	2,502	–	865	506	6,243	2,277	8,520	**14,794**
Aug.	2,461	2,517	–	872	504	6,178	2,245	8,423	**14,778**

1. Refundable Tax, War Savings Certificates and Canada Savings Bonds, and since May 1, 1954, Canada Savings Bonds only.
2. Foreign pay issues are converted at the rate of £1 = $2.80 U.S. = $2.80 Cdn. Excludes sinking fund and government account "N" holdings of Newfoundland sterling securities assumed by the Government of Canada. For details by issue at Sept. 30, 1957, see table on page 283.
3. Chartered bank holdings are shown at estimated par value; the figures for general public holdings are residuals obtained by deducting all other holdings from the total outstanding.
4. Market issues only, i.e., excludes holdings of Canada Savings Bonds being purchased on the payroll plan by Government employees, which are included under general public holdings of non-market issues.

NOTE: For data back to 1953 see pages 33–34 in the "Financial Supplement 1956".

GOVERNMENT OF CANADA DIRECT AND GUARANTEED SECURITIES★

Bank of Canada

NEW ISSUES AND RETIREMENTS

Millions of Dollars

Date of Issue or Retirement	Type of Security	Amount (Par Values) 1, 2 New Issues	Amount (Par Values) 1, 2 Retirements	Currency of Payment	Coupon Rate %	Date of Final Maturity	Earliest Call Date	Date of Issue	Issue or Call Price	Yield to Final Maturity
DIRECT MARKET ISSUES (ex. Special Short-term)										
1955										
July 1	Loan	700		C	2	May 1/58	NC	July 1/55	100.00	2.00
1	Loan		200	C	2 ¼	July 1/55	NC	Mar. 1/53		
1	Loan		400	C	2 ¼	July 1/55	NC	Nov. 1/53		
	Other Retirements		2	£						
		700	602							
1956										
Jan. 15	Loan		48 [3]	US	3 ¼	Jan. 15/61	Jan. 15/56	Jan. 15/36	100.00	
June 1	Loan		55 [3]	C	3 ¼	June 1/66	June 1/56	June 1/36	100.00	
July 1	Loan		400	C	2 ¼	July 1/56	NC	Nov. 1/50		
Sept. 15	Loan	250		C	3 ¾	Mar. 15/98	Sept. 15/96	Sept. 15/56	97.00	3.90
Sept. 15	5th Victory Loan (in part)		250 [3]	C	3	Jan. 1/59	Jan. 1/56	Nov. 1/43	98.625	
Dec. 15	Loan	150		C	2 ¼	June 15/57	NC	Dec. 15/56	99.125	4.03
Dec. 15	Loan	250		C	2 ¼	Dec. 15/57	NC	Dec. 15/56	98.00	4.31
Dec. 15	Loan		550	C	2 ¼	Dec. 15/56	NC	June 1/54		
	Other Retirements		1	£						
		650	1,304							
1957										
June 15	Loan		150	C	2 ¼	June 15/57	NC	Dec. 15/56		
Oct. 1†	Loan	400		C	3	Oct. 1/58	NC	Oct. 1/57	98.25	4.81
1†	Loan	300		C	3	Oct. 1/59	NC	Oct. 1/57	96.30	4.97
1†	Loan		700	C	2	Oct. 1/57	NC	Oct, 1/54		
		700	850							
GUARANTEED ISSUES										
1955										
Mar. 1	C.N. (West Indies) S.S.		9	C £ US	5	Mar. 1/55	NC	Mar. 1/30		
June 15	C.N.R.		49	C £ US	4 ¾	June 15/55	NC	June 15/30		
			58							
1956										
Feb. 1	C.N.R.		67	C £ US	4 ½	Feb. 1/56	NC	Feb. 1/31		
			67							
1957										
July 1	C.N.R.		64	C US	4 ½	July 1/57	NC	July 1/27		
			64							

★ Excluding Treasury Bills, Treasury Notes and Canada Savings Bonds. For complete details of loans outstanding see "Loans of Government of Canada and Loans Guaranteed by the Government of Canada" published annually by the Bank of Canada. For information on Treasury Bills Issues see the table "Money Market Statistics" on pages 284–285 and on Treasury Notes see the table "Classification of Government of Canada Direct and Guaranteed Securities" on page 281.

1. For totals outstanding at month-ends see page 281.
2. Foreign pay issues are converted into Canadian dollars at the rates £1 = $2.80 U.S. = $2.80 Cdn.
3. Called prior to maturity.
4. Assumed by the Government of Canada at the time of union. Amounts are net of sinking fund and government account "N" holdings.
5. After notice.

* Preliminary.
** Less than $0.5 million.
† Refunding announced Sept. 9.

NOTE: FOR DATA BACK TO 1952 SEE PAGES 52–53 IN THE "FINANCIAL SUPPLEMENT 1956".

DETAILS OF UNMATURED OUTSTANDING ISSUES

Millions of Dollars

Date of Final Maturity	Type of Security	Amount Outstanding (Par Values) 1, 2 Dec. 31 1953	Dec. 31 1954	Dec. 31 1955	Dec. 31 1956	Sept. 30 1957	Currency of Payment	Coupon Rate %	Earliest Call Date	Date of Issue
DIRECT MARKET ISSUES (ex. Special Short-term)										
1954–Mar. 1	2nd Victory Loan	470	–	–	–	–	C	3	1.3.52	1.3.42
July 1	Loan	100	–	–	–	–	C	2	NC	1.3.53
Dec. 15	Refunding Loan	395	–	–	–	–	C	2	NC	15.6.50
Dec. 15	Loan	150	–	–	–	–	C	2	NC	1.11.52
1955–July 1	Loan	200	200	–	–	–	C	2 ¼	NC	1.3.53
July 1	Loan	400	400	–	–	–	C	2 ¼	NC	1.11.53
1956–July 1	Loan	400	400	400	–	–	C	2 ¼	NC	1.11.50
Nov. 1	3rd Victory Loan	847 [3]	–	–	–	–	C	3	1.11.53	1.11.42
Dec. 15	Loan	–	550	550	–	–	C	2 ¼	NC	1.6.54
1957–May 1	4th Victory Loan	1,111 [3]	–	–	–	–	C	3	1.5.54	1.5.43
June 15	Loan	–	–	–	150	–	C	2 ¼	NC	15.12.56
Oct. 1	Loan	–	700	700	700	700	C	2	NC	1.10.54
Dec. 15	Loan	–	–	–	250	250	C	2 ¼	NC	15.12.56
1958–May 1	Loan	300	300	300	300	300	C	3	NC	1.11.53
May 1	Loan	–	–	700	700	700	C	2	NC	1.7.55
June 1	Loan	88 [3]	–	–	–	–	C	3	1.6.53	1938-39
1959–Jan. 1	5th Victory Loan	1,197	1,197	1,197	947	947	C	3	1.1.56	1.11.43
1960–June 1	6th Victory Loan	1,165	1,165	1,165	1,165	1,165	C	3	1.6.57	1.5.44
1961–Jan. 15	Loan	48	48	48 [3]	–	–	US	3 ¼	15.1.56	15.1.36
1962–Feb. 1	7th Victory Loan	1,316	1,316	1,316	1,316	1,316	C	3	1.2.59	1.11.44
1963–July 1	Registered Stock	2	2	2	2	2	£	3 ¼	1.7.58	1.7.38
July 1	Govt. of Newfoundland [4]	30	28	26	25	25*	£	3	1.7.43	1933-34
Aug. 1	Loan	150	150	150	150	150	US	3	1.8.58	1.8.48
Oct. 1	8th Victory Loan	1,296	1,296	1,296	1,296	1,296	C	3	1.10.59	1.5.45
1966–June 1	Loan	55	55	55 [3]	–	–	C	3 ¼	1.6.56	1.6.36
Sept. 1	9th Victory Loan	1,692	1,692	1,692	1,692	1,692	C	3	1.9.61	1.11.45
1968–June 15	Refunding Loan	350	350	350	350	350	C	2 ¾	15.6.67	15.6.50
1974–Sept. 1	Loan	100	100	100	100	100	US	2 ¾	30 Days 5	1.9.49
1975–Sept. 15	Loan	50	50	50	50	50	US	2 ¾	30 Days 5	15.9.50
1976–June 1	Loan	–	300	300	300	300	C	3 ¼	1.6.74	1.6.54
1978–Jan. 15	Loan	100	100	100	100	100	C	3 ¾	15.1.75	15.1.53
1979–Oct. 1	Loan	–	400	400	400	400	C	3 ¼	NC	1.10.54
1998–Mar. 15	Loan	–	–	–	250	250	C	3 ¾	15.9.96	15.9.56
Perpetual	Loan	55	55	55	55	55	C	3	15.9.66	15.9.36
	TOTAL [1]	12,066	10,854	10,952	10,298	10,148*				
GUARANTEED ISSUES										
1954–Feb. 1	C.N.R.	50	–	–	–	–	C	5	NC	1.2.24
1955–Mar. 1	C.N. (West Indies) S.S.	9	9	–	–	–	C £ US	5	NC	1.3.30
June 15	C.N.R.	49	49	–	–	–	C £ US	4 ¾	NC	15.6.30
1956–Feb. 1	C.N.R.	67	67	67	–	–	C £ US	4 ½	NC	1.2.31
1957–July 1	C.N.R.	64	64	64	64	–	C US	4 ½	NC	1.7.27
1958–July 20	Can. Northern Rly.	6	6	6	6	6	C £	3 ½	NC	–3.10
1959–Jan. 15	C.N.R.	35	35	35	35	35	C	3	15.1.54	15.1.39
1961–May 19	Can. North. Ont. Rly.	2	2	2	2	2	£	3 ½	NC	8.12.11
1962–Jan. 1	Grand Trunk Pac. Rly.	26	26	26	26	26	C £ US	3	NC	1.7.05
Jan. 1	Grand Trunk Pac. Rly.	8	8	8	8	8	C £ US	4	NC	5.8.14
1963–Feb. 1	C.N.R.	–	250	250	250	250	C	2 ¾	1.2.61	15.12.54
1966–Jan. 3	C.N.R.	35	35	35	35	35	C	3	3.1.61	3.1.49
1967–Jan. 2	C.N.R.	50	50	50	50	50	C	2 ¾	2.1.64	2.1.47
1969–Sept. 15	C.N.R.	70	70	70	70	70	C	2 ⅞	15.9.64	15.9.49
1971–Jan. 16	C.N.R.	40	40	40	40	40	C	2 ⅞	16.1.66	16.1.50
1974–Feb. 1	C.N.R.	–	200	200	200	200	C	3 ¾	1.2.72	1.2.54
1975–June 15	C.N.R.	6	6	6	6	6	US	2 ¾	30-60 Days 5	15.6.50
	All other	2	**	**	**	**	£			
	TOTAL [1]	520	918	860	793	728				

For footnotes, see opposite page.

NOTE: FOR DATA BACK TO DEC. 31, 1953 SEE PAGE 54 IN THE "FINANCIAL SUPPLEMENT 1956".

MONEY MARKET STATISTICS

WEEKLY SERIES

Bank of Canada

	Bank of Canada[1]			Chartered Banks					Treasury Bills[2]				Distribution of Govt. of Canada Direct and Gtd. Securities[2] (Including Treasury Bills)								
	Outstanding Advances to Chartered and Savings Banks	Can. Govt. Securities Held Under Purchase & Resale Agreements		Cash Ratio Statutory Basis		Day-to-Day Loans			Weekly Tender on Thurs. following Wed. date shown				Distribution								
		At Date	Maximum During Week	At Date	Average: Month to Date	Closing Rate	Wkly. Av. of Daily Closing Rates	Amount Outstanding	Average Yield 3 Month Bills	Average Yield 9 Month Bills	Amount Sold 3 Month Bills	Amount Sold 9 Month Bills	Total	Bank of Canada	Chartered Banks[3]	Government Accounts	General Public: Canada Savings Bonds	General Public: Matured & Outstanding Market Issues	General Public: Other Unmatured	General Public: Total	
	Millions of Dollars			*Percent*				*mm. of $*	*Percent*		*Millions of Dollars*		*Par Value in Millions of Dollars*								
Wednesdays																					**Wednesdays**
1955—July 27	–	–	–	8.1	8.4	1 1/8	1.08	109	1.43	1.72	40	15	15,519	2,301	3,741	1,247	1,942	40	6,248	8,230	27 July—1955
Aug. 31	–	–	8	8.1	8.3	1 1/2	1.53	90	1.70	1.95	40	15	15,519	2,314	3,735	1,279	1,921	37	6,233	8,191	31 Aug.
Sept. 28	–	–	–	8.4	8.2	1 5/8	1.80	41	1.83	2.10	40	15	15,520	2,357	3,611	1,360	1,902	35	6,255	8,192	28 Sept.
Oct. 26	16	4	12	8.4	8.3	2 1/4	2.13	53	2.20	–	60	–	15,582	2,347	3,498	1,434	1,917	33	6,353	8,303	26 Oct.
Nov. 30	4	–	2	8.4	8.3	2 1/4	2.25	54	2.58	–	60	–	15,974	2,422	3,323	1,334	2,461	31	6,403	8,895	30 Nov.
Dec. 28	–	–	–	8.2	8.2	2 3/8	2.38	56	2.56	–	75	–	15,982	2,423	3,108	1,492	2,435	30	6,494	8,959	28 Dec.
1956—Jan. 25	–	–	–	8.3	8.4	2 1/4	2.33	54	2.53	–	100	–	15,989	2,303	3,038	1,604	2,415	35	6,595	9,044	25 Jan.—1956
Feb. 29	–	6	6	8.1	8.2	2 1/2	2.50	82	2.56	–	115	–	16,063	2,246	3,027	1,752	2,405	32	6,601	9,038	29 Feb.
Mar. 28	–	–	3	7.9	8.2	2 5/8	2.58	62	2.64	–	115	–	16,188	2,296	2,957	1,935	2,387	30	6,583	9,000	28 Mar.
Apr. 25	10	–	–	8.3	8.2	2 5/8	2.68	13	2.89	–	125	–	16,229	2,329	2,856	2,067	2,363	30	6,584	8,976	25 Apr.
May 30	26	–	–	8.2	8.2	2 3/4	2.73	63	2.72	–	130	–	15,737	2,302	2,802	1,604	2,323	28	6,678	9,029	30 May
June 27	5	–	–	8.3	8.3	2 3/8	2.48	62	2.52	–	130	–	15,658	2,392	2,795	1,606	2,293	35	6,538	8,865	27 June
July 25	12	–	–	8.1	8.3	2 5/8	2.63	81	2.65	–	130	–	15,236	2,398	2,699	1,352	2,266	35	6,487	8,787	25 July
Aug. 29	–	–	–	8.2	8.4	2 1/4	2.40	32	2.90	–	135	–	15,214	2,422	2,762	1,403	2,237	31	6,360	8,627	29 Aug.
Sept. 26	–	–	–	8.2	8.3	2 3/4	2.88	95	3.16	–	135	–	15,205	2,441	2,739	1,424	2,210	29	6,362	8,601	26 Sept.
Oct. 31	–	–	26	8.6	8.3	2 3/4	2.90	85	3.34	–	115	–	15,187	2,454	2,675	1,496	2,199	28	6,336	8,562	31 Oct.
Nov. 28	50	–	–	8.5	8.2	2 7/8	3.03	97	3.52	–	115	–	15,494	2,451	2,610	1,540	2,582	26	6,285	8,893	28 Nov.
Dec. 26	10	–	–	8.2	8.3	3 1/4	3.25	75	3.67	–	125	–	15,233	2,506	2,530	1,447	2,530	28	6,193	8,750	26 Dec.
1957—Jan. 30	–	–	–	8.2	8.2	3	3.00	86	3.70	–	125	–	15,178	2,312	2,530	1,536	2,500	23	6,278	8,800	30 Jan.—1957
Feb. 27	–	–	12	8.4	8.2	3 1/2	3.55	112	3.76	–	125	–	15,187	2,254	2,570	1,520	2,470	21	6,352	8,844	27 Feb.
Mar. 27	10	–	14	8.2	8.2	3 5/8	3.70	152	3.70	–	125	–	15,169	2,280	2,554	1,501	2,433	20	6,380	8,833	27 Mar.
Apr. 24	21	–	5	8.4	8.1	3 3/4	3.71	96	3.75	–	125	–	15,132	2,353	2,506	1,477	2,396	20	6,380	8,796	24 Apr.
May 29	25	–	–	8.2	8.2	3 3/8	3.53	116	3.76	–	125	–	15,082	2,352	2,535	1,494	2,348	19	6,335	8,701	29 May
June 26	24	–	9	8.4	8.2	3 3/4	3.83	97	3.81	–	125	–	14,900	2,404	2,519	1,397	2,312	22	6,245	8,580	26 June
July 31	–	–	3	7.7	8.1	3 3/4	3.75	81	3.81	–	125	–	14,794	2,401	2,502	1,371	2,277	17	6,227	8,520	31 July
Aug. 28	–	–	–	8.4	8.2	3 1/4	3.55	106	4.03	–	130	–	14,766†	2,470	2,506	1,376	2,238	16	6,159	8,414†	28 Aug.
Sept. 25	–	–	–	8.2	8.3	2 1/4	2.45	73	3.80	–	130	–	14,755	2,444	2,635	1,384	2,208	16	6,068	8,292	25 Sept.
Weekly																					**Weekly**
1957—Apr. 3	30	–	–	8.3	8.1	3 5/8	3.55	93	3.69	–	125	–	15,165	2,277	2,577	1,490	2,430	20	6,372	8,822	3 Apr.—1957
10	–	4	49	8.2	8.1	3 3/4	3.73	95	3.71	–	125	–	15,148	2,295	2,542	1,485	2,413	20	6,394	8,827	10
17	–	28	28	8.1	8.1	3 3/4	3.75	76	3.73	–	125	–	15,138	2,344	2,516	1,481	2,402	20	6,376	8,798	17
24	21	–	5	8.4	8.1	3 3/4	3.71	96	3.75	–	125	–	15,132	2,353	2,506	1,477	2,396	20	6,380	8,796	24
May 1	–	–	–	8.2	8.2	3 3/4	3.73	105	3.76	–	125	–	15,127	2,352	2,506	1,473	2,392	20	6,385	8,796	1 May
8	–	6	29	8.3	8.1	3 7/8	3.80	114	3.78	–	125	–	15,115	2,364	2,501	1,498	2,379	19	6,352	8,751	8
15	–	–	4	8.3	8.2	3 5/8	3.75	109	3.78	–	125	–	15,099	2,379	2,486	1,497	2,364	19	6,354	8,737	15
22	–	–	–	8.1	8.2	3 5/8	3.72	91	3.76	–	125	–	15,091	2,362	2,516	1,497	2,357	19	6,341	8,717	22
29	25	–	–	8.2	8.2	3 3/8	3.53	116	3.76	–	125	–	15,082	2,352	2,535	1,494	2,348	19	6,335	8,701	29
June 5	–	32	32	7.9	7.9	3 7/8	3.70	105	3.79	–	125	–	15,078	2,395	2,558	1,482	2,344	19	6,280	8,643	5 June
12	–	–	26	8.3	8.1	3 3/4	3.85	109	3.79	–	125	–	15,064	2,401	2,518	1,480	2,331	18	6,315	8,665	12
19	–	6	23	8.3	8.1	3 7/8	3.83	106	3.80	–	125	–	14,916	2,410	2,514	1,398	2,321	30	6,244	8,595	19
26	24	–	9	8.4	8.2	3 3/4	3.83	97	3.81	–	125	–	14,900	2,404	2,519	1,397	2,312	22	6,245	8,580	26
July 3	12	8	8	8.1	8.1	3 3/4	3.69	93	3.81	–	125	–	14,827	2,421	2,510	1,361	2,306	21	6,210	8,536	3 July
10	–	25	25	8.1	8.1	4	3.85	89	3.81	–	125	–	14,816	2,460	2,478	1,366	2,296	20	6,197	8,512	10
17	–	–	20	8.2	8.2	3 3/4	3.75	98	3.81	–	125	–	14,803	2,462	2,468	1,365	2,283	19	6,206	8,508	17
24	–	–	–	8.1	8.2	3 1/2	3.58	70	3.80	–	125	–	14,793	2,434	2,486	1,369	2,275	18	6,212	8,505	24
31	–	–	3	7.7	8.1	3 3/4	3.75	81	3.81	–	125	–	14,794	2,401	2,502	1,371	2,277	17	6,227	8,520	31
Aug. 7	11	42	44	8.1	7.8	4	3.88	81	3.92	–	125	–	14,781†	2,439	2,455	1,372	2,263	17†	6,235	8,515	7 Aug.
14	–	4	35	8.3	8.0	4 1/8	4.08	102	4.03	–	125	–	14,769†	2,462	2,432	1,370	2,252	17†	6,237	8,505†	14
21	–	–	6	8.4	8.1	3 7/8	4.00	89	4.08	–	130	–	14,768†	2,486	2,455	1,372	2,245	17†	6,193	8,455†	21
28	–	–	–	8.4	8.2	3 1/4	3.55	106	4.03	–	130	–	14,766†	2,470	2,506	1,376	2,238	16	6,159	8,414†	28
Sept. 4	–	–	–	8.2	8.2	3 1/4	3.16	119	4.01	–	130	–	14,768	2,457	2,498	1,377	2,236	16	6,184	8,436	4 Sept.
11	–	–	–	8.4	8.2	3 1/4	3.20	107	4.00	–	130	–	14,763	2,482	2,513	1,382	2,226	16	6,144	8,386	11
18	–	–	–	8.5	8.3	2 3/4	3.03	72	3.93	–	130	–	14,757	2,503	2,569	1,383	2,215	16	6,069	8,301	18
25	–	–	–	8.2	8.3	2 1/4	2.45	73	3.80	–	130	–	14,755	2,444	2,635	1,384	2,208	16	6,068	8,291	25

1. Bank Rate, the minimum rate at which the Bank of Canada will make temporary loans or advances, stood at 2% from October 1950 to February 14, 1955 when it was reduced to 1½%. The rate was raised to 2% on August 5, 1955, to 2½% on October 12, 1955, to 2¾% on November 18, 1955, to 3% on April 4, 1956, to 3¼% on August 9, 1956, and to 3½% on October 17, 1956. Since November 1, 1956, Bank Rate has been ¼ of 1% above the latest weekly average tender rate for 91-day Treasury Bills. 2. This table has been revised to show all holdings of Government of Canada direct and guaranteed securities at par value, and for this reason the figures for Bank of Canada and chartered bank holdings differ from those appearing on pages 272, 274 and 276. Foreign-pay issues are valued at uniform exchange rates of £1 = $2.80 U.S. = $2.80 Cdn. 3. Estimated par value. † Revised.

NOTE: For data back to July 1954 see pages 36–41 in the "Financial Supplement 1956".

TREASURY BILL RATES, GOVERNMENT BOND PRICES[1] AND MARKET YIELDS[2]

SELECTED ISSUES[3]

CANADA, UNITED STATES, UNITED KINGDOM

Bank of Canada

	Weighted Average of Tender Rates on 3 Month Treasury Bills[4]			Canada								United States						United Kingdom				
				3% Sept. 1/61–66		2¾% June 15/67–68		3¾% Jan. 15/75–78		3¼% Oct. 1/79		2½% Dec. 15/63–68		2¾% Dec. 15/67–72		3¼% June 15/78–83		3% Apr. 15/59–69		3% Aug. 15/65–75		
	Canada	U.S.	U.K.	Price	Yield	Price	Yield	Price	Yield	Price	Yield	Price	Yield	Price	Yield	Price	Yield	Price	Yield	Price	Yield	
Wednesdays				*Cdn. $*		*Cdn. $*		*Cdn. $*		*Cdn. $*		*U.S. $*		*U.S. $*		*U.S. $*		£		£		**Wednesdays**
1955—Sept. 28	1.83	2.12	4.07	99 1/4	3.08	96 3/8	3.10	105 1/2	3.36	99 5/8	3.27	96	2.86	95 9/32	2.85	104 3/4	2.96	81 3/4	4.85	78	4.71	28 Sept.—1955
Oct. 26	2.20	2.23	4.07	99 1/4	3.08	95 3/4	3.16	105 1/2	3.36	99 5/8	3.27	96 7/8	2.78	95 27/32	2.81	105 1/8	2.90	84 1/32	4.60	80 21/32	4.48	26 Oct.
Nov. 30	2.58	2.45	4.07	97 1/2	3.28	94 3/8	3.30	105	3.39	97 3/8	3.39	96 3/8	2.83	94 27/32	2.89	105 1/4	2.93	82 13/16	4.74	79	4.64	30 Nov.
Dec. 28	2.56	2.69	4.07	97 1/4	3.31	93 1/2	3.39	103 3/4	3.48	97 3/8	3.41	95 3/4	2.89	94 13/16	2.89	105 1/32	2.94	82 1/32	4.85	78 3/8	4.69	28 Dec.
1956—Jan. 25	2.53	2.25	4.07	98	3.22	94 1/2	3.29	104 1/2	3.43	98 3/8	3.35	96 1/2	2.83	95 3/4	2.82	105 3/4	2.90	80 13/32	5.04	77	4.83	25 Jan.—1956
Feb. 29	2.56	2.41	5.20	98	3.23	95	3.25	105 1/4	3.37	99 1/8	3.30	96 25/32	2.83	95 23/32	2.83	105 11/16	2.90	80 1/2	5.06	76 7/8	4.85	29 Feb.
Mar. 28	2.64	2.17	5.17	97 7/8	3.33	93 1/2	3.40	103 1/2	3.49	97 3/8	3.41	94 29/32	3.00	93 15/16	2.96	104 1/32	3.00	79 1/32	5.23	75 1/32	5.03	28 Mar.
Apr. 25	2.89	2.79	5.01	94 3/4	3.61	92 1/2	3.51	100 3/4	3.69	94 1/2	3.60	93 23/32	3.10	92 25/32	3.06	102 3/8	3.12	80 13/32	5.08	75 13/32	4.96	25 Apr.
May 30	2.72	2.57	5.01	95 5/8	3.51	92 5/8	3.51	102	3.60	95 7/8	3.51	95 13/16	2.90	95 1/4	2.86	104 5/16	2.98	79	5.27	74 3/4	5.07	30 May
June 27	2.52	2.54	5.14	96 3/8	3.42	93 5/8	3.40	103 3/4	3.47	98	3.37	95 9/16	2.96	94 9/16	2.92	104 1/4	2.99	77 19/32	5.45	73 9/32	5.24	27 June
July 25	2.65	2.30	4.98	95 3/8	3.55	92 1/2	3.53	101 1/2	3.64	95 1/4	3.55	93 31/32	3.09	93 7/32	3.03	102 1/16	3.12	77 27/32	5.43	72 1/16	5.36	25 July
Aug. 29	2.90	2.83	5.02	93 7/8	3.74	90	3.81	99 1/2	3.78	93 1/8	3.69	91 15/32	3.35	90 15/16	3.22	100 1/32	3.25	79 1/2	5.28	74 1/4	5.14	29 Aug.
Sept. 26	3.16	2.99	5.09	92 7/8	3.87	89 1/2	3.88	98	3.89	91 1/2	3.81	92 5/16	3.27	91 13/16	3.15	100 5/8	3.24	77 17/32	5.51	72 5/32	5.37	26 Sept.
Oct. 31	3.34	2.89	5.00	92 1/4	3.96	89	3.94	98	3.89	91 1/8	3.84	91 11/16	3.34	90 23/32	3.24	99 3/16	3.30	78 3/4	5.37	72 3/8	5.35	31 Oct.
Nov. 28	3.52	3.17	5.02	91 1/8	4.11	88 3/4	3.97	97	3.96	90 3/4	3.86	90 31/32	3.42	89 19/32	3.34	98 1/4	3.35	77 3/4	5.49	71 1/4	5.47	28 Nov.
Dec. 26	3.67	3.22	4.86	90 7/8	4.16	88 3/4	3.98	96 3/4	3.98	90 1/4	3.90	90 15/32	3.48	88 9/16	3.44	97 1/2	3.39	78 13/32	5.43	72 13/32	5.36	26 Dec.
1957—Jan. 30	3.70	3.28	4.54	89 1/2	4.35	86 3/4	4.23	95	4.11	87	4.14	92 9/16	3.26	91 9/16	3.18	99 1/4	3.29	83	4.86	77 5/8	4.84	30 Jan.—1957
Feb. 27	3.76	3.29	4.00	91 5/8	4.07	88 1/2	4.02	96 1/4	4.02	89 1/2	3.96	91 23/32	3.34	90 9/16	3.27	99 5/16	3.29	82 5/8	4.91	76 23/32	4.91	27 Feb.
Mar. 27	3.70	3.03	4.11	91 1/4	4.13	87 1/2	4.15	96 1/4	4.02	90	3.92	92 3/16	3.27	91 1/2	3.19	99 1/8	3.30	81 19/32	5.05	75 17/32	5.06	27 Mar.
Apr. 24	3.75	3.05	3.91	89 5/8	4.36	86	4.35	96 1/4	4.02	89 1/2	3.96	91 1/16	3.44	89 7/8	3.33	97 7/16	3.41	81 1/4	5.11	75	5.12	24 Apr.
May 29	3.76	3.25	3.92	89	4.46	85	4.49	94 1/2	4.15	86 3/4	4.17	89 1/2	3.62	88 7/16	3.47	96 1/8	3.48	79 9/16	5.38	72 25/32	5.36	29 May
June 26	3.81	3.23	3.85	88	4.62	84 1/2	4.56	94	4.19	86 3/4	4.17	87 1/4	3.89	86 3/8	3.66	93 7/8	3.61	78 1/32	5.45	70 9/16	5.60	26 June
July 31	3.81	3.36	3.82	87 3/4	4.67	83 1/2	4.71	93 1/4	4.25	85 3/4	4.25	87 1/2	3.87	86 13/16	3.63	93 1/4	3.66	79 9/16	5.38	70 3/4	5.59	31 July
Aug. 28	4.03	3.50	4.12	86 1/2	4.88	82 3/4	4.81	93	4.27	84 1/2	4.35	88 1/4	3.78	87 7/16	3.57	93	3.67	78 29/32	5.30	69 9/32	5.78	28 Aug.
Sept. 25	3.80	3.54	6.60	88 5/8	4.57	84	4.66	93	4.27	85	4.31	88	3.82	86 7/16	3.67	93 3/8	3.65	77 21/32	5.65	68 5/32	5.89	25 Sept.
Weekly																						**Weekly**
1957—Apr. 10	3.71	3.15	4.04	90 3/4	4.20	87	4.22	96 1/2	4.00	89 3/4	3.94	92 1/8	3.32	91	3.24	98 11/16	3.33	81 9/32	5.10	75 1/2	5.07	10 Apr.—1957
17	3.73	3.19	3.94	90 3/8	4.26	86 1/2	4.28	96 3/8	4.01	89 3/4	3.94	91 1/8	3.43	89 7/8	3.33	98 1/8	3.36	80 13/32	5.19	74 3/8	5.18	17
24	3.75	3.05	3.91	89 5/8	4.36	86	4.35	96 1/4	4.02	89 1/2	3.96	91 1/16	3.44	89 7/8	3.33	97 5/16	3.41	81 1/4	5.11	75	5.12	24
May 1	3.76	3.04	3.74	89 3/8	4.40	85 1/4	4.45	96	4.04	89	4.00	91 1/8	3.44	89 13/16	3.34	96 5/8	3.45	81 3/4	5.06	75 5/16	5.09	1 May
8	3.78	2.91	3.81	89 3/8	4.40	85 1/4	4.45	95 1/2	4.07	88	4.07	90 15/16	3.46	89 7/8	3.34	97	3.42	82 7/16	4.97	75 9/16	5.09	8
15	3.78	2.89	3.83	89 1/4	4.42	85 1/4	4.45	95	4.11	87	4.15	90 3/8	3.51	89 1/4	3.39	96 15/16	3.43	80 7/8	5.17	73 23/32	5.26	15
22	3.76	3.12	3.91	89	4.46	84 3/4	4.51	94 3/4	4.13	86 3/4	4.17	90 1/2	3.50	89 1/2	3.37	96 15/16	3.43	79 15/16	5.29	72 13/32	5.38	22
29	3.76	3.25	3.92	89	4.46	85	4.49	94 1/2	4.15	86 3/4	4.17	89 1/2	3.62	88 7/16	3.47	96 1/8	3.48	79 9/16	5.38	72 25/32	5.36	29
June 5	3.79	3.37	3.91	89	4.46	85	4.49	94 7/8	4.12	86 7/8	4.16	89 1/8	3.67	88 1/4	3.49	96	3.49	78 19/32	5.48	71 17/32	5.52	5 June
12	3.79	3.26	3.86	88 7/16	4.48	85	4.49	95 1/8	4.10	86 7/8	4.16	88 13/16	3.70	88	3.51	95 1/2	3.52	77 23/32	5.57	70 23/32	5.56	12
19	3.80	3.40	3.86	88 1/2	4.55	84 3/4	4.53	94 1/2	4.15	86 3/4	4.17	87 7/16	3.91	86 1/4	3.67	93 5/8	3.63	78 11/32	5.52	71 11/32	5.52	19
26	3.81	3.23	3.85	88	4.62	84 1/2	4.56	94	4.19	86 3/4	4.17	87 1/4	3.89	86 3/8	3.66	93 7/8	3.61	78 1/32	5.45	70 9/16	5.60	26
July 3	3.81	3.24	3.85	88 1/4	4.58	84 3/4	4.53	94 1/4	4.17	86 3/4	4.17	87 3/4	3.84	87 3/16	3.59	94 9/16	3.57	78 3/32	5.56	70 1/2	5.62	3 July
10	3.81	3.17	3.85	88 1/8	4.60	84 1/2	4.56	93 1/2	4.23	86 1/4	4.21	87 3/4	3.84	87 1/4	3.58	94 3/8	3.59	77 23/32	5.61	70 1/2	5.62	10
17	3.81	3.09	3.84	87 3/4	4.67	84 1/4	4.60	93 1/4	4.25	86	4.23	87 5/8	3.85	87	3.61	94 9/16	3.60	77	5.71	69 1/4	5.76	17
24	3.80	3.16	3.85	87 3/4	4.67	84 1/8	4.62	93 1/4	4.25	85 3/4	4.25	86 15/16	3.93	86 5/16	3.66	93 15/16	3.65	78 5/8	5.49	70 5/16	5.64	24
31	3.81	3.36	3.82	87 3/4	4.67	83 1/2	4.71	93 1/4	4.25	85 3/4	4.25	87 1/2	3.87	86 13/16	3.63	93 1/4	3.66	79 9/16	5.38	70 3/4	5.59	31
Aug. 7	3.92	3.31	3.88	87 1/4	4.74	83 1/4	4.74	93	4.27	85 1/4	4.29	87 7/8	3.83	87 1/16	3.61	92 7/8	3.68	80 1/16	5.30	71 5/16	5.53	7 Aug.
14	4.03	3.50	3.99	86 7/8	4.80	83	4.78	92 3/4	4.29	85	4.31	87 1/2	3.87	86 11/16	3.64	92 7/16	3.71	79 3/4	5.36	70 3/8	5.63	14
21	4.08	3.35	4.05	86 1/2	4.88	82 3/4	4.81	92 3/4	4.29	84 1/2	4.35	88 1/16	3.81	87 3/8	3.57	93 5/16	3.65	78 15/16	5.46	69 1/16	5.78	21
28	4.03	3.50	4.12	86 1/2	4.88	82 3/4	4.81	93	4.27	84 1/2	4.35	88 1/4	3.78	87 7/16	3.57	93	3.67	78 29/32	5.46	69 9/32	5.78	28
Sept. 4	4.01	3.57	4.22	87 1/4	4.76	83 1/4	4.76	93	4.27	85	4.31	89	3.70	88	3.52	93 11/16	3.63	78 19/32	5.53	68 19/32	5.84	4 Sept.
11	4.00	3.58	4.23	87 1/8	4.78	83 1/4	4.76	93	4.27	85	4.31	88 3/4	3.73	87 11/16	3.55	94 1/8	3.60	79 25/32	5.37	69 21/32	5.76	11
18	3.93	3.63	6.60	88 3/8	4.60	83 5/8	4.71	93	4.27	84 3/4	4.33	88	3.82	86 11/16	3.65	93	3.67	80 3/32	5.32	70 11/32	5.64	18
25	3.80	3.54	6.60	88 5/8	4.57	84	4.66	93	4.27	85	4.31	88	3.82	86 7/16	3.67	93 3/8	3.65	77 21/32	5.65	68 5/32	5.89	25

1. Government bond prices are closing bids at the Wednesday date for Canadian and United States issues. Prices of the United Kingdom Apr. 15/59–69 issue are closing transactions at the Wednesday date and of the United Kingdom Aug. 15/65–75 issue are approximate mid-market transactions at the Wednesday date. All prices exclude accrued interest.
2. Market yields are based on the prices shown and are expressed as per cent per annum to maturity date if at a discount and to earliest call date if at a premium.
3. On Jan. 1st, 1957 the amounts outstanding for the four Canadian bond issues were $1,692 million, $350 million, $100 million, and $400 million respectively; for the three United States bond issues, $2,824 million, $3,785 million, and $1,606 million respectively; and for the two United Kingdom bond issues £296 million and £1,073 million respectively.
4. Treasury Bill tender rates are at the date nearest the Wednesday shown. In Canada tenders are received on Thursday, in the United States on Monday, and in the United Kingdom on Friday.

NOTE: FOR 1950–1952 DATA SEE PAGES 52–55 IN THE "FINANCIAL SUPPLEMENT 1954" AND FOR 1953–1956 DATA SEE PAGES 44–51 IN THE "FINANCIAL SUPPLEMENT 1956".

SECURITY ISSUES AND RETIREMENTS★

Bank of Canada

Par Values in Millions of Canadian Dollars

Total Provincial, Municipal, Corporate & "Other" Securities

	Gross New Issues			Retirements			Net New Issues		
	Canadian Dollars Only	Other Currencies 2	Total	Canadian Dollars Only	Other Currencies 2	Total	Canadian Dollars Only	Other Currencies 2	**Total**
Calendar Years									
1953	1,130†	354	1,484†	385	58	443	745†	296	**1,041†**
1954	1,569†	263†	1,832	519†	122†	641†	1,050†	141†	**1,191†**
1955	1,882†	96	1,978†	641†	120	761†	1,241†	−24	**1,217†**
1956	2,168	551	2,719	422	58	480	1,746	493	**2,239**
Quarters									
1955—III	298†	10	308†	157	24	181	141†	−14	**127†**
IV	475†	–	475†	189†	19	208†	286†	−19	**267†**
1956—I	474†	119	593†	112†	11	123†	362†	108	**470†**
II	564†	132	696†	114†	12	126†	450†	120	**570†**
III	541	164	705	87	8	95	454	156	**610**
IV	589	136	725	109	27	136	480	109	**589**
1957—I	542	224	766	144	47	191	398	177	**575**
II	620	238	858	93	68	161	527	170	**697**

Municipal Direct and Guaranteed Securities 3

	Gross New Issues			Retirements			Net New Issues		
	Canadian Dollars Only	Other Currencies	Total	Canadian Dollars Only 4	Other Currencies	Total	Canadian Dollars Only	Other Currencies	**Total**
Calendar Years									
1953	221	72	293	86	17	103	135	55	**190**
1954	340	31	371	89	20	109	251	11	**262**
1955	291	42	333	101	22	123	190	20	**210**
1956	235	108	343	112	24	136	123	84	**207**
Quarters									
1955—III	51	–	51	26	3	29	25	−3	**22**
IV	102	–	102	26	10	36	76	−10	**66**
1956—I	38	5	43	27	3	30	11	2	**13**
II	98	32	130	28	4	32	70	28	**98**
III	32	59	91	28	2	30	4	57	**61**
IV	67	12	79	29	15	44	38	−3	**35**
1957—I	61	32	93	30	3	33	31	29	**60**
II	55	8	63	31	4	35	24	4	**28**

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Details of Government of Canada Direct and Guaranteed Securities are shown on pages 282–283.

1. Excludes payments into sinking funds.
2. Includes Canadian stock issues with dividends payable in U.S. dollars.
3. Excludes issues guaranteed by provinces which are already included in "Provincial Direct and Guaranteed". Also excludes issues sold directly to provinces which are estimated to be as follows:

	Gross New Issues	Retirements	Net New Issues
1952	23	2	21
1953	42	3	39
1954	39	4	35
1955	45	11	34
1956	57	9	48

NOTE: For calendar year 1952 and first half of 1955 data see pages 56–57 in the "Financial Supplement 1956".

Provincial Direct and Guaranteed Securities

	Gross New Issues			Retirements 1			Net New Issues		
	Canadian Dollars Only	Other Currencies	Total	Canadian Dollars Only	Other Currencies	Total	Canadian Dollars Only	Other Currencies	**Total**
Calendar Years									
1953	251	140	391	91	28	119	160	112	**272**
1954	380	116	496	133	69	202	247	47	**294**
1955	372	–	372	111	50	161	261	−50	**211**
1956	418	214	632	72	23	95	346	191	**537**
Monthly									
Sept.—1955	61	–	61	25	8	33	36	−8	**28**
III	114	–	114	40	15	55	74	−15	**59**
Oct.	20	–	20	5	–	5	15	–	**15**
Nov.	–	–	–	4	1	5	−4	−1	**−5**
Dec.	3	–	3	7	2	9	−4	−2	**−6**
IV	23	–	23	16	3	19	7	−3	**4**
Jan.—1956	65	87	152	2	2	4	63	85	**148**
Feb.	–	5	5	2	2	4	−2	3	**1**
Mar.	14	–	14	7	–	7	7	–	**7**
I	79	92	171	11	4	15	68	88	**156**
Apr.	9	–	9	9	–	9	–	–	–
May	65	50	115	1	2	3	64	48	**112**
June	5	–	5	19	4	23	−14	−4	**−18**
II	79	50	129	29	6	35	50	44	**94**
July	81†	39	120†	10	1	11	71†	38	**109†**
Aug.	9	–	9	2	1	3	7	−1	**6**
Sept.	4	–	4	4	1	5	–	−1	**−1**
III	94	39	133	16	3	19	78	36	**114**
Oct.	84	–	84	3	–	3	81	–	**81**
Nov.	8	–	8	7	1	8	1	−1	–
Dec.	74	33	107	6	9	15	68	24	**92**
IV	166	33	199	16	10	26	150	23	**173**
Jan.—1957	36	15	51	8	3	11	28	12	**40**
Feb.	54	48	102	5	2	7	49	46	**95**
Mar.	30	–	30	66	–	66	−36	–	**−36**
I	120	63	183	79	5	84	41	58	**99**
Apr.	125	2	127	1	2	3	124	–	**124**
May	5	43	48	5	6	11	–	37	**37**
June	11	–	11	4	55	59	7	−55	**−48**
II	141	45	186	10	63	73	131	−18	**113**
July	83	–	83	17	1	18	66	−1	**65**
Aug.	6	–	6	1	9	10	5	−9	**−4**

Corporate and "Other" Securities 5

	Gross New Issues			Retirements			Net New Issues		
	Canadian Dollars Only	Other Currencies 2	Total	Canadian Dollars Only	Other Currencies 2	Total	Canadian Dollars Only	Other Currencies 2	**Total**
Calendar Years									
1953	658†	142	800†	208	13	221	450†	129	**579†**
1954	849†	116†	965	297†	33†	330†	552†	83†	**635†**
1955	1,219†	54	1,273†	429†	48	477†	790†	6	**796†**
1956	1,515	229	1,744	238	11	249	1,277	218	**1,495**
Quarters									
III—1955	133†	10	143†	91	6	97	42†	4	**46†**
IV	350†	–	350†	147†	6	153†	203†	−6	**197†**
I — 1956	357†	22	379†	74†	4	78†	283†	18	**301†**
II	387†	50	437†	57†	2	59†	330†	48	**378†**
III	415	66	481	43	3	46	372	63	**435**
IV	356	91	447	64	2	66	292	89	**381**
I — 1957	361	129	490	35	39	74	326	90	**416**
II	424	185	609	52	1	53	372	184	**556**

4. No information is available on retirements of Canadian dollar municipal bonds on a quarterly basis and annual estimates have been prorated over the four quarters.
5. For detail see table on page 290.

† Revised.

CORPORATE AND "OTHER" SECURITY ISSUES AND RETIREMENTS★

Par Values in Millions of Canadian Dollars — *Bank of Canada*

	Corporate Bonds and Debentures [1]								
	Gross New Issues			Retirements			Net New Issues		
	Canadian Dollars Only	Other Currencies	Total	Canadian Dollars Only	Other Currencies	Total	Canadian Dollars Only	Other Currencies	Total
Calendar Years									
1953	394†	114	508†	148	13	161	246†	101	**347†**
1954	576†	115†	691	218†	33†	251†	358†	82†	**440†**
1955	681†	9	690†	330†	45	375†	351†	−36	**315†**
1956	819	229	1,048	217	11	228	602	218	**820**
Monthly									
1955—Sept.	34†	–	34†						
III	72†	9	81†	64	3	67	8†	6	**14†**
Oct.	112†	–	112†						
Nov.	38	–	38						
Dec.	61	–	61						
IV	211†	–	211†	110†	6	116†	101†	−6	**95†**
1956—Jan.	90	1	91						
Feb.	56	20	76						
Mar.	90	1	91						
I	236	22	258	69†	4	73†	167†	18	**185†**
Apr.	91†	–	91†						
May	55†	17	72†						
June	52	33	85						
II	198†	50	248†	51†	2	53†	147†	48	**195†**
July	65†	39	104†						
Aug.	24	–	24						
Sept.	90	27	117						
III	179	66	245	37	3	40	142	63	**205**
Oct.	62	5	67						
Nov.	77	57	134						
Dec.	67	29	96						
IV	206	91	297	60	2	62	146	89	**235**
1957—Jan.	48	39	87						
Feb.	130	80	210						
Mar.	84	10	94						
I	262	129	391	33	6	39	229	123	**352**
Apr.	153	140	293						
May	71	16	87						
June	67	29	96						
II	291	185	476	50	1	51	241	184	**425**
July	19	10	29						
Aug.	5	2	7						

	"Other" Bonds and Debentures [2]			Preferred Stocks			Common Stocks		
	Gross New Issues	Retirements	Net New Issues	Gross New Issues [3]	Retirements [4]	Net New Issues	Gross New Issues [3, 5]	Retirements	Net New Issues
Calendar Years									
1953	3	7	−4	83	32	**51**	206	21	**185**
1954	35	12	**23**	92	66	**26**	147	1	**146**
1955	52	27	**25**	170	75	**95**	361	–	**361**
1956	13	9	**4**	184	12	**172**	499	–	**499**
Quarters									
1955—III	–	15	**−15**	4	15	**−11**	58	–	**58**
IV	16	4	**12**	72	33	**39**	51	–	**51**
1956—I	4	2	**2**	34	3	**31**	83†	–	**83†**
II	3	2	**1**	82	4	**78**	104†	–	**104†**
III	1	2	**−1**	34	4	**30**	201	–	**201**
IV	5	3	**2**	34	1	**33**	111	–	**111**
1957—I	9	2	**7**	19	33	**−14**	71	–	**71**
II	–	2	**−2**	14	–	**14**	119	–	**119**

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1. Includes issues of Canadian corporations (including CNR issues not guaranteed by the Government of Canada) payable in Canadian dollars or other currencies except in those few cases where issues are sold abroad in foreign currencies and the proceeds are used outside Canada. Also includes Canadian dollar issues of foreign corporations when the proceeds are used in Canada. No liabilities of trust and loan companies are included.
2. Consists of issues of Canadian religious and other institutions and Canadian dollar issues of Australia and I.B.R.D. New issues of Australia amounted to $15 million in 1955 and those of I.B.R.D. amounted to $15 million in 1952, $25 million in 1954, and $15 million in 1955 and retirements to $15 million in 1955. These are all Canadian dollar issues.
3. At offering prices.
4. Includes retirement of $3 million stock in third quarter 1955 and of $33 million stock in first quarter of 1957 having dividends payable in U.S. dollars.
5. Includes stock issues having dividends payable in U.S. dollars of $28 million in 1953, $1 million in 1954, $44 million in the first quarter of 1955 and $1 million in the second quarter of 1955. † Revised.

NOTE: For calendar year 1952 and first half of 1955 data see page 58 in the "Financial Supplement 1956".

GOVERNMENT OF CANADA THEORETICAL BOND YIELDS[1]

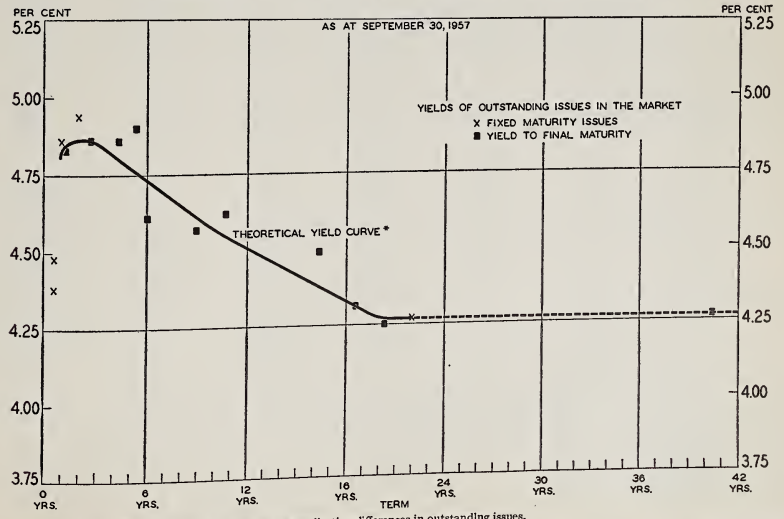
Percent per Annum — *Bank of Canada*

	1 Year	2 Years	3 Years	5 Years	10 Years	15 Years	20 Years	25 Years
1956—June 15	2.98	3.32	3.49	3.54	3.43	3.42	3.41	3.41
29	2.70	3.12	3.33	3.46	3.39	3.38	3.39	3.40
July 13	2.97	3.30	3.43	3.56	3.48	3.46	3.45	3.44
31	3.20	3.44	3.56	3.68	3.58	3.59	3.60	3.61
Aug. 15	3.69	3.93	3.97	3.95	3.78	3.76	3.75	3.74
31	3.57	3.86	3.89	3.88	3.78	3.77	3.76	3.76
Sept. 15	3.87	3.94	3.96	3.91	3.79	3.78	3.78	3.78
29	3.80	3.95	4.01	4.05	3.87	3.88	3.88	3.88
Oct. 15	3.82	3.97	4.03	4.05	3.86	3.85	3.84	3.84
31	4.03	4.12	4.17	4.19	3.94	3.90	3.87	3.85
Nov. 15	4.11	4.24	4.35	4.41	4.02	3.93	3.90	3.89
30	4.32	4.46	4.50	4.51	4.13	3.98	3.93	3.92
Dec. 14	4.32	4.48	4.51	4.51	4.08	3.97	3.95	3.94
31	4.41	4.56	4.60	4.60	4.10	4.01	4.00	3.99
1957—Jan. 15	4.62	4.84	4.84	4.67	4.23	4.13	4.10	4.08
31	4.74	4.80	4.81	4.79	4.28	4.18	4.16	4.13
Feb. 15	4.43	4.49	4.52	4.54	4.05	4.03	4.02	4.01
28	4.08	4.26	4.38	4.45	4.03	4.00	3.98	3.97
Mar. 15	4.07	4.21	4.29	4.35	4.05	4.01	3.97	3.95
29	4.18	4.29	4.37	4.41	4.13	4.06	3.99	3.95
Apr. 15	4.14	4.34	4.43	4.49	4.20	4.10	4.00	3.94
30	4.18	4.49	4.58	4.61	4.35	4.16	4.01	3.96
May 15	4.25	4.58	4.64	4.64	4.40	4.27	4.15	4.11
31	4.33	4.68	4.74	4.69	4.46	4.31	4.17	4.14
June 15	4.30	4.65	4.73	4.77	4.47	4.30	4.16	4.14
28	4.35	4.72	4.81	4.82	4.56	4.37	4.20	4.18
July 15	4.38	4.70	4.80	4.84	4.61	4.42	4.25	4.22
31	4.23	4.68	4.76	4.79	4.64	4.45	4.26	4.24
Aug. 15	4.77	4.90	4.95	4.95	4.81	4.56	4.30	4.27
30	4.60	4.84	4.89	4.90	4.72	4.52	4.32	4.26
Sept. 13	4.83	4.94	4.97	4.93	4.73	4.54	4.34	4.29
30	4.83	4.86	4.85	4.78	4.57	4.42	4.27	4.27

1. Obtained as indicated by chart below.

NOTE: For 1952 data see page 38 in the "Financial Supplement 1955" and for 1953–1956 data see pages 42–43 in the "Financial Supplement 1956"

GOVERNMENT OF CANADA THEORETICAL BOND YIELDS



* Free-hand curve which takes into account certain qualitative differences in outstanding issues.

STOCK MARKET STATISTICS

Toronto, Montreal and Canadian Stock Exchanges; Dominion Bureau of Statistics

	Brokers' Loans 1 (Millions of Dollars)	Market Transactions 1 Volume (Millions of Shares)	Market Transactions 1 Value (Millions of Dollars)	Index Numbers of Common Stock Prices 2 (1935-39 = 100) Investors' Total	Industrials Total	Industrials Pulp & Paper	Industrials Oils	Total Utilities	Golds	Base Metals
1955—July	108.3	148.0	355.0	246.5	252.8	1,069.8	169.2	208.9	75.0	241.8
Aug.	102.9	138.8	340.4	245.3	252.3	1,066.9	164.7	207.0	76.3	250.0
Sept.	98.8	144.3	333.6	255.9	265.9	1,098.2	174.1	211.2	75.3	252.0
Oct.	102.2	104.8	287.4	239.9	248.9	1,044.9	164.1	200.6	71.0	224.2
Nov.	107.6	94.0	264.5	245.6	255.3	1,062.5	168.8	201.4	71.2	230.2
Dec.	120.3	101.0	256.9	247.6	257.0	1,073.3	170.8	204.2	72.6	233.0
1956—Jan.	121.5	139.3	247.1	248.5	257.0	1,070.0	175.5	206.5	75.8	238.1
Feb.	123.2	219.1	304.4	249.2	258.1	1,077.3	182.6	204.1	76.7	235.8
Mar.	117.1	212.9	439.3	267.9	280.3	1,153.0	205.2	210.2	79.4	260.2
Apr.	131.3	258.1	479.6	273.0	286.2	1,123.9	210.0	209.3	78.8	269.7
May	129.6	148.1	399.6	268.5	282.9	1,192.5	211.7	204.2	78.8	268.5
June	133.4	103.3	259.4	267.0	283.0	1,146.0	219.4	199.8	76.7	273.1
July	139.3	104.6	309.0	282.4	299.0	1,185.8	234.9	207.9	79.5	291.5
Aug.	136.1	106.0	324.3	291.8	308.9	1,175.3	250.1	215.7	79.5	301.9
Sept.	123.7	81.6	213.3	278.9	294.4	1,077.2	243.7	209.2	74.1	282.2
Oct.	118.3	94.0	239.7	270.3	284.8	1,024.9	236.2	205.1	72.5	273.3
Nov.	103.6	80.4	255.4	262.3	276.0	994.2	239.2	200.3	68.6	262.2
Dec.	102.2	78.4	199.0	267.8	281.7	998.9	244.8	203.6	68.9	267.8
1957—Jan.	97.3	136.8	275.0	273.7	287.3	1,005.3	251.6	207.5	70.6	265.7
Feb.	100.7	108.3	200.3	263.2	276.0	946.4	244.8	203.6	69.3	243.2
Mar.	95.5	128.7	242.3	267.5	281.0	966.4	246.2	209.2	68.1	249.6
Apr.	114.0	124.6	310.9	278.8	294.2	997.0	262.9	212.5	72.4	255.4
May	109.6	117.5	324.4	287.6	304.8	996.4	278.8	216.1	76.2	234.2
June	115.1	100.7	280.6	286.9	303.5	998.9	275.6	216.8	80.6	227.7
July	119.5	76.9	247.2	284.7	301.6	991.9	274.2	213.8	79.3	222.2
Aug.	94.3	70.1	221.5	259.0	272.4	915.9	245.9	200.6	73.2	192.6
Sept.*	81.9	56.3	173.7	242.2	252.8	861.3	225.5	191.2	71.4	180.7

1. Toronto, Montreal and Canadian Stock Exchanges. Brokers' loan data are for the last business day of the month and include borrowings from chartered banks, trust companies and other sources. Customers' free credit balances are not included. 2. Calculated by the Dominion Bureau of Statistics from Montreal and Toronto exchange quotations. Monthly series is an average of Thursday closing prices during the month. * Preliminary.

NOTE: For data back to 1953 see page 55 in the "Financial Supplement 1956".

CONSUMER CREDIT OUTSTANDING

ESTIMATES OF SELECTED ITEMS

Millions of Dollars

	Charge Accounts 1, 2	Instalment Credit: Retail Dealers 1, 3	Instalment Credit: Finance & Loan Companies 4	Instalment Credit: Total	Cash Personal Loans 5	**Total of Selected Items**
1952 — Dec. 31	309	243	373	616	460	**1,385**
1953 — Mar. 31	283	242	426	668	477	**1,428**
June 30	268	247	524	771	525	**1,564**
Sept. 30	269	254	551	805	545	**1,619**
Dec. 31	339	284	520	804	567	**1,710**
1954 — Mar. 31	313	278	500	778	576	**1,667**
June 30	300	284	526	810	615	**1,725**
Sept. 30	297	285	532	817	635	**1,749**
Dec. 31	363	322	497	819	661	**1,843**
1955 — Mar. 31	301	304	497	801	675	**1,777**
June 30	317	314	561	875	743	**1,935**
Sept. 30	330	334	613	947	779	**2,056**
Dec. 31	374	377	605	982	830	**2,186**
1956 — Mar. 31	332	360	604	964	852	**2,148**
June 30	339	367	713	1,080	896	**2,315**
Sept. 30	349	377	785	1,162	901	**2,412**
Dec. 31	389	409	769	1,178	910	**2,477**
1957 — Mar. 31	315 6	417 6	751	1,168 6	886	**2,369**
June 30*	327	424	810	1,234	911	**2,472**

SOURCES: Dominion Bureau of Statistics, Department of Insurance, Department of Agriculture and Bank of Canada.

1. Data on retail dealers' charge accounts and instalment credit outstanding are based on a revised series published by D.B.S. Excluded from the above tabulation are the charge accounts and instalment credit of certain categories of dealers whose credit is extended mainly to farmers or other businesses rather than to consumers.
2. Consumers' charge accounts receivables outstanding on the books of retail dealers.
3. Consumers' instalment receivables outstanding on the books of retail dealers.
4. Instalment paper held in connection with the financing of retail purchases of consumer goods, largely new and used automobiles. In addition to the paper held by sales finance and acceptance companies as reported in the D.B.S. publication "Sales Financing" these totals include estimates of instalment paper held by small loan companies and licensed money lenders.
5. Includes estimated personal loans by chartered banks, small loan companies, licensed money lenders and credit unions.
6. Commencing Mar. 31, 1957 "revolving credit" is included with "Retail Dealers Instalment Credit" instead of with "Charge Accounts".

* Preliminary.

NOTE: For data back to 1948 see page 59 in the "Financial Supplement 1956".

CANADIAN INVESTMENT TRANSACTIONS OF TWELVE LIFE INSURANCE COMPANIES 1

Millions of Dollars

Net Investment in:—		Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	Apr.	May	June	July	Aug.	8 Month Total*	Sept.	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.	Annual Total*
Govt. of Canada Bonds 2	1954	-6.2	8.0	-14.6	-10.6	-30.0	-1.1	-11.4	-0.6	-66.4	-10.4	7.6	-12.3	-15.2	-96.7
	1955	7.4	-2.6	-11.4	15.8	-10.4	-15.1	-8.4	1.3	-23.3	3.8	5.0	-2.7	-22.2	-39.4
	1956	-10.7	-11.4	-17.9	-26.7	-9.1	-24.7	-21.5	-7.6	-129.5	5.3	-6.3	-6.3	-11.1	-147.8
	1957	-10.1	3.2	-5.2	-11.7	-1.3	1.3	1.1	3.3	-19.4					
Provincial Bonds 2	1954	2.7	3.7	4.1	1.1	18.3	-2.5	2.9	-6.4	23.9	-3.8	1.2	-4.0	-2.2	15.1
	1955	-4.6	-2.0	16.2	-1.1	-0.6	-1.0	2.4	-7.9	1.4	-1.2	-0.9	-1.6	-0.3	-2.7
	1956	13.6	0.1	-8.5	0.4	12.0	-5.4	5.9	-3.6	14.5	-1.6	3.9	-1.2	2.1	17.7
	1957	1.7	4.5	0.3	13.0	-9.5	-8.6	1.1	-4.0	-1.7					
Municipal Bonds 2	1954	0.3	0.9	3.0	2.9	1.1	0.9	3.1	1.2	13.4	1.3	1.1	0.6	0.4	16.8
	1955	2.6	2.1	0.9	-1.4	1.0	2.4	-0.7	3.2	10.1	0.7	1.4	2.1	8.1	22.6
	1956	1.7	3.7	0.7	2.8	1.9	9.7	3.1	0.7	24.4	-0.3	1.4	1.3	1.5	28.2
	1957	2.8	4.3	1.8	-0.2	-1.7	0.1	-1.0	1.4	7.5					
Corporate & Other Bonds	1954	9.4	5.8	18.7	17.3	3.6	7.9	6.1	0.2	69.0	10.8	-4.7	15.9	1.6	92.5
	1955	1.3	-2.3	8.0	-6.3	23.0	8.6	-1.1	-4.2	27.1	-8.8	-2.2	7.6	11.0	34.7
	1956	31.2	17.2	30.9	21.2	2.3	6.9	-1.7	8.1	116.0	-5.9	3.4	2.6	12.4	128.4
	1957	15.0	7.9	7.7	19.7	3.0	1.8	4.1	1.3	60.4					
Pref. & Com. Stocks	1954	-0.5	-0.5	-0.5	-0.4	-0.3	-0.1	-0.6	-0.7	-3.6	-1.1	0.4	0.2	0.9	-3.2
	1955	0.3	0.3	0.4	0.5	-0.2	-1.5	-1.5	-0.6	-2.4	-0.5	-0.5	0.2	4.3	1.1
	1956	0.1	0.5	–	0.1	0.2	1.3	0.7	-1.0	1.7	–	-0.3	-0.2	0.2	1.3
	1957	-0.2	0.7	0.9	0.7	0.1	-0.9	-1.1	0.2	0.4					
Mortgage Loans (Gross) 3	1954	22.2	19.0	22.0	21.3	24.8	29.4	32.6	34.4	205.7	38.7	33.0	42.2	37.5	357.1
	1955	33.8	26.8	28.0	23.8	33.7	38.3	45.5	44.0	273.9	46.8	41.0	40.4	39.3	441.3
	1956	35.9	27.6	27.5	27.4	34.5	46.6	45.7	50.7	295.8	45.1	52.5	45.0	40.2	478.6
	1957	37.5	25.6	25.6	24.1	33.8	39.9	48.0	34.5	269.1					
Real Estate 4	1954	1.0	1.2	0.8	1.8	2.0	3.4	3.0	1.7	14.9	2.6	2.5	2.5	4.7	27.1
	1955	0.7	4.6	5.0	1.2	1.9	1.9	2.6	3.7	21.5	0.9	0.1	2.0	0.4	24.8
	1956	2.5	0.4	1.9	0.5	6.5	0.9	1.1	1.2	14.9	1.5	1.5	1.0	5.1	24.0
	1957	1.2	1.2	1.6	1.8	8.1	4.2	2.0	3.0	23.1					
Policy Loans	1954	1.0	0.8	1.2	1.3	1.2	1.3	1.0	0.9	8.7	1.1	1.0	0.7	0.6	12.1
	1955	0.8	0.6	1.0	0.9	0.8	0.9	0.7	0.5	6.2	0.7	0.6	0.3	0.3	8.1
	1956	0.8	0.9	1.0	1.2	2.0	2.2	1.5	1.6	11.1	1.7	1.8	1.3	0.5	16.5
	1957	1.7	1.9	1.9	2.1	2.0	1.6	1.4	1.6	14.0					
Total 5	1954	29.9	38.9	34.7	34.7	20.7	39.2	36.7	30.7	265.6	39.2	42.1	45.8	28.3	420.8
	1955	42.3	27.5	48.1	33.4	49.2	34.5	39.5	40.0	314.5	42.4	44.5	48.3	40.9	490.5
	1956	75.1	39.0	35.6	26.9	50.3	37.5	34.8	50.1	348.9	45.8	57.9	43.5	50.9	546.9
	1957	49.6	49.2	34.7	49.5	34.5	39.4	55.6	41.3	353.4					
Net Source of Funds:—															
Mortgage Repayments (Gross) 3	1954	11.3	10.3	11.8	10.4	11.7	10.8	12.1	11.5	89.8	12.1	12.1	12.7	10.1	136.7
	1955	14.2	11.0	13.1	11.7	14.1	13.6	13.0	13.5	104.2	13.2	14.3	14.4	12.4	158.5
	1956	15.6	12.5	13.2	14.4	17.2	15.3	17.2	15.0	120.5	14.1	22.6	14.9	13.5	185.6
	1957	16.0	12.9	14.1	14.9	15.8	14.7	19.0	15.3	122.6					
Funds Transferred From Abroad	1954	-2.5	–	2.6	-0.7	2.1	2.4	3.2	2.3	9.4	2.6	3.9	2.6	4.4	22.8
	1955	1.6	0.1	3.4	-0.1	4.0	1.6	4.8	1.4	16.8	0.4	6.6	-1.1	12.7	35.5
	1956	17.0	7.2	3.3	-8.5	5.8	2.0	3.0	9.2	38.9	8.1	19.4	7.3	8.9	82.5
	1957	2.3	6.0	4.3	4.3	-0.2	3.2	7.7	4.2	31.7					
Balancing Item★	1954	21.1	28.6	20.3	25.0	6.9	26.0	21.4	16.9	166.4	24.5	26.1	30.5	13.8	261.3
	1955	26.5	16.4	31.6	21.8	31.1	19.3	21.7	25.1	193.5	28.8	23.6	35.0	15.8	296.5
	1956	42.5	19.3	19.1	21.0	27.3	20.2	14.6	25.9	189.5	23.6	15.9	21.3	28.5	278.8
	1957	31.3	30.3	16.3	30.3	18.9	21.5	28.9	21.8	199.1					

1. Data are based on cash transactions affecting ledger assets and taking place in Canadian dollars, by 12 companies whose net premium income in Canada in 1956 was 77.6% of the total for all companies registered under the federal Insurance Acts. Total Canadian assets of these 12 companies at December 31, 1950 to 1956 are shown on page 87. 2. Includes guaranteed bonds. 3. Includes sale agreements. 4. Includes real estate for the production of income. 5. Includes gross mortgage loans. * Figures rounded to the nearest $100,000. Due to rounding, totals may not equal the sum of the monthly components. *plus* any reduction or *minus* any increase in Canadian dollar cash balances.

★ Represents mainly Canadian dollars available from insurance operations

NOTE: For 1952 data see page 56 in the "Financial Supplement 1955" and for 1953–1956 data see page 63 in the "Financial Supplement 1956".

INSTALMENT FINANCE COMPANIES : RETAIL AND WHOLESALE FINANCING

Dominion Bureau of Statistics

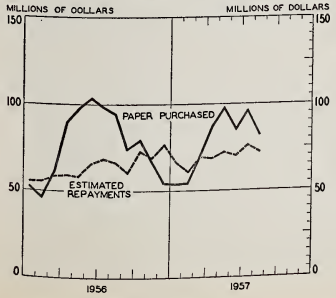
Millions of Dollars

	Consumers' Goods											Commercial and Industrial Goods							Total Retail			
	Paper Purchased			Estimated Repayments 1			Balances Outstanding (end of period)			Paper Purchased		Paper Purchased	Estimated Repayments 1			Balances Outstanding (end of period)			Paper Purchased	Estimated Repayments 1	Balances Outstanding (end of period)	
	Passenger Cars 2	Other	Total	Passenger Cars 2	Other	Total	Passenger Cars 2	Other	Total	Comm. Vehicles 2	Other	Total	Comm. Vehicles 2	Other	Total	Comm. Vehicles 2	Other	Total				
Calendar Years																						**Calendar Years**
1951	255	45	300	262	55	317	161	24	185	128	40	168	99	32	131	95	33	128	467	447	313	1951
1952	477	114	591	339	64	403	299	74	373	162	66	228	137	52	189	120	47	167	819	592	540	1952
1953	574	145	719	462	114	576	411	105	516	153	76	229	150	62	212	123	61	184	948	787	701	1953
1954	507	124	631	524	131	655	394	98	492	111	63	174	130	64	194	104	60	164	805	850	656	1954
1955	604	156	759	519	132	652	478	121	599	123	95	218	121	70	190	106	85	192	977	842	791	1955
1956	746	179	925	611	157	768	614	143	756	165	159	324	133	104	236	138	141	279	1,248	1,004	1,035	1956
Quarterly																						**Quarterly**
1954—I	104	25	129	123	30	153	392	100	492	25	11	36	34	15	49	114	57	171	165	203	663	I—1954
II	166	28	194	136	32	168	422	96	518	34	20	54	31	15	46	117	62	179	248	214	697	II
III	142	31	173	135	33	168	429	94	523	28	17	45	32	16	48	113	63	176	218	216	699	III
IV	95	40	135	130	36	166	394	98	492	24	15	39	33	18	51	104	60	164	174	217	656	IV
1955—I	101	33	134	106	27	134	388	103	492	19	15	35	33	17	50	91	58	149	168	184	640	I—1955
II	196	34	229	130	35	165	454	102	555	36	27	63	30	13	43	96	72	169	292	208	724	II
III	185	41	226	141	34	175	498	109	607	38	26	64	29	19	48	105	80	185	290	222	792	III
IV	122	48	170	142	36	178	478	121	599	30	24	56	29	21	50	106	85	192	227	228	791	IV
Monthly																						**Monthly**
1956—Jan.			53			55			597			10			12			189	62	67	786	Jan.—1956
Feb.			47			55			588			20			18			192	67	73	780	Feb.
Mar.			66			59	470	127	596			19			17	107	86	193	85	76	790	Mar.
I	127	39	166	135	34	169				27	22	49	26	21	47				214	216		I
Apr.			90			59			627			27			19			201	116	78	828	Apr.
May			98			59			666			43			25			220	141	83	886	May
June			103			66	572	132	703			30			14	124	112	236	133	80	939	June
II	246	45	291	144	40	184				51	49	100	34	24	58				390	241		II
July			99			68			734			34			17			252	132	85	986	July
Aug.			94			67			671			34			22			265	129	89	1,026	Aug.
Sept.			74			61	637	137	775			30			29	137	129	266	104	90	1,040	Sept.
III	221	46	267	156	40	196				47	51	98	35	33	68				365	264		III
Oct.			80			73			781			30			26			270	109	99	1,051	Oct.
Nov.			67			69			779			27			19			278	94	88	1,056	Nov.
Dec.			54			77	614	143	756			20			19	138	141	279	75	96	1,035	Dec.
IV	152	49	201	176	43	219				40	37	77	39	25	64				278	283		IV
1957—Jan.			54			67			743			18			23			274	72	90	1,017	Jan.—1957
Feb.			54			61			736			18			23			269	72	84	1,006	Feb.
Mar.			69			69	601	135	736			21			20			270	90	90	1,006	Mar.
I	145	32	177	157	40	197				33	24	57	36	31	66	135	134		234	263		I
Apr.			87			67			757			27			23			274	114	89	1,031	Apr.
May			97			72			781			35			25			284	131	98	1,064	May
June			85			70			796			32			23			293	117	93	1,088	June
II	229	39	268	171	39	209	660	136		49	45	94	38	32	71	146	147		362	280		II
July			96			76			816			28			27			294	125	103	1,110	July
Aug.			82			72			826			25			26			293	107	98	1,119	Aug.

	Wholesale			Total Retail and Wholesale			Average Repayment Terms on Retail Paper Purchased (months)			
							Consumers' Goods		Commercial and Industrial Goods	
	Paper Purchased	Estimated Repayments 1	Balances Outstanding (end of period)	Paper Purchased	Estimated Repayments 1	Balances Outstanding (end of period)	Passenger Cars 2	Other	Comm. Vehicles 2	Other
Calendar Years										
1956	1,213	*	182	2,461	*	1,217	20.4	18.4	20.1	19.1
Quarterly										
1956—I	257	*	198	471	*	988	20.0	18.4	19.9	19.6
II	447	419	226	837	660	1,165	20.4	18.6	20.0	18.5
III	241	323	144	606	587	1,184	20.6	18.5	20.3	19.3
IV	268	230	182	546	513	1,217	20.2	18.3	20.0	19.0
1957—I	347	268	261	581	531	1,267	19.6	18.0	19.2	19.5
II	380	388	253	742	668	1,341	19.8	18.3	19.5	19.7

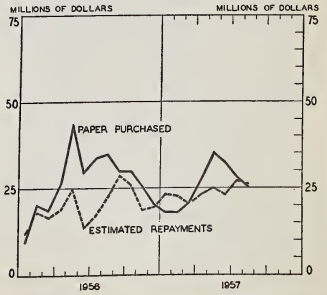
1. Repayments are estimated by subtracting the net change in balances outstanding during a period from the paper purchased. The figure therefore also includes cancellations and any other adjustments to the two reported series. 2. New and used vehicles. * Not available.

CONSUMERS' GOODS



RETAIL FINANCING

COMMERCIAL AND INDUSTRIAL GOODS



FOREIGN EXCHANGE RATES[1]

Canadian cents per unit — *Bank of Canada*

Business Days	U.S. Dollar: Spot Rates High	Low	Close	Average Noon Rates[2] Spot	90-Day Forward Rate[2]	£ Sterling: Spot Rates High	Low	Close	Average Noon Rates[2] Spot	90-Day Forward Rate[2]
1951	107 5/16	101 3/16	101 3/16	105.28	104.92	300 1/2	281 3/8	281 3/8	294.68	294.71
1952	101 1/8	95 7/8	97 3/32	97.89	98.09	281 1/4	266 3/4	272 9/16	273.40	272.26
1953	99 25/32	96 3/4	97 3/8	98.34	98.66	280 15/16	272 3/8	273 5/8	276.66	277.02
1954	98 3/4	96 11/32	96 19/32	97.32	97.65	278 5/16	269	269	273.39	274.19
1955	100 1/16	96 15/32	99 29/32	98.63	98.62	280 7/16	268 3/4	280 3/32	275.35	274.23
1956	99 31/32	95 21/32	95 31/32	98.41	98.64	280 11/16	266 3/16	267 7/16	275.16	274.13
1956—July	98 13/32	97 27/32	98 5/32	98.18	98.45	275 3/32	273 3/16	273 1/4	274.30	273.51
Aug.	98 7/16	97 27/32	98 3/32	98.12	98.38	273 15/16	272 1/3	272 29/32	273.11	272.39
Sept.	98 1/16	97 7/16	97 15/32	97.77	98.10	272 7/8	271 3/16	271 1/4	272.14	271.43
Oct.	97 9/8	96 25/32	97 1/8	97.32	97.69	271 7/8	268 31/32	270 5/8	271.06	270.54
Nov.	97 3/16	95 21/32	96 1/8	96.44	96.81	270 7/16	266 3/16	267 7/16	268.36	267.56
Dec.	96 15/32	95 25/32	95 31/32	96.05	96.66	268 5/8	266 13/16	267 7/16	267.54	266.62
1957—Jan.	96 11/32	95 27/32	95 7/8	96.07	96.57	269 1/2	267 11/16	268 1/2	268.63	268.65
Feb.	95 15/16	95 3/4	95 3/4	95.83	96.24	268 1/2	267 13/16	267 13/16	268.21	268.39
Mar.	95 13/16	95 1/2	95 21/32	95.61	96.06	267 27/32	266 1/2	266 21/32	267.10	267.47
Apr.	96 1/32	95 11/16	95 25/32	95.97	96.21	268 13/32	266 5/8	267 13/32	267.71	267.58
May	95 29/32	95 5/16	95 17/32	95.56	95.84	267 17/32	266 1/2	266 1/2	266.76	266.59
June	95 1/2	95 7/32	95 11/32	95.32	95.66	266 1/2	265 19/32	266 9/32	266.02	266.07
July	95 5/16	94 29/32	94 13/16	95.09	95.34	266 1/8	263 31/32	264 1/32	265.12	264.85
Aug.	95 3/8	94 7/32	95 3/16	94.80	95.21	265 13/32	262 11/32	264 27/32	263.83	262.95
Sept.	96 9/16	95 3/32	96 7/16	95.92	96.33	270	264 11/16	269 11/16	267.19	265.14

1. Rates are as reported on transactions between banks in the exchange market. 2. The 90-day forward rates are the averages of approximate rates at noon. Noon rates prior to May 6, 1954 are not available and closing rates have been used.

NOTE: For 1939–1952 data see page 59 in the "Financial Supplement 1954" and for 1953–1956 data see page 65 in the "Financial Supplement 1956".

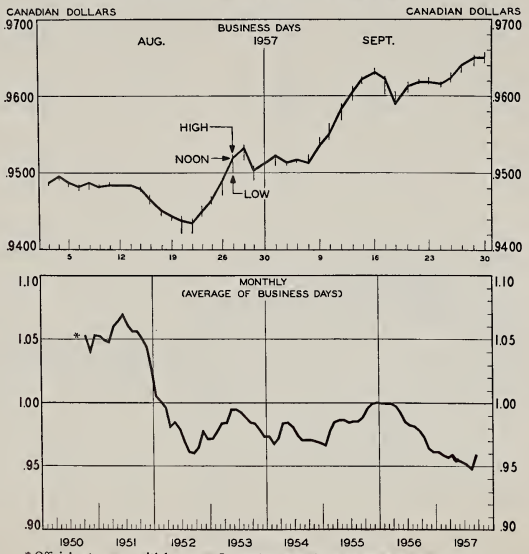
OFFICIAL HOLDINGS OF GOLD AND U.S. DOLLARS[1]

$ mm. U.S. — *Dept. of Finance*

End of Period	Gold	U.S. Dollars	Total
1951	841.7	936.9	**1,778.6**
1952	885.0	975.2	**1,860.2**
1953	986.1	832.4	**1,818.5**
1954	1,072.7	869.9	**1,942.6**
1955	1,133.9	766.9	**1,900.8**
1956	1,103.3	832.9	**1,936.2**
1956—Feb.	1,122.2	755.5	**1,877.7**
Mar.	1,120.1	751.3	**1,871.4**
Apr.	1,106.1	759.0	**1,865.1**
May	1,100.4	785.0	**1,885.4**
June	1,100.6	798.9	**1,899.5**
July	1,104.8	788.5	**1,893.3**
Aug.	1,105.9	777.8	**1,883.7**
Sept.	1,105.5	798.0	**1,903.5**
Oct.	1,109.8	803.2	**1,913.0**
Nov.	1,114.2	818.4	**1,932.6**
Dec.	1,103.3	832.9	**1,936.2**
1957—Jan.	1,105.9	824.7	**1,930.6**
Feb.	1,101.5	818.2	**1,919.7**
Mar.	1,101.2	822.4	**1,923.6**
Apr.	1,105.7	796.1	**1,901.8**
May	1,109.0	823.6	**1,932.6**
June	1,102.8	839.0	**1,941.8**
July	1,104.6	868.4	**1,973.0**
Aug.	1,104.7	838.2	**1,942.9**
Sept.	1,101.8	788.1	**1,889.9**

1. Gold, U.S. dollars and short-term securities of the U.S. Gov't. held by the Exchange Fund Account, other Gov't. accounts, and the net holdings of the Bank of Canada.

UNITED STATES DOLLAR IN CANADIAN FUNDS



* Official rates were withdrawn on September 30 and the exchange market re-opened on October 2.

NOTE: For 1945–1954 data see pages 60–61 in the "Financial Supplement 1954". For data on an expanded series back to September 1950 see pages 52–53 and for 1951–1956 see pages 66–67 in the "Financial Supplements" 1955 and 1956 respectively.

PRICE INDEXES

"Prices and Price Indexes", Dominion Bureau of Statistics

WHOLESALE PRICES

Average of Mths.	General: Total Index (Mid-Month)	Raw and Partly Manufactured	Fully & Chiefly Manufactured	Construction: Non-Residential Building Materials	Farm[1]: Grains	Livestock
	1935–39 = 100			1949 = 100	1935–39 = 100	
1951	**240.2**	237.9	242.4	118.6	217.3	407.8
1952	**226.0**	218.7	230.7	132.2	206.2	316.4
1953	**220.7**	207.0	228.8	124.4	201.0	288.1
1954	**217.0**	204.8	224.2	121.8	187.2	283.3
1955	**218.9**	209.7	224.5	123.4	188.0	263.2
1956	**225.6**	215.8	231.5	128.0	188.4	265.6
Monthly						
1956—Apr.	**224.6**	216.3	229.5	127.1	191.5	241.5
May	**225.4**	217.3	230.3	127.2	192.0	252.3
June	**226.5**	219.2	231.3	127.5	190.8	272.8
July	**226.6**	219.0	231.6	127.2	188.4	278.4
Aug.	**227.0**	217.0	233.2	129.4	188.9	280.8
Sept.	**227.4**	216.2	234.4	129.2	188.8	284.2
Oct.	**227.0**	214.3	234.7	129.8	187.6	277.3
Nov.	**226.6**	213.3	234.6	129.5	185.9	281.0
Dec.	**228.0**	216.4	235.1	129.7	184.9	284.3
1957—Jan.	**229.4**	217.8	236.5	130.0	184.6	287.7
Feb.	**228.4**	214.9	236.8	130.1	182.3	287.6
Mar.	**228.4**	212.5	237.8	130.1	180.3	278.3
Apr.	**228.4**	211.7	238.3	130.1	178.5	281.8
May	**228.0**	209.6	238.8	130.2	174.5	283.5
June	**228.0**	209.8	238.8	129.5	171.9	292.9
July	**228.2**	209.1	239.5	130.6†	170.6	300.3
Aug.	**227.6**	207.9	239.2	130.4	170.3	299.7
Sept.						

CONSUMER PRICES[2]

Average of Mths.	Total Index	Food	Shelter	Clothing	Household Operation	Other Commodities & Services
	100	32	15	11	17	25
	1949 = 100					
1951	**113.7**	117.0	114.4	109.8	113.1	111.5
1952	**116.5**	116.8	120.2	111.8	116.2	116.0
1953	**115.5**	112.6	123.6	110.1	117.0	115.8
1954	**116.2**	112.2	126.5	109.4	117.4	117.4
1955	**116.4**	112.1	129.4	108.0	116.4	118.1
1956	**118.1**	113.4	132.5	108.6	117.1	120.9
Monthly						
1956—Apr.	**116.6**	109.7	131.9	108.7	116.6	120.1
May	**116.6**	109.3	132.1	108.8	116.5	120.5
June	**117.8**	112.5	132.6	108.6	116.7	120.6
July	**118.5**	114.4	132.7	108.6	116.7	121.1
Aug.	**119.1**	115.9	133.0	108.4	116.8	121.3
Sept.	**119.0**	115.5	133.1	108.4	117.1	121.4
Oct.	**119.8**	117.4	133.3	108.5	117.7	121.6
Nov.	**120.3**	117.9	133.4	108.4	118.1	122.8
Dec.	**120.4**	117.5	133.5	108.6	118.6	122.9
1957—Jan.	**120.3**	117.1	133.6	107.6	119.0	123.1
Feb.	**120.5**	117.2	133.8	107.4	119.1	123.8
Mar.	**120.5**	116.4	134.0	108.2	119.5	124.2
Apr.	**120.9**	116.7	134.0	108.5	119.4	125.1
May	**121.1**	116.7	134.2	108.5	119.2	126.3
June	**121.6**	117.7	134.8	108.4	119.1	126.5
July	**121.9**	118.2	135.1	108.4	119.6	126.5
Aug.	**122.6**	120.2	135.3	108.2	119.7	126.9
Sept.	**123.3**	121.9	135.6	108.3	119.8	127.1

1. Two sub-groups of the General Wholesale Price Index.
2. Components were selected and weighted on the basis of 1948 urban family incomes ranging from $1,650 to $4,050 with incomes between $2,000 and $3,000 most common. † Revised.

NOTE: For 1952 data see page 86 in the "Financial Supplement 1955" and for 1953–1956 see page 117 in the "Financial Supplement 1956".

LABOUR FORCE STATUS OF THE POPULATION[1]

Thousands of Persons — *"The Labour Force", Dominion Bureau of Statistics; Department of National Defence*

Survey Week Ending	Persons With Jobs: Agriculture	Non-Agricultural Industries	Total	*Of Which On Temporary Lay-off and Short-time* 2	Without Jobs and Seeking Work 3: Thousands	Percentage of Labour Force	Total Civilian Labour Force	Civilian Non-Institutional Population (14 years of age and over)	Armed Forces	Civilian Labour Force Participation Ratio 4: Total	Male	Female
1955—Dec. 10	713	4,675	5,388	*67*	200	3.6	5,588	10,610	117	52.7	81.0	24.6
1956—Jan. 21	688	4,543	5,231	*74*	286	5.2	5,517	10,626	116	51.9	80.2	23.9
Feb. 18	678	4,538	5,216	*73*	308	5.6	5,524	10,635	117	51.9	80.3	23.9
Mar. 24	679	4,562	5,241	*66*	295	5.3	5,536	10,646	117	52.0	80.1	24.1
Apr. 21	764	4,562	5,326	*51*	257	4.6	5,583	10,663	117	52.4	80.7	24.3
May 19	817	4,682	5,499	*37*	165	2.9	5,664	10,680	116	53.0	81.9	24.4
June 23	804	4,843	5,647	*35*	117	2.0	5,764	10,699	116	53.9	83.1	24.9
July 21	897	4,892	5,789	*33*	102	1.7	5,891	10,714	116	55.0	85.3	25.0
Aug. 18	946	4,877	5,823	*36*	103	1.7	5,926	10,733	116	55.2	85.5	25.2
Sept. 22	841	4,835	5,676	*45*	97	1.7	5,773	10,752	117	53.7	82.7	25.0
Oct. 20	794	4,880	5,674	*39*	98	1.7	5,772	10,771	117	53.6	82.3	25.2
Nov. 17	693	4,937	5,630	*47*	135	2.3	5,765	10,791	117	53.4	81.7	25.5
Dec. 15	680	4,875	5,555	*59*	186	3.2	5,741	10,815	117	53.1	81.0	25.5
1957—Jan. 19	671	4,722	5,393	*74*	303	5.3	5,696	10,842	117	52.5	80.4	25.0
Feb. 16	654	4,708	5,362	*80*	323	5.7	5,685	10,861	117	52.3	80.4	24.6
Mar. 16	671	4,702	5,373	*87*	343	6.0	5,716	10,884	117	52.5	80.5	24.9
Apr. 20	706	4,736	5,442	*71*	306	5.3	5,748	10,926	117	52.6	80.7	24.9
May 18	773	4,914	5,687	*57*	194	3.3	5,881	10,968	116	53.6	82.1	25.5
June 22	774	5,060	5,834	*55*	162	2.7	5,996	11,012	116	54.4	83.2	26.0
July 20	880	5,069	5,949	*62*	163	2.7	6,112	11,043	117	55.3	85.4	25.6
Aug. 24	900	5,057	5,957	*67*	174	2.8	6,131	11,074	117	55.4	85.3	25.8

1. The estimates are based on a sample of about 30,000 households and are therefore subject to sampling error which is relatively larger the smaller the estimate. Data not seasonally adjusted.
2. Includes those laid off for part of the week or on lay-off during the entire week, with definite instructions to return to their jobs within 30 days of the date on which lay-off began, provided they did not look for work during the survey week.
3. Includes persons who, though having jobs, did not work during the entire week and looked for work or would have looked for work only they were temporarily ill, on indefinite or prolonged lay-off or believed no work was available.
4. Civilian labour force as a percentage of civilian non-institutional population 14 years of age and over.

NOTE: For 1945–1952 data see pages 84–85 in the "Financial Supplement 1955". For 1952–1956 data and for years 1921–1952 see pages 114–115 in the "Financial Supplement 1956".

EMPLOYMENT AND LABOUR INCOME

"Employment and Payrolls", "Man-Hours and Hourly Earnings" and "Estimates of Labour Income", Dominion Bureau of Statistics

	Employment Indexes [1, 2]		Average Hours Worked [1, 3]		Average Hourly Earnings [1, 3, 4]		Monthly Labour Income [4]			
	Manufacturing	Mining	Manufacturing	Mining	Manufacturing	Mining	Total $	Manufacturing	Construction	All Other [6]
	Index 1949 = 100		*Hours per week*		*Cents*		*Millions of Dollars*			
Monthly Average										
1951	108.0	110.6	41.8	43.1	116.8	133.4	810	272	52	486
1952	109.3	116.8	41.5	42.7	129.2	147.1	906	303	63	540
1953	113.3	111.7	41.3	42.7	135.8	153.8	976	329	70	577
1954	107.7	109.8	40.6	42.6	140.8	157.3	1,000	323	69	608
1955	109.3	113.4	41.0	43.2	144.5	161.1	1,068	342	78	648
1956	115.4	122.0	41.1	42.9	151.5	171.4	1,190	379	93	718
1956—Mar.	112.3	115.9	41.3	44.0	148.5	166.8	1,094	365	70	659
Apr.	113.4	117.3	41.1	42.6	150.5	168.5	1,126	371	79	676
May	114.1	116.9	41.4	42.7	151.1	169.0	1,169	377	92	700
June	115.4	123.0	40.9	42.8	151.9	170.5	1,215	381	105	729
July	118.0	126.1	41.2	42.4	152.7	172.0	1,223	382	105	736
Aug.	117.9	128.2	40.8	42.6	152.4	172.7	1,236	382	108	746
Sept.	118.0	128.6	41.1	42.7	152.1	173.8	1,268	392	110	766
Oct.	118.6	126.5	41.5	43.6	153.3	176.2	1,273	394	114	765
Nov.	118.6	126.9	41.6	42.5	154.7	177.3	1,265	397	101	767
Dec.	118.0	125.4	41.5	43.1	155.5	179.0	1,248	397	90	761
1957—Jan.	114.8	122.7	37.9	40.7	158.0	181.6	1,197	384	76	737
Feb.	115.1	124.1	40.9	42.9	157.5	181.6	1,205	389	74	742
Mar.	115.0	124.7	40.9	43.1	157.6	182.7	1,205	393	73	739
Apr.	115.4	123.4	41.1	42.3	158.7	184.3	1,218	393	83	742
May	115.8	120.8	40.6	41.7	160.0	186.2	1,270	397	97	776
June	116.7	126.3	40.5	42.3	160.7	185.2	1,322	405	110	807
July	118.4	128.8	40.6	42.8	161.0	187.4	1,307*	401*	107*	799*
Aug.*	118.0		40.5	42.1	160.4	187.3				

1. As reported by employers usually having 15 or more employees. Dated first of month and covering the last pay period in the previous month.
2. Coverage, including salaried and part time workers at July 1, 1957, was Manufacturing, 1,234,000; Mining, 114,672.
3. Include hourly rated wage earners only.
4. Gross earnings before deductions for taxes, unemployment insurance, etc.
5. Wages and salaries and includes bonuses and commissions, food, clothing, shelter and contributions to insurance, pensions, etc. provided by employer.
6. Includes all supplementary labour income. * Preliminary.

NOTE: For 1952 data see page 83 in the "Financial Supplement 1955" and for 1953–1956 data see page 113 in the "Financial Supplement 1956".

SELECTED HOUSING STATISTICS

Central Mortgage and Housing Corporation and Dominion Bureau of Statistics

	Dwellings in New Structures 1				Composite Indexes of Residential Building Costs			Residential Construction Expenditures 3, 6		
	Areas of 5,000 Population and over 2		All Areas 3		Residential Building Materials 4	Wage Rates of All Construction Workers 5	Residential Building Materials and Wage Rates 4	New Dwellings and Major Improvements	Repair and Maintenance	Total
	Starts	Completions	Starts	Completions						
	thousands of units				*1949 = 100*			*millions of dollars*		
Calendar Years										
1951	47.4	61.2	68.6	81.3	125.5	119.2	123.1	821.6	221.0	1,042.6
1952	63.4	54.3	83.2	73.1	124.9	129.5	126.6	825.6	203.2	1,028.8
1953	80.3	73.4	102.4	96.8	123.9	137.2	128.9	1,083.7	213.6	1,297.3
1954	89.8	80.6	113.5	102.0	121.7	141.1	129.0	1,178.0	221.8	1,399.8
1955	97.4	93.9	138.3	127.9	124.3	146.6	132.7	1,499.3	238.0	1,737.3
1956	87.3	95.2	127.3	135.7	128.5	152.4	137.5	1,574.2	255.5	1,829.7
Monthly										
1956—Mar.	4.5	7.3	5.6	8.7	127.9	147.5	135.3			
Apr.	7.6	7.4	10.4	9.1	128.8	147.8	135.9			
May	11.1	7.9	15.9	9.7	129.1	148.5	136.4	425.0	63.3	488.3
June	11.0	7.8	19.4	13.6	129.0	148.5	136.3			
July	11.1	7.4	15.9	9.7	129.0	148.9	136.5			
Aug.	9.0	7.4	14.0	10.7	129.0	150.5	137.1	442.4	64.4	506.8
Sept.	8.9	7.7	13.3	12.2	128.7	151.1	137.1			
Oct.	7.8	10.7	11.8	18.5	128.8	152.4	137.7			
Nov.	5.7	10.1	8.0	14.1	128.7	151.9	137.4	407.7	65.4	473.1
Dec.	3.2	8.7	4.1	12.5	128.4	153.0	137.6			
1957—Jan.	1.4	7.1	1.9	10.2	128.6	153.3	137.9			
Feb.	1.7	6.0	2.1	7.5	128.7	153.4	138.0	268.2†	66.2	334.4†
Mar.	3.4	5.2	4.4	6.9	128.9	153.6	138.2			
Apr.	6.1	5.5	8.7	7.0	128.8	156.7	139.3			
May	8.4	5.6	13.6	7.6	129.2	157.5	139.8	361.9	67.1	429.0
June	9.6	5.5	17.8	11.2	129.1	158.3	140.1			
July	9.0	6.4	13.0	8.7	129.0	158.3	140.0			
Aug.*	8.8	5.6	12.9	8.5	128.6	160.0	140.4			

1. Excludes conversions. From 1951 to 1956 these are estimated to have totalled approximately 3.5, 3.2, 3.8, 4.4, 4.3 and 3.6 thousand respectively. 2. Based on a complete enumeration. 3. In areas outside the centres of 5,000 population and over, information relating to starts and completions is based on a sample survey. In the latter part of 1954 the sample was redesigned and enlarged and some discontinuity with previous years resulted. There is probably an understatement of total starts and completions and of expenditures in 1954 and earlier years. Total number of starts in 1957 is subject to upward revision when the results of the October survey are available. 4. Calendar year figures are the averages of 12 months. 5. Index of average hourly wage rates including holiday pay allowances. Annual data refer to the month of October each year. 6. Expenditures on work put in place. † Revised. * Preliminary.

NOTE: For 1952 data see page 78 in the "Financial Supplement 1955" and for 1953–1956 data see page 108 in the "Financial Supplement 1956".

CORPORATION PROFITS: QUARTERLY [1]

Millions of Dollars — *Dominion Bureau of Statistics*

	Before Taxes — By Industry							
	1955		1956*				1957*	
	III	IV	I	II	III	IV	I	II
Foods and Beverages	64	57	35	54	64	64	35	59
Rubber Products	8	7	5	10	7	9	4	8
Textile Products	10	13	15	13	10	15	17	12
Wood and Paper Products	118	118	104	133	121	94	67	104
Iron and Steel Products	78	75	79	112	84	95	99	109
Non-Ferrous Metal Products	14	12	11	14	17	7	12	11
Electrical Apparatus and Supplies	21	25	17	19	18	23	17	21
Non-Metallic Mineral Products	29	18	13	29	26	17	9	25
Products of Petroleum and Coal	40	42	40	35	44	45	49	40
Chemical Products	26	22	23	30	25	20	20	28
Other Manufacturing Industries [2]	15	14	14	15	14	16	17	16
Total Manufacturing	423	401	356	464	430	405	346	433
Mining, Quarrying and Oil Wells	87	96	95	91	103	73	67	71
Transportation, Storage and Communication	59	50	35	63	76	54	35	64
Public Utility Operation	10	13	21	17	12	14	22	17
Wholesale Trade	59	54	46	67	72	63	48	71
Retail Trade	51	62	27	56	59	70	29	58
Finance, Insurance and Real Estate	64	55	66	67	75	67	77	74
Service	15	11	11	15	17	11	12	15
Other Non-Manufacturing Industries [3]	46	23	28	44	45	25	23	35
Total All Industries	**814**	**765**	**685**	**884**	**889**	**782**	**659**	**838**
Profits and Related Data: All Industries [4]								
Net Earnings	1,161	1,131	1,009	1,245	1,280	1,195	1,019	1,230
Less: Depreciation	347	366	324	361	391	413	360	392
Profits Before Taxes	814	765	685	884	889	782	659	838
Less: Income Tax Liabilities	363	333	293	383	383	338	286	359
Profits After Taxes [5, 6]	**451**	**432**	**392**	**501**	**506**	**444**	**373**	**479**

	After Taxes — By Industry							
	1955		1956*				1957*	
	III	IV	I	II	III	IV	I	II
Foods and Beverages	33	30	19	29	34	35	19	32
Rubber Products	4	4	3	6	4	5	2	4
Textile Products	7	9	9	8	7	10	11	7
Wood and Paper Products	65	65	58	75	67	51	35	56
Iron and Steel Products	42	43	44	62	46	51	53	60
Non-Ferrous Metal Products	8	7	6	8	9	4	6	6
Electrical Apparatus and Supplies	12	13	9	10	10	12	9	11
Non-Metallic Mineral Products	15	10	7	16	14	9	5	14
Products of Petroleum and Coal	21	23	22	19	24	33	28	22
Chemical Products	14	11	14	18	14	12	12	16
Other Manufacturing Industries [2]	8	8	8	9	8	9	9	9
Total Manufacturing	229	223	199	260	237	231	189	237
Mining, Quarrying and Oil Wells	57	63	62	59	67	48	44	48
Transportation, Storage and Communication	33	28	20	37	44	30	19	38
Public Utility Operation	5	7	12	10	7	8	12	10
Wholesale Trade	31	28	26	36	40	34	26	39
Retail Trade	27	34	14	29	32	37	15	32
Finance, Insurance and Real Estate	35	31	37	37	44	37	48	46
Service	8	6	6	8	9	6	7	8
Other Non-Manufacturing Industries [3]	26	12	16	25	26	13	13	21
Total All Industries	**451**	**432**	**392**	**501**	**506**	**444**	**373**	**479**

1. Figures are obtained through the use of a stratified random sample and are projections, allocated by quarters, of annual totals contained in "Taxation Statistics", published by the Department of National Revenue. Figures are subject to revisions as later tax data become available.
2. Includes Tobacco, Leather and miscellaneous manufacturing industries.
3. Includes Agriculture, Forestry, Fishing and Construction.
4. For detail by industry see the D.B.S. publication "Quarterly Corporation Profits: 1950–1954"; "Second Quarter 1955", "Second Quarter 1956" and "Second Quarter 1957".
5. Depletion charges have not been deducted from profits.
6. Canadian dividends received are not included in profits.

* Subject to further revision.

NOTE ("After Taxes" data only): For 1950 and 1951 see pages 79–80 in the March 1955 Statistical Summary. For 1952 see page 80 in the "Financial Supplement 1955" ("Before Taxes" data only): For 1950 to 1952 see pages 377–378 in the December 1956 Statistical Summary.
For all data 1953–1956 see pages 110–111 in the "Financial Supplement 1956".

NATIONAL ACCOUNTS: QUARTERLY[1]

DATA NOT SEASONALLY ADJUSTED

Dominion Bureau of Statistics

Millions of Dollars

	First Quarter				Second Quarter				Third Quarter				Fourth Quarter				Years			
	1954	1955	1956*	1957*	1954	1955	1956*	1957*	1953	1954	1955	1956*	1953	1954	1955	1956*	1953	1954	1955	1956*
NATIONAL INCOME AND GROSS NATIONAL PRODUCT																				
Wages, salaries and supplementary labour income	2,856	2,969	3,261	3,607	2,948	3,150	3,510	3,813	3,004	3,075	3,315	3,727	3,012	3,115	3,376	3,786	11,715	11,994	12,810	14,284
Military pay and allowances	83	93	93	108	92	100	106	116	79	95	101	113	83	97	100	112	309	367	394	424
Investment income	817	876	1,070	1,085	956	1,123	1,276	1,240	1,014	995	1,229	1,290	864	893	1,111	1,146	3,782	3,661	4,339	4,782
Net income of unincorporated business: farm[2]	59	−17	−2	37	147	198	111	140	1,374	740	1,063	1,267	146	201	160	232	1,652	1,147	1,404	1,608
other[3]	319	347	376	388	418	460	497	502	440	432	478	537	442	456	508	541	1,675	1,625	1,793	1,951
Net National Income at Factor Cost	**4,134**	**4,268**	**4,798**	**5,225**	**4,561**	**5,031**	**5,500**	**5,811**	**5,911**	**5,337**	**6,186**	**6,934**	**4,547**	**4,762**	**5,255**	**5,817**	**19,133**	**18,794**	**20,740**	**23,049**
Indirect taxes less subsidies	724	756	855	955	741	800	909	949	744	734	831	912	740	748	851	925	2,907	2,947	3,238	3,601
Depreciation and similar business costs[4]	613	652	710	771	673	712	780	840	607	675	744	819	664	712	770	842	2,418	2,673	2,878	3,151
Residual error of estimate	−74	+63	+18	−44	−6	−3	−58	−85	+25	−14	−23	−11	+71	+16	+23	+116	+15	−78	+60	+65
G.N.P. at Market Prices	**5,397**	**5,739**	**6,381**	**6,907**	**5,969**	**6,540**	**7,131**	**7,515**	**7,287**	**6,732**	**7,738**	**8,654**	**6,022**	**6,238**	**6,899**	**7,700**	**24,473**	**24,336**	**26,916**	**29,866**
G.N.P. less accrued net income of farm operators	5,338	5,756	6,383	6,870	5,822	6,342	7,020	7,375	5,913	5,992	6,675	7,387	5,876	6,037	6,739	7,468	22,821	23,189	25,512	28,258
GROSS NATIONAL EXPENDITURE																				
Personal expenditure on consumer goods and services	3,575	3,862	4,202	4,517	2,967	4,314	4,617	4,860	3,666	3,890	4,169	4,518	4,193	4,449	4,794	5,219	15,112	15,881	17,139	18,556
Government expenditure on goods and services: non-defence[5]	540	652	699	723	645	648	744	816	738	808	878	1,054	674	693	794	912	2,481	2,686	2,972	3,409
defence[6]	528	520	490	509	360	390	394	386	452	399	413	448	464	440	433	468	1,907	1,727	1,756	1,800
Gross domestic investment[7]: housing[8]	206	255	296	265	283	375	422	358	302	334	428	436	296	343	423	402	1,061	1,166	1,481	1,556
non-residential construction	356	366	436	547	398	426	589	743	523	475	544	789	460	430	511	735	1,706	1,659	1,847	2,549
machinery and equipment	439	401	519	625	585	563	729	765	520	421	489	629	439	396	494	635	2,073	1,841	1,947	2,512
change in inventories: business[9]	+99	+198	+377	+335	−5	+9	+227	+98	+146	−99	+66	+33	−76	−140	+46	+105	+395	−145	+319	+742
other[9]	−236	−285	−267	−253	−100	−13	−203	−81	+984	+479	+813	+953	−311	−273	−324	−286	+196	−130	+191	+197
Exports of goods and services[10, 11]	1,090	1,217	1,342	1,405	1,278	1,437	1,627	1,585	1,478	1,400	1,581	1,719	1,369	1,379	1,518	1,622	5,400	5,147	5,753	6,310
Gross Available Supply	**6,597**	**7,186**	**8,094**	**8,673**	**7,411**	**8,149**	**9,146**	**9,530**	**8,809**	**8,107**	**9,381**	**10,579**	**7,508**	**7,717**	**8,689**	**9,812**	**30,331**	**29,832**	**33,405**	**37,631**
Less: Imports of goods and services[11]	1,274	1,385	1,695	1,811	1,448	1,612	2,072	2,101	1,496	1,389	1,666	1,935	1,415	1,463	1,767	1,997	5,843	5,574	6,430	7,699
Residual error of estimate	+74	−62	−18	+45	+6	+3	+57	+86	−26	+14	+23	+10	−71	−16	−23	−115	−15	+78	−59	−66
G.N.E. at Market Prices	**5,397**	**5,739**	**6,381**	**6,907**	**5,969**	**6,540**	**7,131**	**7,515**	**7,287**	**6,732**	**7,738**	**8,654**	**6,022**	**6,238**	**6,899**	**7,700**	**24,473**	**24,336**	**26,916**	**29,866**
GROSS NATIONAL EXPENDITURE IN CONSTANT (1949) DOLLARS																				
Personal expenditure on consumer goods and services	3,032	3,255	3,533	3,661	3,359	3,663	3,888	3,926	3,113	3,276	3,537	3,764	3,572	3,769	4,070	4,317	12,905	13,436	14,525	15,502
Government expenditure on goods and services[5, 6]	816	873	845	816	758	757	781	780	934	919	951	1,046	881	855	883	945	3,452	3,348	3,464	3,617
Gross domestic investment[7]: housing[8]	162	197	219	193	221	287	310	257	236	260	323	318	231	266	317	293	832	909	1,124	1,140
non-residential construction	268	275	307	374	302	319	412	506	396	363	402	551	346	329	368	508	1,287	1,262	1,364	1,778
machinery and equipment	359	324	396	451	471	457	555	551	429	343	392	476	361	320	382	463	1,725	1,493	1,555	1,890
change in inventories: business	+130	+144	+259	+252	−3	−13	+111	+57	+90	−60	+12	−28	−41	−131	−33	+26	+328	−64	+110	+368
other	−270	−329	−308	−254	−145	−81	−252	−136	+1,197	+493	+1,045	+1,162	−403	−283	−359	−351	+256	−205	+276	+251
Exports of goods and services[10, 11]	993	1,084	1,143	1,166	1,152	1,249	1,377	1,302	1,336	1,265	1,366	1,451	1,247	1,261	1,299	1,367	4,856	4,671	4,998	5,338
Gross Available Supply	**5,490**	**5,823**	**6,394**	**6,659**	**6,115**	**6,638**	**7,182**	**7,243**	**7,731**	**6,859**	**8,028**	**8,740**	**6,194**	**6,386**	**6,927**	**7,568**	**25,641**	**24,850**	**27,416**	**29,884**
Less: Imports of goods and services[11]	1,162	1,246	1,455	1,528	1,305	1,443	1,782	1,763	1,351	1,256	1,489	1,675	1,283	1,335	1,543	1,725	5,297	5,058	5,721	6,637
Residual error of estimate	+61	−50	−14	+34	+5	+2	+44	+65	−21	+11	+18	+8	−59	−13	−18	−90	−12	+64	−48	−52
G.N.E. at Market Prices	**4,389**	**4,527**	**4,925**	**5,165**	**4,815**	**5,197**	**5,444**	**5,545**	**6,359**	**5,614**	**6,557**	**7,073**	**4,852**	**5,038**	**5,366**	**5,753**	**20,332**	**19,856**	**21,647**	**23,195**
PERSONAL INCOME AND EXPENDITURE																				
Wages, salaries and supplementary labour income	2,856	2,969	3,261	3,607	2,948	3,150	3,510	3,813	3,004	3,075	3,315	3,727	3,012	3,115	3,376	3,786	11,715	11,994	12,810	14,284
Less: Social insurance and Government pension fund contributions[12]	95	100	111	125	98	103	115	123	98	100	107	119	100	103	113	119	390	396	423	464
Military pay and allowances	83	93	93	108	92	100	106	116	79	95	101	113	83	97	100	112	309	367	394	424
Net income of unincorporated business[13]	383	309	370	445	574	675	614	664	1,736	1,151	1,528	1,784	654	668	663	771	3,332	2,776	3,175	3,539
Interest, dividends and net rental income of persons[14]	404	463	480	523	462	489	534	587	413	444	484	517	425	473	521	566	1,649	1,783	1,957	2,097
Transfer payments to persons[15]	488	548	554	605	400	433	435	485	359	393	407	421	364	404	400	416	1,517	1,685	1,788	1,826
Personal Income	**4,119**	**4,282**	**4,647**	**5,163**	**4,378**	**4,744**	**5,084**	**5,542**	**5,493**	**5,058**	**5,728**	**6,443**	**4,438**	**4,654**	**4,947**	**5,532**	**18,132**	**18,209**	**19,701**	**21,706**
Less: Personal direct taxes[16]	339	360	400	466	392	377	459	497	323	341	371	426	336	365	383	435	1,432	1,437	1,491	1,720
Personal Disposable Income	**3,780**	**3,922**	**4,247**	**4,697**	**3,986**	**4,367**	**4,625**	**5,045**	**5,170**	**4,717**	**5,357**	**6,017**	**4,102**	**4,289**	**4,564**	**5,097**	**16,700**	**16,772**	**18,210**	**19,986**
Expenditure on goods: non-durables	1,917	2,111	2,310	2,470	2,187	2,367	2,506	2,666	2,109	2,232	2,348	2,550	2,495	2,661	2,847	3,147	8,581	8,997	9,673	10,513
durables	396	381	428	457	467	545	605	574	419	406	487	516	452	425	506	512	1,790	1,694	1,919	2,061
Expenditure on services (including net expenditures abroad)	1,262	1,370	1,464	1,590	1,313	1,402	1,506	1,620	1,138	1,252	1,334	1,452	1,246	1,363	1,441	1,560	4,741	5,190	5,547	5,982
Personal saving: in farm inventories	−192	−227	−229	−246	−67	−9	−195	−96	+871	+462	+765	+926	−399	−318	−318	−333	+50	−115	+211	+169
other	+397	+287	+274	+426	+86	+62	+203	+281	+633	+365	+423	+573	+308	+158	+88	+211	+1,538	+1,006	+860	+1,261

For footnotes see pages 302–303.

NOTE: For 1952 data see pages 68–69 in the "Financial Supplement 1955" and for 1953–1956 data see pages 104–105 in the "Financial Supplement 1956". For annual data 1926–1951 for some of these series see page 88 in the "Financial Supplement 1954".

NATIONAL ACCOUNTS: QUARTERLY[1]

SEASONALLY ADJUSTED AT ANNUAL RATES[17]

Dominion Bureau of Statistics

Millions of Dollars

	1953		1954			1955					1956*				1957*	
	III	IV	I	II	III	IV	I	II	III	IV	I	II	III	IV	I	II
NATIONAL INCOME AND GROSS NATIONAL PRODUCT																
Wages, salaries and supplementary labour income	11,804	11,792	11,836	11,876	12,048	12,216	12,360	12,672	12,976	13,232	13,636	14,108	14,560	14,832	15,076	15,300
Military pay and allowances	316	332	332	368	380	388	372	400	404	400	372	424	452	448	456	456
Investment income	3,700	3,704	3,596	3,696	3,620	3,732	3,864	4,304	4,512	4,676	4,748	4,784	4,736	4,860	4,800	4,664
Net income of unincorporated business: farm[2]	1,660	1,736	1,204	1,120	1,104	1,160	1,312	1,448	1,412	1,444	1,576	1,584	1,568	1,704	1,292	1,236
other[3]	1,668	1,636	1,624	1,616	1,604	1,656	1,752	1,776	1,812	1,832	1,916	1,920	2,012	1,956	1,952	1,936
NET NATIONAL INCOME AT FACTOR COST	**19,148**	**19,200**	**18,592**	**18,676**	**18,756**	**19,152**	**19,660**	**20,600**	**21,116**	**21,584**	**22,248**	**22,820**	**23,328**	**23,800**	**23,576**	**23,592**
Indirect taxes less subsidies	2,928	2,868	2,960	2,956	2,904	2,968	3,096	3,192	3,284	3,380	3,480	3,628	3,604	3,692	3,872	3,764
Depreciation and similar business costs[4]	2,440	2,556	2,580	2,688	2,688	2,736	2,772	2,844	2,920	2,976	3,048	3,112	3,176	3,268	3,308	3,376
Residual error of estimate	+184	+92	−120	−172	−64	+44	+204	−12	+76	−28	+108	−32	+28	+156	−44	−4
G.N.P. AT MARKET PRICES	**24,700**	**24,716**	**24,012**	**24,148**	**24,284**	**24,900**	**25,732**	**26,624**	**27,396**	**27,912**	**28,884**	**29,528**	**30,136**	**30,916**	**30,712**	**30,728**
G.N.P. less accrued net income of farm operators	23,040	22,980	22,808	23,028	23,180	23,740	24,420	25,176	25,984	26,468	27,308	27,944	28,568	29,212	29,420	29,492
GROSS NATIONAL EXPENDITURE																
Personal expenditure on consumer goods and services	15,120	15,296	15,444	15,772	16,064	16,244	16,488	17,020	17,332	17,716	17,936	18,284	18,808	19,196	19,536	19,484
Government expenditure on goods and services[5, 6]	4,504	4,324	4,272	4,460	4,440	4,480	4,632	4,680	4,772	4,828	5,020	5,148	5,356	5,312	5,184	5,448
Gross domestic investment[7]: housing[8]	1,080	1,108	1,112	1,092	1,196	1,264	1,376	1,444	1,532	1,572	1,584	1,612	1,548	1,480	1,424	1,368
non-residential construction	1,776	1,760	1,724	1,640	1,624	1,648	1,776	1,772	1,856	1,984	2,228	2,476	2,664	2,828	2,804	3,032
machinery and equipment	2,128	1,888	1,876	1,972	1,776	1,740	1,748	1,884	2,040	2,116	2,268	2,452	2,624	2,704	2,716	2,672
change in inventories: business[9]	+420	+312	+292	−396	−400	−76	+276	−16	+528	+488	+992	+856	+396	+724	+568	+312
other[9]	+112	+540	−268	−156	−128	+32	+104	+224	+212	+224	+292	−32	+144	+384	−44	+24
Exports of goods and services[10, 11]	5,636	5,160	4,948	5,108	5,176	5,356	5,560	5,680	5,868	5,904	6,156	6,392	6,348	6,344	6,412	6,224
GROSS AVAILABLE SUPPLY	**30,776**	**30,388**	**29,400**	**29,492**	**29,748**	**30,688**	**31,960**	**32,688**	**34,140**	**34,832**	**36,476**	**37,188**	**37,888**	**38,972**	**38,600**	**38,564**
Less: Imports of goods and services[11]	5,896	5,576	5,508	5,516	5,528	5,744	6,028	6,080	6,668	6,944	7,480	7,692	7,728	7,896	7,932	7,840
Residual error of estimate	−180	−96	+120	+172	+64	−44	−200	+16	−76	+24	−112	+32	−24	−160	+44	+4
G.N.E. AT MARKET PRICES	**24,700**	**24,716**	**24,012**	**24,148**	**24,284**	**24,900**	**25,732**	**26,624**	**27,396**	**27,912**	**28,884**	**29,528**	**30,136**	**30,916**	**30,712**	**30,728**
PERSONAL INCOME AND EXPENDITURE																
Wages, salaries and supplementary labour income	11,804	11,792	11,836	11,876	12,048	12,216	12,360	12,672	12,976	13,232	13,636	14,108	14,560	14,832	15,076	15,300
Less: Social insurance and Government pension contributions[12]	392	388	388	396	400	400	408	416	428	440	452	464	476	464	512	496
Military pay and allowances	316	332	332	368	380	388	372	400	404	400	372	424	452	448	456	456
Net income of unincorporated business[13]	3,196	3,552	2,852	2,780	2,608	2,864	2,976	3,292	3,172	3,260	3,476	3,528	3,500	3,652	3,324	3,260
Interest, dividends and net rental income of persons[14]	1,668	1,652	1,702	1,776	1,812	1,824	1,968	1,880	1,976	2,004	2,044	2,056	2,112	2,176	2,224	2,268
Transfer payments to persons[15]	1,552	1,596	1,604	1,668	1,700	1,768	1,808	1,812	1,772	1,760	1,824	1,816	1,836	1,828	1,956	2,020
PERSONAL INCOME	**18,144**	**18,536**	**17,956**	**18,072**	**18,148**	**18,660**	**19,076**	**19,640**	**19,872**	**20,216**	**20,900**	**21,468**	**21,984**	**22,472**	**22,524**	**22,808**
Less: Personal direct taxes[16]	1,452	1,408	1,392	1,452	1,416	1,488	1,472	1,400	1,540	1,552	1,616	1,708	1,776	1,780	1,884	1,904
PERSONAL DISPOSABLE INCOME	**16,692**	**17,128**	**16,564**	**16,620**	**16,732**	**17,172**	**17,604**	**18,240**	**18,332**	**18,664**	**19,284**	**19,760**	**20,208**	**20,692**	**20,640**	**20,904**
Expenditure on goods: non-durables	8,596	8,604	8,652	8,976	9,156	9,204	9,324	9,612	9,760	9,996	10,196	10,272	10,668	10,916	11,036	11,108
durables	1,760	1,776	1,784	1,664	1,660	1,668	1,720	1,916	2,008	2,032	1,948	2,100	2,112	2,084	2,172	2,008
Expenditure on services (including net expenditure abroad)	4,764	4,916	5,008	5,132	5,248	5,372	5,444	5,492	5,564	5,688	5,792	5,912	6,028	6,196	6,328	6,368
TOTAL PERSONAL SAVING	**+1,572**	**+1,832**	**+1,120**	**+848**	**+668**	**+928**	**+1,116**	**+1,220**	**+1,000**	**+948**	**+1,348**	**+1,476**	**+1,400**	**+1,496**	**+1,104**	**+1,420**

1. Quarterly figures are available back to the beginning of 1947. The sources are the D.B.S. publications: "National Accounts, Income and Expenditure, By Quarters, 1947–1952" and "National Accounts, Income and Expenditure, First Quarter, 1956" and "Second Quarter, 1957".
2. Accrued net income of farm operators from farm production. This item includes the undistributed earnings of the Canadian Wheat Board, and an inventory valuation adjustment for grain held by the Board.
3. Includes net income of independent professional practitioners.
4. Includes an estimate of capital outlay charged to current account, the claim portion of fire insurance premiums, and bad debt allowances.
5. Includes expenditure by Federal, Provincial and Municipal governments. Capital expenditure by government bodies other than public business enterprises, changes in inventories of government commodity agencies.
6. The Defence Production Revolving Fund is included in this item. However, shipments under NATO of previously produced military equipment are excluded but expenditure for the replacement of new equipment is included.
7. Includes capital expenditure by government business enterprises.
8. In 1955, data were based on a redesigned and enlarged sample and some discontinuity with previous years may exist.
9. Change in business inventories is the change in the book value. Change in "other inventories" is the value of the physical change in grain in commercial channels and inventories on farms.
10. Excludes exports financed by Government of Canada expenditure on Mutual Aid and foreign relief.
11. Minor adjustments have been made by D.B.S. to the figures of current receipts and payments as shown in the "Canadian Balance of International Payments" to achieve consistency with National Accounts concepts.
12. Includes both employer and employee contributions.
13. This item differs from the corresponding comoonent of G.N.P. in that it excludes undistributed earnings (and inventory valuation adjustment) of the Canadian Wheat Board.
14. Includes all government debt interest paid to persons.
15. Includes transfer payments made by governments (except interest paid on transfer portion of the public debt), charitable donations from corporations and net bad debt losses of the corporations. In the G.N.P. account the latter are included in the item "Depreciation and Similar Business Costs" and amounted to an average of 7 (unadjusted) and 26 (adjusted at annual rates) per quarter over the last 16 quarters.
16. Includes succession duties and miscellaneous taxes as well as personal income taxes.
17. Note on Seasonal Adjustment:

Except in the case of crop production seasonal adjustments are based on normal seasonal patterns, and the effects of abnormal seasonal influences, as well as of all non-seasonal influences, are left in the seasonally-adjusted figures. In the case of crop production the annual value is divided equally between the four quarters of the calendar year.

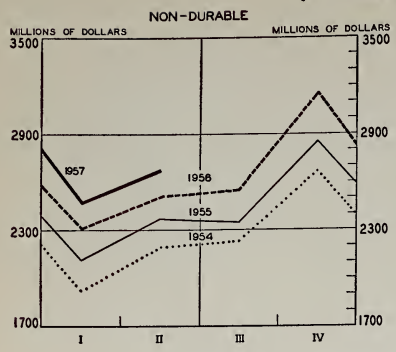
* Preliminary.

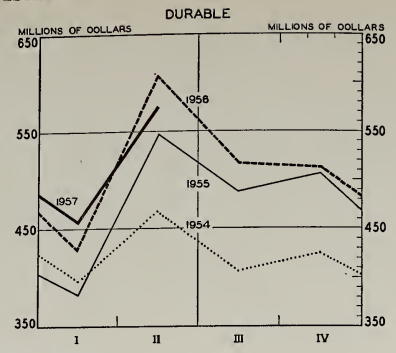
NOTE: For 1952 data see pages 70–71 in the "Financial Supplement 1955" and for 1953–1956 data see pages 106–107 in the "Financial Supplement 1956". For quarterly data 1947–1951 for some of these series see page 89 in the "Financial Supplement 1954".

CONSUMER EXPENDITURE ON GOODS

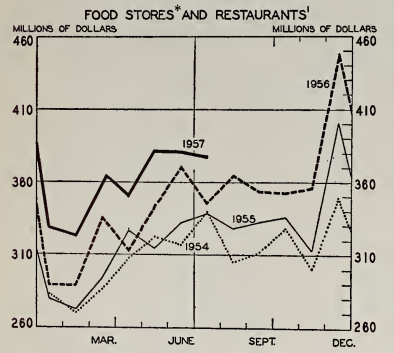
Dominion Bureau of Statistics

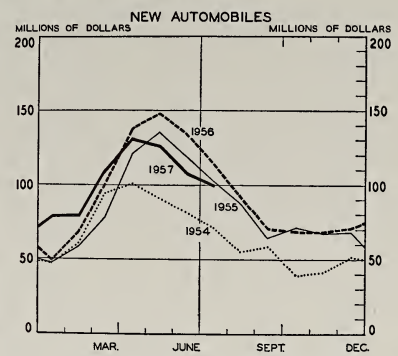
QUARTERLY ESTIMATES

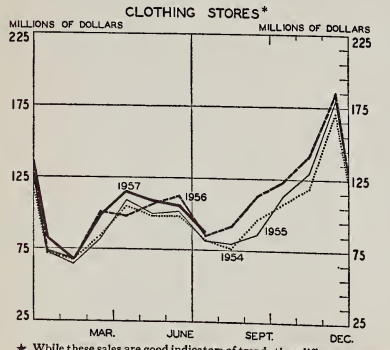


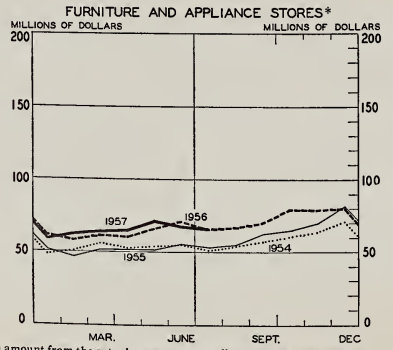


TOTAL MONTHLY SALES OF SELECTED RETAIL OUTLETS★









★ While these sales are good indicators of trends they differ somewhat in amount from the actual consumer expenditure on the items selected.
* Includes department store sales in these categories.
1. Consists of grocery and combination stores, other food and beverage stores, and restaurants.

NEW PASSENGER AUTOMOBILE STATISTICS[1]

Thousands of Units — *"Ward's Automotive Reports" and Dominion Bureau of Statistics*

	Cdn. Passenger Automobiles		Imports of New Passenger Automobiles[3]				Total Domestic Supply	Domestic Sales		Apparent Change in Stocks[5]	Total Registrations (New and Used)
	Production	*Less:* Exports[2]	From U.S.A.	From U.K.	From all other Countries	Total Imports		Total	*% Financed*[4]		
Annual Totals											
1948	167.8	31.5	2.8	14.2	–	17.0	153.3	145.7	*20.5*	+7.6	1,496.8
1949	193.0	16.5	3.6	31.2	0.5	35.3	211.8	202.3	*26.3*	+9.5	1,672.4
1950	282.7	24.6	3.2	77.6	0.9	81.7	339.8	324.9	*29.9*	+14.9	1,906.9
1951	281.6	39.6	14.1	25.7	–	39.8	281.8	275.7	*29.6*	+6.1	2,097.6
1952	284.6	38.1	13.8	19.8	1.1	34.7	281.2	292.1	*42.8*	−10.9	2,296.4
1953	366.5	40.4	23.5	28.1	1.5	53.1	379.2	359.2	*40.8*	+20.0	2,513.8
1954	285.6	19.7	18.0	17.5	3.0	38.4	304.3	310.5	*40.6*	−6.2	2,688.5
1955	377.6	25.7	27.4	15.0	6.1	48.5	400.4	387.0	*40.4*	+13.4	2,935.4
1956**	373.7	25.0	38.8	20.7	16.6	76.1	424.9	407.7	*46.6*	+17.1	3,187.1
Quarterly											
1954—II	93.3	8.1	7.5	8.8	1.0	17.3	102.5	107.2	*38.8*	−4.7	*
III	40.9	5.0	1.8	2.9	0.8	5.5	41.4	72.8	*46.6*	−31.4	*
IV	45.4	0.2	3.1	2.0	0.8	5.9	51.1	51.8	*44.5*	−0.7	*
1955—I	99.3	4.4	6.4	2.5	0.7	9.6	104.5	70.8	*34.5*	+33.7	*
II	134.3	11.7	6.2	6.1	2.0	14.3	136.9	144.2	*36.0*	−7.3	*
III	73.1	5.6	8.0	3.9	1.6	13.6	81.1	98.4	*49.5*	−17.3	*
IV	70.9	4.0	6.8	2.4	1.8	11.0	77.9	73.5	*41.6*	+4.4	*
1956—I	85.9	6.8	21.9	4.6	3.7	30.3	109.4	76.7	*37.9*	+32.7	*
II	135.8	9.0	12.3	8.4	4.7	25.3	152.1	152.7	*41.7*	−0.6	*
III**	58.0	5.7	1.0	3.6	3.6	8.2	60.6	102.4	*56.3*	−41.8	*
IV**	94.0	3.5	3.6	4.1	4.6	12.3	102.8	76.0	*52.2*	+26.8	*
1957—I**	105.8	5.6	6.5	4.9	5.1	16.5	116.7	91.3	*37.4*	+25.4	*
II**	112.3	6.2	5.2	9.3	7.1	21.6	127.7	128.7	*41.7*	−1.0	*

1. Includes Newfoundland commencing in 1949. 2. Manufacturers' shipments for export. 3. Less re-exports, assumed to be entirely of other than U.S.A. origin. 4. Data on domestic sales financed include only financing through sales finance companies. 5. In the hands of manufacturers, wholesalers and retailers. A limited number of new automobiles pass into use without being reported in sales of new vehicles (e.g. dealers' demonstration models). Thus the "Apparent Change in Stocks" contains an upward bias which makes any cumulative estimate unreliable, especially over periods longer than one year.
* Not available. ** Preliminary.

NEW COMMERCIAL VEHICLE STATISTICS[1]

Thousands of Units — *"Ward's Automotive Reports" and Dominion Bureau of Statistics*

	Cdn. Commercial Vehicles		Imports of New Commercial Vehicles[3]				Total Domestic Supply	Domestic Sales		Apparent Change in Stocks[5]	Total Registrations (New and Used)
	Production	*Less:* Exports[2]	From U.S.A.	From U.K.	From All other Countries	Total Imports		Total	*% Financed*[4]		
Annual Totals											
1948	95.8	23.4	1.5	2.1	–	3.6	76.0	75.6	*29.0*	+0.4	504.2
1949	98.0	13.3	1.2	2.2	–	3.4	88.1	84.0	*33.7*	+4.1	578.3
1950	105.4	9.2	1.6	5.2	–	6.8	103.0	104.8	*36.5*	−1.8	649.7
1951	133.2	27.2	3.4	2.3	–	5.7	111.7	110.0	*40.5*	+1.7	731.6
1952	149.1	37.7	3.2	1.1	–	4.3	115.7	108.7	*43.9*	+7.0	817.3
1953	117.3	19.8	4.1	0.9	0.3	5.3	102.8	103.4	*41.2*	−0.6	876.7
1954	66.4	10.2	4.1	0.3	0.5	4.9	61.1	72.1	*38.9*	−11.0	918.5
1955	75.1	9.4	7.7	0.4	1.3	9.4	75.1	78.7	*36.7*	−3.6	977.1
1956**	98.7	8.5	10.6	0.6	1.9	13.1	103.3	91.7	*38.0*	+11.6	1,008.0
Quarterly											
1954—II	21.3	3.0	1.2	0.1	0.1	1.4	19.7	22.9	*38.9*	−3.2	*
III	9.6	1.9	0.7	0.1	0.2	1.0	8.7	16.8	*40.9*	−8.1	*
IV	9.6	1.2	1.3	0.1	0.1	1.5	9.9	13.0	*41.1*	−3.1	*
1955—I	13.3	1.8	1.3	0.1	0.2	1.6	13.1	12.5	*33.3*	+0.6	*
II	33.8	4.7	1.9	0.2	0.4	2.4	31.5	25.7	*33.8*	+5.8	*
III	17.7	1.8	2.4	0.1	0.3	2.8	18.7	22.9	*40.4*	−4.2	*
IV	10.3	1.1	2.2	0.1	0.4	2.6	11.8	17.6	*38.6*	−5.8	*
1956—I	20.4	2.1	2.6	0.1	0.5	3.2	21.5	16.5	*31.1*	+5.0	*
II	33.9	2.7	3.4	0.2	0.5	4.1	35.3	29.8	*35.1*	+5.5	*
III	21.1	2.3	2.8	0.1	0.3	3.2	22.0	25.3	*40.0*	−3.3	*
IV**	23.3	1.4	1.8	0.2	0.6	2.6	24.5	20.1	*44.5*	+4.4	*
1957—I**	20.4	1.7	1.9	0.2	0.5	2.6	21.3	18.9	*36.3*	+2.4	*
II**	24.2	2.7	1.9	0.3	0.5	2.7	24.2	25.7	*36.8*	−1.5	*

1. Includes Newfoundland commencing in 1949. 2. Manufacturers' shipments for export. 3. Less re-exports, assumed to be entirely of other than U.S.A. origin. 4. Data on domestic sales financed include only financing through sales finance companies. 5. In the hands of manufacturers, wholesalers and retailers. A limited number of new vehicles pass into use without being reported in sales of new vehicles. Thus the "Apparent Change in Stocks" contains an upward bias which makes any cumulative estimate unreliable, especially over periods longer than one year.
* Not available. ** Preliminary.

GRAINS : ACREAGE AND PRODUCTION★

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	WHEAT		OATS		BARLEY		RYE		FLAXSEED		OTHER GRAINS 1		SUMMER FALLOW 2	Total
	mm. bus.	mm. acres	*mm. bus.*	mm. acres	*mm. bus.*	mm. acres	*mm. bus.*	mm. acres	*mm. bus.*	mm. acres	*mm. bus.*	mm. acres	mm. acres	mm. acres
TOTAL CANADA 3														
1947	*338.5*	24.1	*270.2*	10.7	*139.9*	7.4	*13.6*	1.2	*13.8*	1.8	*41.3*	1.4	19.7	**66.3**
1948	*381.4*	23.7	*345.3*	10.9	*152.3*	6.4	*27.5*	2.4	*18.4*	2.0	*69.5*	1.7	20.7	**67.8**
1949	*366.0*	27.4	*304.6*	11.0	*118.0*	5.9	*10.2*	1.2	*2.2*	0.3	*64.9*	1.9	21.8	**69.5**
1950	*466.5*	27.3	*401.8*	11.2	*167.5*	6.5	*13.0*	1.1	*5.0*	0.6	*79.9*	1.8	21.6	**70.1**
1951	*553.6*	25.3	*488.1*	11.9	*245.2*	7.8	*17.6*	1.1	*9.9*	1.2	*87.3*	1.9	21.6	**70.8**
1952	*701.9*	26.2	*466.8*	11.1	*291.4*	8.5	*24.8*	1.3	*12.3*	1.1	*85.7*	2.0	21.2	**71.4**
1953	*634.0*†	26.4†	*407.0*	9.8	*262.1*	8.9	*28.8*	1.5	*9.9*	1.0	*86.4*	2.0	22.8	**72.4**†
1954	*332.0*†	25.5†	*306.8*	10.2	*175.5*	7.9	*14.2*	0.9	*11.2*	1.2	*86.1*	2.2	25.3	**73.2**†
1955	*519.2*†	22.7†	*407.8*†	11.2	*252.4*†	9.9	*14.8*†	0.8	*19.7*	1.8	*99.8*†	2.3	24.0	**72.7**†
1956	*573.1*	22.8	*524.4*	11.7	*269.1*	8.4	*8.6*	0.5	*34.5*	3.0	*97.6*	2.2	24.1	**72.7**
1957**	*369.7*	21.0	*388.3*	11.0	*223.4*	9.4	*8.6*	0.6	*23.1*	3.5	*95.9*	2.1	24.7	**72.3**
MANITOBA														
1947	*42.0*	2.5	*36.7*†	1.3	*34.0*	1.9	*0.6*	–	*5.6*	0.6	*0.3*†	0.2†	2.4†	**8.9**†
1948	*50.0*	2.2	*56.8*†	1.4	*45.0*	1.5	*2.0*	0.1	*9.4*	1.0	*0.6*†	0.2†	2.6†	**9.0**†
1949	*52.0*	2.9	*49.9*†	1.6	*40.0*	1.7	*0.8*	–	*1.1*	0.1	*0.8*†	0.3†	2.6	**9.2**†
1950	*50.0*	2.4	*66.2*†	1.5	*55.0*	1.7	*1.3*	0.1	*3.1*	0.3	*1.2*†	9.4†	2.8†	**9.2**†
1951	*53.0*	2.3	*58.0*	1.6	*56.0*	2.0	*0.8*	0.1	*5.0*	0.7	*1.2*†	0.4†	2.5	**9.6**†
1952	*57.0*	2.4	*65.0*	1.6	*71.0*	2.2	*1.2*	0.1	*4.8*	0.5	*1.4*†	0.5†	2.7	**10.0**†
1953	*48.0*†	2.3†	*53.0*	1.4	*61.0*	2.4	*2.8*	0.1	*3.8*	0.4	*1.5*†	0.6†	2.8	**10.0**†
1954	*29.0*†	2.1†	*36.0*	1.5	*44.0*	2.2	*1.5*	0.1	*4.0*	0.4	*1.4*†	0.6†	3.1	**10.0**†
1955	*42.0*†	2.1†	*50.0*	1.5	*40.0*	2.1	*1.7*	0.1	*4.6*	0.5	*1.7*†	0.9†	3.1	**10.3**†
1956	*56.0*	2.2	*92.0*	2.1	*42.0*	1.5	*1.1*	0.1	*8.0*	0.8	*3.0*	1.3	2.8	**10.8**
1957**	*44.0*	2.1	*58.0*	1.8	*34.0*	1.7	*1.2*	0.1	*4.5*	0.9	*2.4*	1.1	2.9	**10.6**
SASKATCHEWAN														
1947	*173.0*	14.2	*80.0*	4.0	*45.0*	2.8	*7.3*	0.8	*5.1*	0.9	*0.2*	–	11.6†	**34.3**†
1948	*191.0*	14.4	*89.0*	3.7	*42.0*	2.3	*12.5*	1.5	*5.0*	0.6	*0.3*	–	11.9†	**34.4**†
1949	*186.0*	15.7	*85.0*	3.4	*33.0*	1.8	*4.8*	0.7	*0.6*	0.1	*0.4*	–	13.0†	**34.7**†
1950	*272.0*	16.5	*112.0*	3.4	*46.0*	2.0	*6.5*	0.7	*1.0*	0.2	*0.5*	–	12.9†	**35.7**†
1951	*325.0*	15.6	*148.0*	3.8	*73.0*	2.4	*9.8*	0.7	*2.3*	0.3	*1.1*	–	12.9	**35.7**
1952	*449.0*	16.6	*152.0*	3.4	*92.0*	2.6	*14.2*	0.7	*4.3*	0.4	*1.0*	–	12.4	**36.1**
1953	*391.0*†	16.8†	*111.0*	2.7	*82.0*	2.7	*14.4*	0.8	*3.5*	0.3	*0.7*	–	13.5	**36.8**†
1954	*169.0*†	16.6†	*86.0*	2.9	*53.0*	2.3	*6.7*	0.5	*4.8*	0.5	*0.7*	–	14.7	**37.5**†
1955	*320.0*†	14.1†	*135.0*	3.7	*104.0*	3.8	*8.2*	0.5	*11.9*	1.0	*1.8*	0.1	14.3	**37.5**†
1956	*355.0*	14.6	*165.0*	3.7	*99.0*	3.0	*4.1*	0.3	*19.0*	1.7	*1.7*	–	14.2	**37.5**
1957**	*211.0*	13.4	*82.0*	3.2	*82.0*	3.8	*3.2*	0.3	*12.6*	2.0	*1.4*	0.1	14.7	**37.5**
ALBERTA														
1947	*105.0*	6.6	*75.0*	2.5	*52.0*	2.4	*4.3*	0.3	*2.3*	0.3	*0.4*	–	5.8	**17.9**
1948	*115.0*	6.3	*77.0*	2.5	*55.0*	2.2	*10.2*	0.6	*3.1*	0.3	*1.1*	–	6.2†	**18.1**†
1949	*103.0*	7.9	*55.0*	2.4	*36.0*	2.1	*2.4*	0.3	*0.2*	–	*0.7*	–	6.1†	**18.8**†
1950	*117.0*	7.5	*77.0*	2.6	*56.0*	2.5	*3.3*	0.3	*0.4*	–	*1.5*	0.1	6.0†	**19.0**†
1951	*152.0*	6.4	*134.0*	2.9	*105.0*	3.0	*5.3*	0.3	*1.6*	0.1	*3.2*	0.1	6.2	**19.0**
1952	*172.0*	6.4	*129.0*	2.6	*118.0*	3.3	*7.8*	0.4	*2.2*	0.2	*2.9*	0.1	6.1	**19.1**
1953	*165.0*†	6.4†	*112.0*	2.4	*108.0*	3.5	*9.7*	0.5	*2.0*	0.2	*2.8*	0.1	6.4	**19.5**†
1954	*107.0*†	6.0†	*74.0*	2.4	*70.0*	3.1	*4.0*	0.2	*2.2*	0.2	*3.1*	0.1	7.5	**19.5**†
1955	*135.0*†	5.8†	*105.0*	2.6	*100.0*	3.7	*3.5*	0.2	*3.0*	0.2	*5.8*	0.2	6.5	**19.2**†
1956	*140.0*	5.3	*143.0*	2.9	*121.0*	3.6	*1.3*	0.1	*7.1*	0.5	*7.3*	0.2	7.1	**19.7**
1957**	*93.0*	4.9	*100.0*	2.8	*100.0*	3.7	*1.9*	0.1	*5.7*	0.6	*6.3*	0.2	7.1	**19.4**
OTHER PROVINCES 3														
1947	*18.5*	0.8	*78.5*†	2.9	*8.9*	0.3	*1.4*	0.1	*0.8*	–	*40.4*†	1.2†	*	**5.3**†
1948	*25.4*	0.8	*122.5*†	3.3	*10.3*	0.4	*2.8*	0.2	*0.9*	0.1	*67.5*†	1.5†	*	**6.3**†
1949	*25.0*	0.9	*114.7*†	3.6	*9.0*	0.3	*2.2*	0.2	*0.3*	0.1	*63.0*†	1.6†	*	**6.7**†
1950	*27.5*	0.9	*146.6*†	3.7	*10.5*	0.3	*1.9*	–	*0.5*	0.1	*76.7*†	1.3†	*	**6.3**†
1951	*23.6*	1.0	*148.1*	3.6	*11.2*	0.4	*1.7*	–	*1.0*	0.1	*81.8*†	1.4†	*	**6.5**†
1952	*23.9*	0.8	*120.8*	3.5	*10.4*	0.4	*1.6*	0.1	*1.0*	–	*80.4*†	1.4†	*	**6.2**†
1953	*30.0*	0.9	*131.0*	3.3	*11.1*	0.3	*1.9*	0.1	*0.6*	0.1	*81.4*†	1.3†	*	**6.0**†
1954	*27.0*†	0.8†	*110.8*	3.4	*8.5*	0.3	*2.0*	0.1	*0.2*	0.1	*80.9*†	1.5†	*	**6.2**†
1955	*22.2*†	0.7	*117.8*†	3.4	*8.4*†	0.3	*1.4*†	–	*0.2*	0.1	*90.5*†	1.1†	*	**5.6**†
1956	*22.1*	0.7	*124.4*	3.0	*7.1*	0.3	*2.1*	–	*0.4*	–	*85.6*	0.7	*	**4.7**
1957**	*21.7*	0.6	*148.3*	3.2	*7.4*	0.2	*2.3*	0.1	*0.3*	–	*85.8*	0.7	*	**4.8**

★ All grains for 1952 to 1955 inclusive, except wheat, are subject to further revision. 1. Buckwheat, mixed grains and shelled corn. 2. Prairie Provinces. 3. Excludes Newfoundland. * Not available. † Revised. ** Estimate; D.B.S. Sept. 15.

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	Total	Mining	Manufacturing			Electricity and Manufactured Gas
			Total	Non-Durables	Durables	
Weighting	100.0	16.8	75.6	46.1	29.5	7.6
Annual Average						
1951	**226.5**	161.8	242.1	214.0	285.9	214.2
1952	**233.0**	174.7	246.3	215.2	294.8	228.8
1953	**248.4**	185.8	263.0	224.1	323.9	241.9
1954	**244.6**	209.7	251.4	221.7	297.7	254.6
1955	**265.8**	242.0	270.1	235.2	324.8	275.7
1956	**284.4**	272.5	285.6	245.6	248.9	295.2
Monthly						
1955—Dec.	**264.3**	245.5	265.5	229.5	321.9	293.2
1956—Jan.	**257.7**	239.8	259.5	223.5	315.8	278.8
Feb.	**266.4**	243.6	269.7	232.8	327.5	283.2
Mar.	**277.5**	250.5	282.5	240.9	347.5	286.9
Apr.	**277.4**	234.5	286.6	244.1	353.0	279.8
May	**283.3**	257.5	288.0	244.3	356.3	293.2
June	**298.7**	279.5	303.3	260.1	370.8	295.3
July	**285.5**	284.3	286.1	240.2	358.0	282.7
Aug.	**288.6**	294.3	287.3	252.5	341.8	289.1
Sept.	**298.8**	308.6	296.5	260.2	353.2	300.6
Oct.	**300.7**	308.4	297.1	256.4	360.8	319.5
Nov.	**298.2**	298.4	296.2	254.4	361.6	317.1
Dec.	**279.4**	270.4	277.7	237.7	340.3	316.3
1957—Jan.	**272.0**	262.7	269.8	227.3†	336.2	314.6
Feb.	**281.9**	264.7†	282.3†	242.5†	344.5	315.4
Mar.	**283.0**	258.2†	286.2†	245.4†	349.9	306.4
Apr.	**285.3**†	274.0†	285.1†	247.1†	344.5	312.2
May	**289.7**	295.1	287.9	251.4	345.1	296.0
June	**296.8***	306.4*	296.0*	263.0*	347.6*	283.5
July	**282.4***	307.0*	276.2*	243.7*	327.1*	290.3

* Preliminary.

NOTE: For 1952 data see page 82 in the "Financial Supplement 1955" and for 1953–1956 see page 116 in the "Financial Supplement 1956".

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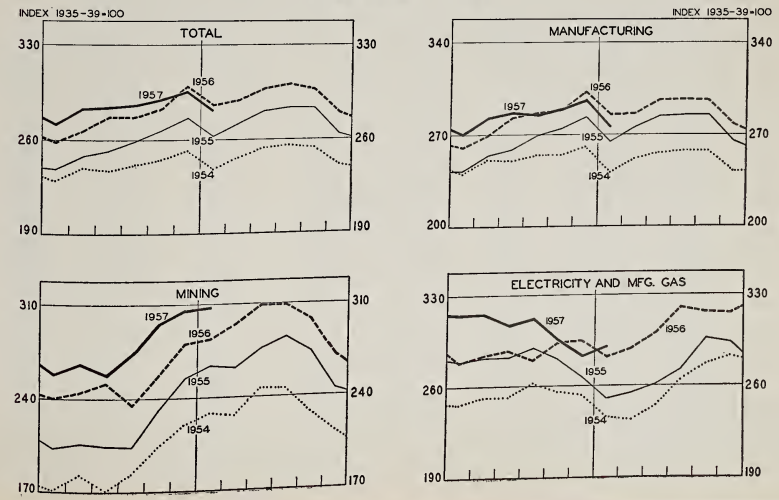

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	Gross National Production		Personal Income and Expenditure				Change in Business Inventories	Corporation Profits before Taxes 1	Expenditure on Construction 2	External Trade Value Indexes		Labour Force Survey			Industrial Production Index	Manufacturing						
			Labour Income	Disposable Income	Expenditure on Goods											Total		Durable Goods		Non-Durable Goods		
	Total	Ex. Farm			Durable	Non-Dur.				Exports of Goods	Imports of Goods	Without Jobs	Non-Agric. Employment	Employment in Construction		Production Index	Employment Index	Employment Index	Hrs. Worked per Week	Employment Index	Hrs. Worked per Week	
	Millions of Dollars									*1949 = 100*		*1956 = 100*	*Thousands of Persons*		*1935–39 = 100*	*1949 = 100*			*Average*	*1949 = 100*	*Average*	
1955—Aug.	27,396	25,984	13,008	18,332	2,008	9,760	528	2,988	3,388	147	177	119.6	4,571†	374	270	275	111	118	41.4	103	40.9	Aug.—1955
Sept.			13,056							147	183	130.1	4,578		271	275	112	119	41.3	104	41.0	Sept.
Oct.			13,140							154	197	121.5	4,624		273	278	112	119	41.4	104	40.8	Oct.
Nov.	27,912	26,468	13,236	18,664	2,032	9,996	488	3,188	3,556	145	183	113.1	4,622†	382	277	280	113	121	41.5	105	40.9	Nov.
Dec.			13,320							146	184	113.1	4,638		275	278	113	122	41.2	105	40.8	Dec.
1956—Jan.			13,476							157	197	111.7	4,659		276	279	113	121	41.2	106	41.1	Jan.—1956
Feb.	28,884†	27,308†	13,644	19,284	1,948	10,196	992	3,244†	3,812	156	196	113.4	4,669	391	275	278	114	121	41.2	106	41.1	Feb.
Mar.			13,788							156	213	108.0	4,713		281	284	114	123	41.1	106	40.9	Mar.
Apr.			13,992							160	219†	106.3	4,703		280	282	115	124	41.0	106	40.3	Apr.
May	29,528†	27,944†	14,100	19,760	2,100	10,272	856	3,260†	4,088	151	203	104.2	4,715†	419	280	282	115	124	41.4	106	40.7	May
June			14,232							165	206	98.1	4,743		287	291	116	126	41.1	106	40.9	June
July			14,484							166	207	89.0	4,796		289	292	117	127	41.3	107	41.0	July
Aug.	30,136†	28,568†	14,496	20,208	2,112	10,668	396	3,248†	4,212	164	197	96.6	4,763†	416	287	287	117	127	41.5	108	40.8	Aug.
Sept.			14,700							170	213	91.0	4,773		287	286	116	125	41.3	106	40.7	Sept.
Oct.			14,760							167	214	85.3	4,798		289	289	117	127	41.3	107	40.9	Oct.
Nov.	30,916†	29,212†	14,832	20,692	2,084	10,916	724	3,208†	4,308	159	220	97.5	4,854†	416	290	291	119	131	41.5	107	40.7	Nov.
Dec.			14,904							164	203	100.3	4,836		290	290	119	131	41.2	108	40.7	Dec.
1957—Jan.			14,964							165	213†	117.3	4,843		291	289†	119	130	40.2	108	39.7	Jan.—1957
Feb.	30,712†	29,420†	15,072	20,640†	2,172†	11,036†	568†	3,116†	4,228†	160	219	117.9	4,849†	430	292	291†	119	130	40.8	108	40.9	Feb.
Mar.			15,192							165†	210	124.3	4,847		291	290	117	126	40.6	108	40.6	Mar.
Apr.			15,156							151	215	125.6	4,882		288	281	117	126	40.9	108	40.6	Apr.
May	30,728	29,492	15,288	20,904	2,008	11,108	312	3,088	4,400	155	205	121.3	4,949†	448	287	282†	117	126	40.6	108	40.0	May
June			15,420†							160	201	137.8	4,961		284	282	117	126†	40.8	109	40.3	June
July			15,480							165†	200*	145.3	4,965		284	280	117	126	40.7	108	40.5	July
Aug.												168.5	4,934	435								Aug.

★ Note: All dollar series are expressed at annual rates. 1. As per survey of corporate earnings: profits before payment of dividends abroad and including earnings of Canadian corporations abroad. 2. As per National Accounts: expenditure on private residential and non-residential construction. † Revised. * Preliminary.

NOTE: For 1952 data for most of this series, see page 87 in the "Financial Supplement 1955" and for 1953–1956 data see page 118 in the "Financial Supplement 1956".

MANUFACTURING: SHIPMENTS, ORDERS AND INVENTORIES

ESTIMATES FOR ALL ITEMS IN ALL INDUSTRIES

Millions of Dollars — *"Inventories, Shipments and Orders in Manufacturing Industries", DBS*

	Shipments During Month 1	Orders		Inventories at End of Month				
		New Orders Received During Month 2	Unfilled Orders at end of Month 3	Owned 4	All Inventories Held			
					Total 5	Raw Materials	Goods in Process	Finished Products
1955—Dec.	1,644	1,684	2,784	3,636	4,070	1,766	1,105	1,199
1956—Jan.	1,539	1,752	2,997	3,706	4,138	1,788	1,106	1,244
Feb.	1,621	1,672	3,048	3,790	4,233	1,816	1,142	1,276
Mar.	1,761	1,759	3,046	3,833	4,262	1,823	1,150	1,289
Apr.	1,752	1,779	3,074	3,845	4,281	1,817	1,158	1,306
May	1,888	1,852	3,037	3,883	4,342	1,838	1,184	1,320
June	1,867	1,760	2,930	3,933	4,397	1,854	1,191	1,352
July	1,764	1,739	2,905	3,937	4,392	1,882	1,164	1,346
Aug.	1,810	1,831	2,926	3,938	4,399	1,897	1,170	1,332
Sept.	1,798	1,812	2,940	3,970	4,441	1,903	1,189	1,349
Oct.	1,911	1,858	2,886	3,989	4,464	1,926	1,205	1,333
Nov.	1,849	1,846	2,883	4,059	4,545	1,954	1,229	1,362
Dec.	1,717	1,966	3,133	4,119	4,608	1,995	1,236	1,377
1957—Jan.	1,690†	1,796†	3,239	4,166	4,668	1,992	1,257	1,419
Feb.	1,654†	1,645†	3,230	4,265	4,777	2,012	1,283	1,482
Mar.	1,861†	1,796†	3,165	4,262	4,793	2,022	1,285	1,485
Apr.	1,810†	1,732†	3,086†	4,250†	4,788†	2,006†	1,300†	1,482†
May	1,913	1,813	2,986	4,279	4,818	2,004	1,318	1,496
June *	1,811	1,754	2,930	4,288	4,839	1,992	1,327	1,519
July *	1,810	1,770	2,890	4,295	4,857	2,013	1,326	1,518
Aug. *	1,780	1,748	2,858	4,284	4,845	2,010	1,320	1,515

1. Represent an estimated projection, on a monthly basis, of the latest available Census of Industry values. The value level used being the factory selling value.
2. Indicates the rate at which new business is being received. These are new orders received during the period at estimated selling value. 3. Estimated selling value of orders received but not yet shipped, irrespective of work done on them. 4. Estimated book value of inventory owned by manufacturers in connection with manufacturing operations. Excludes value of goods purchased for re-sale. 5. Estimated total value of manufacturers' inventory holdings in connection with manufacturing operations, regardless of ownership. Includes progress payments inventory. † Revised. * Preliminary.

NOTE: For data back to 1952 see page 109 in the "Financial Supplement 1956".

U.S.A. ECONOMIC STATISTICS

	Gross National Product	Change in Business Inventories	Govt. Expenditure on National Security 1	Personal Savings as a Percentage of Disposable Income	Total Personal Income	Construction 3	Unemployment	Retail Sales 4	Consumer Price Index	Wholesale Prices: All Commodities	Average Hourly Earnings in Manufacturing 5	Total Industrial Production 4
	U.S. Department of Commerce								*U.S. Dept. of Labor*			*Federal Reserve*
	Billions of Dollars 2				Billions of $ 2	Billions of $	Millions	Billions of $	1947–49 = 100		Dollars	1947–49 = 100
Annual Averages 6												
1951	328.2	10.4	37.3	7.8	255.3	31.2	1.9	156.5	111.0	114.8	1.59	120
1952	345.4	3.0	48.8	8.0	271.8	34.8	1.7	162.4	113.5	111.6	1.67	124
1953	363.2	0.3	51.5	7.9	286.0	37.1	1.6	169.1	114.4	110.1	1.77	134
1954	361.2	−1.9	43.1	7.0	287.4	39.6	3.2	169.1	114.8	110.3	1.81	125
1955	391.7	4.2	41.3	5.8	305.9	44.6	2.7	183.9	114.5	110.7	1.88	139
1956	414.7	4.6	42.4	7.0	326.9	46.1	2.6	189.7	116.2	114.3	1.98	143
Monthly												
1956—Mar.					320.3	3.2	2.8	15.6	114.7	112.8	1.95	141
Apr.					323.7	3.6	2.6	15.4	114.9	113.6	1.96	143
May	410.8	4.6	41.6	7.3	325.2	4.0	2.6	15.7	115.4	114.4	1.96	141
June					326.8	4.3	2.9	15.9	116.2	114.2	1.97	141
July					325.6	4.4	2.8	15.9	117.0	114.0	1.96	136
Aug.	416.7	3.3	42.7	7.0	329.3	4.5	2.2	16.1	116.8	114.7	1.98	143
Sept.					331.1	4.4	2.0	15.9	117.1	115.5	2.01	144
Oct.					334.1	4.3	1.9	15.9	117.7	115.6	2.02	146
Nov.	426.0	5.1	44.2	7.4	334.9	4.0	2.5	16.2	117.8	115.9	2.03	146
Dec.					334.8	3.5	2.5	16.2	118.0	116.3	2.05	147
1957—Jan.					335.9	3.2	3.2 7	16.3	118.2	116.9	2.05	146
Feb.	429.1	−0.8	45.5	6.4	337.9	3.0	3.1	16.4	118.7	117.0	2.05	146
Mar.					339.5	3.3	2.9	16.3	118.9	116.9	2.05	145
Apr.					340.6	3.6	2.7	16.4	119.3	117.2	2.05	143
May	434.3	1.7	46.3	6.9	342.9	4.0	2.7	16.6	119.6	117.1	2.06	143
June					344.8†	4.3	3.3	16.8	120.2	117.4	2.07	144
July					346.2†	4.4	3.0	17.0†	120.8	118.2†	2.07†	144
Aug.					347.3	4.6	2.6	17.2	121.0	118.3	2.07	144

1. Includes stockpiling, atomic energy, and Mutual Defence Assistance in addition to strictly military programmes.
2. Seasonally adjusted annual rates.
3. Value of new work put in place.
4. Seasonally adjusted.
5. Production workers.
6. Quarterly averages for first four columns. Calendar year totals in the case of "Construction" and "Retail Sales".
7. New series starting Jan. 1957; not strictly comparable with earlier figures. Includes persons temporarily laid-off who were classed as employed prior to 1957.

† Revised.

CANADIAN BALANCE OF INTERNATIONAL INDEBTEDNESS

Billions of Dollars — *"Canadian Balance of International Payments", Dominion Bureau of Statistics*

	1930	1939	1945	1951	1952	1953	1954	1955	1956*
A. Liabilities (Foreign capital invested in Canada)									
Direct investments [1]	2.4	2.3	2.7	4.5	5.2	6.0	6.8	7.7	8.9
Government and municipal bonds	1.7	1.7	1.7	2.1	2.0	2.1	2.1	1.9	2.1
Other [2] portfolio investments	3.2	2.6	2.4	2.5	2.7	2.9	3.2	3.3	3.7
Miscellaneous long-term investments	0.3	0.3	0.3	0.3	0.4 [3]	0.5	0.6	0.6	0.7
Total — Non-resident long-term investment in Canada	7.6	6.9	7.1	9.5	10.4	11.5	12.6	13.5	15.4
Other investment, mainly short-term [4]	–	0.5	0.5	1.1	1.0	1.2	1.1	1.3	1.3
Gross Liabilities: [5]									
United States	4.9	4.5	5.4	7.9	8.5	9.5	10.3	11.1	12.4
United Kingdom	2.9	2.6	1.8	1.9	2.0	2.2	2.3	2.5	2.9
Other [6] countries, IMF and IBRD	0.2	0.3	0.4	0.8	0.9	1.0	1.0	1.2	1.4
Total	8.0	7.4	7.6	10.6	11.4	12.6	13.7	14.8	16.7
B. Assets (Canadian capital invested abroad)									
Direct investments	0.4	0.7	0.7	1.2	1.3	1.5	1.6	1.8	1.9
Portfolio investments	0.8	0.7	0.6	0.6	0.8 [3]	0.9	0.9	1.0	1.0
Government of Canada loans, advances and subscriptions to IMF and IBRD	–	–	0.7	1.3	2.3	2.2	2.1	2.0	2.0
Total — Canadian long-term investment abroad	1.3	1.4	2.0	4.1	4.4	4.5	4.6	4.8	4.9
Short-term assets abroad including official reserves	**	0.5	1.8	1.9	2.1	2.1	2.3	2.2	2.4
Gross Assets: [5]									
Government of Canada holdings of gold & foreign exchange	–	0.5	1.7	1.8	1.8	1.8	1.9	1.9	1.9
United States [7]	0.9	0.9	0.9	1.4	1.7	2.0	2.1	2.2	2.5
United Kingdom [7]	0.1	0.1	0.7	1.5	1.5	1.5	1.5	1.4	1.4
Other [6] Countries, IMF and IBRD	0.5	0.4	0.5	1.3	1.4	1.4	1.4	1.4	1.4
Total	1.5	1.9	3.8	6.0	6.4	6.6	6.9	7.0	7.2
Canadian Net Liabilities	**6.5**	**5.5**	**3.9**	**4.6**	**5.0**	**6.0**	**6.8**	**7.8**	**9.5**

NOTE: Data represent book values. The balance of indebtedness is affected by a number of factors in addition to the capital movements appearing in the balance of payments, such as retained earnings on international capital and accounting adjustments in the basic data. For details see Dominion Bureau of Statistics, "Canada's International Investment Position, 1926–1954", pp. 62–63. Since the above figures are rounded, totals do not necessarily equal the sum of their component parts.

1. Includes all concerns in Canada which are known to have 50 percent or more of their voting stock held in one country outside Canada and a few instances where it is known that effective control is held by a parent firm with less than 50 percent of the stock.
2. Including income-accumulating investment funds.
3. New series not strictly comparable with earlier years.
4. Includes Canadian short-term assets of International Monetary Fund and International Bank for Reconstruction and Development, Canadian dollar holdings of non-residents and equity of non-residents in Canadian assets abroad.
5. Exclusive of short-term international indebtedness and blocked currencies.
6. Includes Newfoundland prior to 1949.
7. Exclusive of Government of Canada holdings of gold and foreign exchange.

** Not available. Net external assets of the chartered banks of Canada amounted to $180 million in 1930

* Figures for 1956 are subject to revision.

FOREIGN DIRECT INVESTMENT IN CANADA

Millions of Dollars — *"The Canadian Balance of International Payments", Dominion Bureau of Statistics*

Direct Investment in Canada by Type of Business	1930	1939	1945	1951	1952	1953	1954	1955
Manufacturing:								
Vegetable products	165	157	200	291	315	351	373	395
Animal products	42	50	47	66	73	77	84	91
Textiles	33	39	56	86	87	85	92	102
Wood and paper products	378	319	348	564	610	682	763	809
Iron and products	203	193	277	467	548	617	637	803
Non-ferrous metals	116	136	211	375	486	541	570	618
Non-metallic minerals	129	115	137	445	494	557	641	810
Chemicals and allied products	102	111	144	257	295	317	411	435
Miscellaneous manufactures	31	22	33	68	85	91	114	57
Total	1,199	1,142	1,453	2,619	2,993	3,318	3,685	4,120
Mining and smelting	237	228	277	627	850	1,129	1,357	1,722
Utilities	450	415	376	412	404	440	475	463
Merchandising	173	168	208	372	431	471	509	548
Financial institutions	304	284	339	378	417	504	628	698
Other enterprises	64	59	60	112	123	141	143	164
Total direct investment	**2,427**	**2,296**	**2,713**	**4,520**	**5,218**	**6,003**	**6,797**	**7,715**

NOTE: For 1950 data in these two tables see page 92 in the "Financial Supplement 1956".

EXTERNAL TRADE AND TRADE INDEXES

Millions of Dollars — *Compiled from "Trade of Canada", Dominion Bureau of Statistics*

TOTAL EXPORTS (EXCLUDING GOLD) TO [1]

	U.S.A.	U.K.	Other Sterling Area 2	Western Europe & Colonies 3	Central and South America	All Other	Total All Countries	New Gold Production Available for Export ‡	Export Indexes [4] 1948=100: Total Value	Price	Physical Volume
Calendar Yrs.											
1951	2,334	636	267	364	217	145	**3,963**	150	127.3	123.0	103.5
1952	2,349	751	291	468	281	216	**4,356**	150	139.9	121.8	114.9
1953	2,463	669	252	367	207	215	**4,173**	144	133.9	118.3	113.2
1954	2,367	658	208	349	196	169	**3,947**	155	126.2	115.1	109.6
1955	2,612	774	254	379	172	160	**4,351**	155	139.2	117.7	118.3
1956	2,879	818	257	465	188	256	**4,863**	150	155.7	121.3	128.4
12 Mths. ending July 1957	2,914	781	242	518	227	226	**4,909**	**			
Monthly											
1956–Jan.	217.3	72.9	19.9	26.5	14.1	14.7	**365.4**	12.5	140.4	119.3	117.7
Feb.	216.0	58.8	19.5	31.4	12.4	14.8	**352.9**	12.7	135.7	119.9	113.2
Mar.	208.4	49.2	21.0	28.6	12.0	14.0	**333.2**	12.4	127.8	120.8	105.8
Apr.	236.6	65.6	19.9	30.7	15.0	20.4	**388.2**	12.5	149.3	121.4	123.0
May	261.8	59.3	25.4	40.3	16.3	32.2	**435.3**	14.0	167.1	122.0	137.0
June	233.6	65.7	28.5	47.0	17.0	37.3	**429.1**	12.9	165.3	122.1	135.4
July	237.5	75.9	22.1	44.8	16.4	33.6	**430.3**	11.1	165.6	121.7	136.1
Aug.	267.5	69.1	19.2	37.0	13.6	20.8	**427.1**	14.5	164.1	121.9	134.6
Sept.	235.8	75.7	19.9	42.0	15.3	20.6	**409.3**	12.2	157.5	122.0	129.1
Oct.	285.5	67.4	17.9	47.0	21.2	17.1	**456.1**	12.3	175.2	122.4	143.1
Nov.	243.2	83.9	22.7	44.9	16.4	14.6	**425.7**	12.3	163.4	122.5	133.4
Dec.	235.9	75.0	20.8	45.1	18.4	15.4	**410.6**	10.4	157.5	122.2	128.9
1957–Jan.	219.0	63.8	23.1	51.3	22.6	23.6	**403.4**	13.9	154.8	122.5	126.4
Feb.	214.2	52.3	18.5	33.6	14.8	13.5	**346.9**	12.5	132.7	122.0	108.8
Mar.	227.6	45.5	15.2	44.2	21.4	14.3	**368.2**	12.1	140.9	122.8	114.7
Apr.	228.6	54.3	17.9	38.0	18.6	15.2	**372.6**	10.8	142.7	122.7	116.3
May	266.8	68.7	23.9	38.9	23.7	23.4	**445.4**	15.4	170.7	121.9	140.0
June	235.0	56.4	21.1	46.4	17.5	17.7	**394.1**	5.2	151.0	122.5	123.3
July	255.3	69.3	21.3	49.6	23.8	30.0	**449.3**	**	170.9*	121.8*	140.3*
Aug.*	276.4	69.8					**437.4**	**			

TOTAL IMPORTS (EXCLUDING GOLD) FROM

	U.S.A.	U.K.	Other Sterling Area 2	Western Europe & Colonies 3	Central and South America	All Other	Total All Countries	Excess of Merchandise Exports over Merchandise Imports	Import Indexes [4] 1948=100: Total Value	Price	Physical Volume
Calendar Yrs.											
1951	2,813	421	309	181	275	86	**4,085**	−122	154.8	126.2	122.7
1952	2,977	360	186	157	285	65	**4,030**	326	152.3	110.4	138.0
1953	3,221	453	172	179	291	67	**4,383**	−210	165.2	109.4	151.0
1954	2,961	392	183	199	286	72	**4,093**	−146	154.4	109.5	141.0
1955	3,452	401	211	234	320	94	**4,712**	−361	177.1	110.5	160.3
1956	4,162	485	222	328	363	145	**5,705**	−842	214.9	113.1	190.0
12 Mths. ending May 1957	4,223	504	233	342	363	138	**5,801**	−877			
Monthly											
1956–Jan.	294.4	33.1	13.0	18.2	33.2	11.7	**403.7**	−38.3	183.3	113.4	161.6
Feb.	305.3	30.9	13.1	16.5	30.4	8.8	**405.0**	−52.1	183.4	113.8	161.2
Mar.	361.7	33.8	13.2	17.4	27.9	9.5	**463.5**	−130.3	210.0	114.4	183.6
Apr.	400.3	50.0	14.0	27.6	30.8	9.7	**532.4**	−144.2	240.0	113.8	210.9
May	397.7	49.5	26.5	32.9	32.4	11.0	**550.0**	−114.7	248.0	113.1	219.3
June	357.8	41.4	18.4	29.4	28.2	15.4	**490.6**	−61.5	221.6	113.5	195.2
July	341.7	45.9	22.5	28.8	29.8	13.9	**482.6**	−52.3	218.1	112.4	194.0
Aug.	329.7	42.8	21.6	30.9	35.1	13.6	**473.7**	−46.6	212.9	112.4	189.4
Sept.	309.9	35.8	21.2	29.0	28.4	13.4	**437.7**	−28.4	196.2	112.0	175.2
Oct.	394.6	43.7	21.6	38.5	27.9	16.5	**542.8**	−86.7	245.3	112.8	217.5
Nov.	368.7	48.5	26.4	35.8	30.7	11.4	**521.5**	−95.8	236.3	113.0	209.1
Dec.	299.9	29.3	11.2	22.7	28.1	10.7	**401.9**	+8.7	181.0	113.5	159.5
1957–Jan.	346.7	35.7	16.1	20.9	30.5	9.1	**459.0**	−55.6	208.2	115.0	181.0
Feb.	330.0	34.8	10.1	18.4	29.9	8.2	**431.4**	−84.5	195.5	116.1	168.4
Mar.	354.6	43.2	14.5	21.5	27.8	7.3	**468.9**	−100.7	212.7	116.7	182.3
Apr.	393.2	52.3	19.7	32.3	30.6	9.1	**537.2**	−164.6	243.8	117.4	207.7
May	395.1	50.7	29.5	33.4	36.0	9.4	**554.1**	−108.7	251.4*	116.6*	215.6*
June*	320.1	43.4					**454.0**	−59.9			
July*	336.0	45.5					**482.9**	−33.6			
Aug.*	323.7	47.4					**473.3**	−35.9			

1. Includes exports of foreign produce. Excludes defence equipment transferred by Canada to North Atlantic Treaty countries which in 1951, 1952, 1953, 1954, 1955 and 1956 amounted to 109.1, 100.9, 182.0, 202.4, 165.9 and 96.8 respectively.
2. Consists of U.K. Dependencies, Union of South Africa, Ireland, India, Pakistan, Burma, Australia, New Zealand, Iceland, Jordan, Libya, Ceylon and Iraq.
3. Excludes Spain, but includes Greece and Turkey.
4. Excludes exports of foreign produce. Price indexes are based largely on unit values derived from the Customs' entries.

‡ See footnote ‡ to "Canadian Gold Statistics" table on page 223.

** Not available.

* Preliminary.

NOTE: For 1952 data see pages 76–77 in the "Financial Supplement 1955" and for 1953–1956 see pages 102–103 in the "Financial Supplement 1956".

MERCHANDISE EXPORTS : COMMODITY CLASSIFICATION BY VOLUME[1]

Compiled from "Trade of Canada—Exports", Dominion Bureau of Statistics

	Wheat	Wheat Flour 2	Oats, Barley, Rye	Live Cattle	Beef	Bacon and Hams	Cheese	Milk (powdered condensed evaporated)	Fish (fresh and frozen)	Fish (canned and salted etc.)	Planks and Boards	Pulpwood
	mm. bus.	*mm. cwt.*	*mm. bus.*	*Thous.*	*Thous. cwt.*	*mm. lbs.*	*mm. lbs.*	*mm. lbs.*	*mm. lbs.*	*mm. lbs.*	*mm. bd. ft.*	*Thous. cord*
Calendar Yr												
1951	237	24	110	239	934	6	31	41	253	286	3,436	2,676
1952	336	26	193	15	668	4	2	69	279	263	3,329	2,329
1953	290	22	207	70	255	7	16	57	270	252	3,370	1,623
1954	208	20	126	89	186	8	5	33	294	281	4,034	1,645
1955	190	17	86	68	87	10	14	29	258	257	4,603	1,695
1956	302	17	102	57	128	8	12	32	283	226	3,936	1,777
12-mths ending Aug. 1957	235	15	103	88	169	5	10	26	289	219	3,585	1,793
Monthly												
1956–Jan.	16.3	1.2	3.3	3.2	6.8	0.7	1.4	1.2	17.4	19.9	309.4	149.8
Feb.	20.3	1.5	3.3	3.9	7.6	0.8	0.5	2.2	20.8	19.4	302.1	179.8
Mar.	17.6	1.4	1.7	4.3	7.7	0.6	0.4	1.7	21.3	17.8	320.7	122.1
Apr.	26.1	1.4	7.8	4.8	8.8	0.7	0.2	2.1	15.0	15.3	337.9	53.9
May	33.9	1.6	6.3	9.8	10.6	0.8	0.8	2.9	15.6	16.7	299.2	64.0
June	39.2	1.3	11.5	6.3	7.3	0.6	0.8	2.8	19.3	18.2	362.5	89.4
July	34.9	1.6	11.6	5.1	8.8	0.7	0.4	4.0	23.8	18.2	371.5	153.7
Aug.	23.7	1.5	12.6	5.0	10.1	0.7	2.1	3.1	35.3	12.6	367.0	229.9
Sept.	23.7	1.2	6.3	4.4	14.0	0.5	1.0	3.9	30.6	19.5	335.6	224.5
Oct.	24.1	1.5	13.8	4.1	15.7	0.5	0.9	2.7	46.7	24.0	369.2	230.8
Nov.	22.6	1.4	8.6	3.3	18.4	0.7	2.5	2.7	22.4	23.1	316.9	146.7
Dec.	20.0	1.3	15.5	2.2	12.7	0.6	1.3	2.7	14.3	21.2	244.1	132.7
1957–Jan.	19.3	1.5	7.8	2.5	9.1	0.4	0.7	1.4	19.1	15.5	253.9	135.9
Feb.	14.6	1.2	3.8	2.5	7.3	0.3	0.3	0.7	12.0	15.2	238.4	179.7
Mar.	13.1	1.2	5.7	3.5	9.1	0.4	–	1.2	21.3	15.5	268.5	144.5
Apr.	13.7	1.3	5.6	5.3	4.7	0.3	0.3	1.0	15.8	14.4	269.7	63.9
May	18.8	1.0	9.3	7.1	9.9	0.4	0.1	1.6	17.5	14.9	318.4	65.9
June	18.3	0.8	9.4	8.4	9.0	0.3	0.3	2.4	19.6	15.6	327.4	95.8
July	26.2	1.2	9.8	15.8	18.0	0.3	1.2	2.7	33.4	21.8	331.7	130.2
Aug.	20.4	1.1	7.1	28.4	41.3	0.3	0.9	2.9	36.1	17.9	310.7	242.6

	Wood Pulp	News-print	Autos and Trucks	Aluminum (unmanufactured)	Copper (unmanufactured)	Lead (unmanufactured)	Zinc (unmanufactured)	Nickel (unmanufactured)	Silver (unmanufactured)	Asbestos (unmanufactured)	Iron Ore	New Gold Production Available for Export ‡
	Thous. tons	*Thous. tons*	*Thous.*	*Thous. tons*	*Thous. tons*	*Thous. tons*	*Thous. tons*	*Thous. tons*	*Thous. fine oz.*	*Thous. tons*	*Thous. tons*	*Thous. fine oz.*
Calendar Yr												
1951	2,243	5,112	60	375	152	127	305	131	17,795	942	3,226	4,080
1952	1,941	5,327	80	441	168	159	352	142	18,475	902	3,847	4,310
1953	1,950	5,375	45	491	200	165	355	145	20,319	879	4,820	4,167
1954	2,180	5,522	11	500	223	177	391	159	23,139	888	6,127	4,556
1955	2,366	5,763	18	538	230	151	410	174	22,472	1,002	14,569	4,506
1956	2,374	5,967	19	526	240	130	389	177	21,266	964	20,265	4,379
12-mths ending Aug. 1957	2,331	6,015	21	554	275	139	400	176	20,077	993	22,428	*
Monthly												
1956–Jan.	179.8	499.3	0.2	46.0	21.4	7.4	32.8	15.1	1,802.8	65.7	176.0	357.5
Feb.	200.9	441.2	1.3	36.0	15.6	5.8	26.3	13.9	1,534.0	60.8	198.7	364.6
Mar.	180.0	465.8	2.1	22.0	17.9	6.3	21.1	16.2	1,307.9	67.5	61.2	356.3
Apr.	201.3	503.0	1.5	41.7	19.5	10.5	29.7	14.5	1,747.9	73.2	105.4	359.9
May	214.1	545.2	3.9	39.7	18.3	9.8	25.8	14.7	1,442.7	106.2	1,806.7	417.9
June	202.7	456.9	1.5	43.1	15.9	9.5	29.1	16.4	1,562.9	83.4	2,140.2	377.0
July	198.2	524.5	1.4	47.7	21.4	20.4	48.6	11.1	1,675.8	81.3	2,655.6	324.5
Aug.	215.2	546.0	0.9	42.3	19.6	9.3	30.1	18.5	2,525.0	88.6	3,015.6	423.6
Sept.	195.4	443.1	1.1	37.9	22.5	15.8	34.7	13.8	1,719.4	80.6	4,062.4	359.2
Oct.	229.9	542.1	2.8	47.4	19.2	15.7	36.2	12.8	1,999.9	82.7	3,496.7	362.2
Nov.	176.4	521.5	0.9	66.5	24.3	12.1	40.2	14.1	1,684.9	82.0	2,237.1	365.9
Dec.	180.1	478.6	1.3	55.1	24.9	7.3	34.0	15.6	2,263.0	92.0	309.9	310.8
1957–Jan.	203.1	496.9	1.6	45.5	26.0	12.2	34.4	14.3	1,324.2	64.1	155.1	416.1
Feb.	187.2	450.9	2.5	45.6	20.3	8.4	27.7	10.0	1,420.0	59.4	13.4	375.1
Mar.	182.7	475.1	0.8	48.8	20.9	9.3	25.5	15.0	1,714.7	69.0	181.2	361.7
Apr.	185.8	466.5	3.3	32.2	22.2	8.9	30.1	18.7	1,678.7	80.7	179.4	325.9
May	214.3	512.6†	1.9	62.2	23.1	11.1	31.5	18.4	1,777.8	129.2	1,779.3	461.6
June	194.5	541.7	2.0	41.7	18.6	16.0	28.6	14.5	1,441.5	86.0	2,025.9	155.0
July	164.8	503.3	2.4	41.7	24.5	13.3	29.5	14.2	1,420.5	86.1	3,350.5	*
Aug.	216.5	582.5	0.8	29.8	28.4	9.0	47.3	15.0	1,632.5	81.1	4,637.2	*

1. Where quantity is shown in tons, a short ton of 2000 lbs. has been used. 2. Data prior to 1956 has been converted at the rate of 1.96 cwt. per barrel.
‡ See footnote ‡ to "Canadian Gold Statistics" table on page 124. † Revised. * Not available.

MERCHANDISE IMPORTS : COMMODITY CLASSIFICATION BY VOLUME[1]

Compiled from "Trade of Canada—Imports", Dominion Bureau of Statistics

	Bananas	Oranges	Fresh Vegetables	Sugar	Coffee	Tea	Cocoa	Distilled Beverages	Cotton (raw and unmanufactured)	Cotton (thread, yarns and fabrics)	Wool (raw and unmanufactured)	Wool (yarns, fabrics and worsteds)
	Thous. cwt.	*Thous. cu. ft.*	*mm. lbs.*	*Thous. cwt.*	*mm. lbs.*	*mm. lbs.*	*mm. lbs.*	*Thous. gals.*	*mm. lbs.*	*mm. lbs.*	*mm. lbs.*	*mm. lbs.*
Calendar Yr												
1951	2,666	9,902	517	10,926	88	42	28	3,099	215	50	45	12
1952	2,819	11,024	777	11,864	98	46	34	3,995	181	51	32	12
1953	3,001	12,146	714	11,389	107	46	39	3,868	175	57	40	16
1954	2,954	11,598	858	13,095	95	45	36	3,369	167	48	26	12
1955	2,953	11,453	952	13,516	104	43	33	3,585	197	55	34	13
1956	3,074	11,201	959	14,319	110	46	34	3,630	215	63	37	17
12-mths ending May 1957	3,191	10,953	1,043	13,760	106	48	42	3,631	206	65	34	19
Monthly												
1955–Nov.	210.0	733.7	48.5	1,735.9	10.9	4.7	2.6	356.3	17.5	5.2	2.5	1.2
Dec.	182.6	1,651.4	68.6	357.2	8.6	2.8	2.2	270.7	17.8	4.8	1.7	1.1
1956–Jan.	180.8	911.4	71.1	573.3	9.5	3.9	1.4	255.9	24.8	6.5	2.6	1.2
Feb.	213.6	920.5	77.3	596.3	9.5	2.2	2.7	190.1	17.4	6.1	4.9	1.2
Mar.	234.1	1,059.2	86.2	507.1	10.5	3.2	1.9	310.4	21.0	5.7	3.5	1.1
Apr.	266.7	956.4	110.0	834.7	8.9	5.7	2.1	264.8	21.8	6.0	3.6	1.7
May	299.2	1,087.7	123.2	1,768.5	11.3	5.4	4.0	342.5	16.9	5.5	4.7	1.6
June	346.5	1,023.1	136.3	1,269.4	8.2	3.2	5.3	300.3	8.8	4.3	3.6	1.7
July	331.0	790.6	94.8	1,554.9	8.8	3.6	2.7	241.6	8.5	4.5	3.0	1.9
Aug.	330.3	718.9	22.4	1,330.5	8.5	3.2	7.1	265.1	19.2	4.2	2.7	1.6
Sept.	240.9	634.9	41.3	1,640.3	7.5	3.0	1.4	231.1	12.6	3.8	2.0	1.1
Oct.	248.1	672.1	73.9	1,830.9	9.5	5.1	2.4	490.3	19.1	5.4	2.2	1.4
Nov.	190.5	769.7	57.0	2,136.7	9.6	6.0	2.2	349.2	26.9	6.0	2.6	1.6
Dec.	192.0	1,655.9	65.7	276.7	7.9	1.7	0.8	388.6	18.1	5.1	1.8	1.1
1957–Jan.	224.4	796.3	88.9	762.5	11.0	4.7	3.0	344.5	19.4	7.5	2.0	1.4
Feb.	198.4	939.7	86.8	278.9	6.6	2.1	1.9	142.1	16.7	6.0	3.6	1.6
Mar.	266.7	919.4	103.6	417.6	9.2	5.7	2.1	175.2	19.5	6.4	2.8	1.4
Apr.	291.9	1,030.8	127.4	582.6	10.5	5.9	2.5	372.1	17.4	5.6	5.0	1.9
May	329.9	1,006.9	145.2	1,679.3	8.4	3.9	10.2	330.5	19.4	6.4	3.1	1.9

	Crude Rubber	Iron Ore	Pigs, Ingots, Blooms & Billets	Bars, Rods and Rails	Sheets and Plates	Structural Iron	Autos and Trucks	Bauxite Ore	Tin	Coal	Crude Petroleum	Gasoline, Kerosene and Fuel Oils
	mm. lbs.	*Thous. tons*	*Thous. tons*	*Thous. tons*	*Thous. tons*	*Thous. tons*	*Thous.*	*Thous. tons*	*Thous. cwt.*	*mm. tons*	*mm. gals.*	*mm. gals.*
Calendar Yr												
1951	108	3,831	148	197	757	382	48	2,402	137	27	2,949	911
1952	81	4,268	156	179	673	339	39	2,455	88	25	2,897	1,043
1953	93	4,168	57	117	585	310	58	2,689	83	23	2,857	1,059
1954	96	3,035	37	80	369	345	43	2,962	86	19	2,761	1,066
1955	111	4,539	29	108	500	360	58	3,092	97	20	3,038	1,119
1956	103	5,069	38	202	811	660	89	2,590	85	23	3,733	1,100
12-mths ending May 1957	102	4,904	49	180	816	711	71	2,857	90	22	3,981	1,005
Monthly												
1955–Nov.	9.9	460.9	1.9	14.7	63.3	47.6	4.4	386.1	15.9	1.9	279.7	147.9
Dec.	9.3	47.8	4.1	11.4	55.9	42.7	5.3	235.7	4.8	1.5	213.2	92.7
1956–Jan.	11.5	38.8	2.9	13.1	61.2	38.9	6.5	11.8	3.6	1.3	311.1	85.7
Feb.	7.2	1.7	1.7	11.5	57.1	38.6	8.7	41.7	3.4	1.4	245.9	57.3
Mar.	7.7	2.9	2.2	12.9	58.5	43.2	18.3	26.0	7.3	1.2	223.2	52.3
Apr.	6.6	55.5	2.3	24.8	89.1	59.5	14.9	60.7	6.7	1.8	242.1	74.7
May	9.1	665.1	3.5	18.7	95.4	77.9	8.7	186.5	12.2	2.1	294.2	103.3
June	5.7	674.3	5.3	19.4	73.1	71.9	5.8	298.1	5.6	2.3	304.1	84.3
July	7.7	635.8	1.9	17.2	50.0	56.3	4.7	562.3	9.3	2.2	332.1	92.9
Aug.	8.3	415.4	2.6	19.1	42.9	40.7	2.9	346.3	7.2	2.3	407.6	131.0
Sept.	9.9	910.3	3.3	14.8	67.2	54.1	3.9	470.9	6.6	2.0	349.9	93.6
Oct.	8.6	898.6	4.6	21.2	77.2	67.0	4.4	428.6	9.2	2.4	377.4	109.1
Nov.	10.9	529.8	4.3	15.6	84.2	72.0	5.7	68.3	9.7	2.2	343.3	118.2
Dec.	9.8	240.7	3.6	13.3	55.5	40.0	4.7	88.4	4.0	1.5	301.9	97.3
1957–Jan.	11.5	2.8	3.6	12.6	85.9	53.1	6.0	66.0	3.7	1.4	323.3	76.6
Feb.	5.3	35.5	4.1	10.2	61.2	48.7	4.5	24.3	4.8	1.1	284.2	52.2
Mar.	5.8	3.4	4.7	13.0	68.9	49.5	8.6	74.0	8.3	1.2	281.5	46.2†
Apr.	10.2	17.3	6.0	12.1	75.6	79.7	9.7	92.7	8.8	1.8	277.6	47.8
May	8.7	540.1	4.6	11.4	73.9	78.1	9.6	337.0	13.0	1.9	397.8	55.9

1. Includes imports from Newfoundland until March 31, 1949 and imports into Newfoundland from other countries thereafter. Where quantity is shown in tons, a short ton of 2000 lbs. has been used. † Revised.

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Millions of Dollars

	ASSETS													LIABILITIES									
	Government of Canada Direct and Guaranteed Securities								Provincial Govt. Securities	Advances to		Foreign Currency Assets	Investment in IDB	All Other Accounts	Total Assets or Liabilities	Notes in Circulation			Canadian Dollar Deposits			Foreign Currency Liabilities	All Other Accounts	
	Treasury Bills	Other Maturities [1]					Total	*Of which held under Purchase and Resale Agreements*		Govt. of Canada	Chartered & Savings Banks					Held by		Total						
	1	2 yrs. and under	Over 2 yrs. to 5 yrs.	Over 5 yrs. to 10 yrs.	Over 10 yrs.		1					2	3	4		Chartered Banks	Others		Govt. of Canada	Chartered Banks	Other		5	
As at Dec. 31																								**As at Dec. 31**
1951	186.4	955.3	1,049.3			2,004.7	**2,191.1**	–	–	–	–	204.2	27.8	21.0	**2,444.1**	273.1	1,191.1	**1,464.2**	94.9	619.0	66.1	155.6	44.4	1951
1952	282.9	1,176.9	767.2			1,944.1	**2,227.0**	–	–	–	–	84.5	30.8	39.2	**2,381.4**	272.5	1,288.7	**1,561.2**	16.2	626.6	44.5	82.9	50.0	1952
1953	374.5	1,002.1	893.7			1,895.7	**2,270.2**	*19.0*	–	–	–	67.2	36.3	63.5	**2,437.2**	263.8	1,335.3	**1,599.1**	51.5	623.9	29.5	63.8	69.3	1953
1954	168.5	1,193.0	410.8	297.3	152.5	2,053.6	**2,222.0**	–	–	–	–	66.4	35.6	76.9	**2,400.8**	261.6	1,361.9	**1,623.5**	56.3	529.6	30.5	63.1	97.9	1954
1955	262.6	1,021.2	354.5	516.6	212.5	2,104.9	**2,367.5**	–	–	–	2.0	114.7	35.1	100.9	**2,620.2**	289.4	1,449.0	**1,738.5**	89.2	551.0	34.0	98.0	109.5	1955
1956	505.2	519.7 [1]	629.7 [1]	507.2 [1]	232.0 [1]	1,888.7 [1]	**2,393.9** [1]	–	–	–	–	77.7	48.0	28.1	**2,547.7**	370.9	1,497.8	**1,868.7**	38.8	511.5	31.2	62.2	35.4	1956
End of																								**End of**
1956—Oct.	557.5	473.8	669.7	451.5	221.4	1,816.4	**2,374.0**	–	–	–	–	68.5	42.8	85.9	**2,571.1**	309.1	1,471.8	**1,780.9**	55.0	575.3	30.7	56.4	72.9	Oct.—1956
Nov.	553.5	467.7	672.7	466.4	222.5	1,829.2	**2,382.8**	–	–	–	–	77.9	43.7	116.9	**2,621.3**	250.5	1,542.9	**1,793.5**	7.4	624.9	31.7	68.2	95.7	Nov.
Dec.	505.2	519.7 [1]	629.7 [1]	507.2 [1]	232.0 [1]	1,888.7 [1]	**2,393.9** [1]	–	–	–	–	77.7	48.0	28.1	**2,547.7**	370.9	1,497.8	**1,868.7**	38.8	511.5	31.2	62.2	35.4	Dec.
1957—Jan.	413.5	678.2	438.8	510.3	229.2	1,856.5	**2,270.0**	*2.1*	–	–	–	75.1	48.9	66.9	**2,460.9**	294.1	1,444.8	**1,738.9**	57.8	524.0	34.3	65.4	40.5	Jan.—1957
Feb.	436.6	616.1	620.4	318.9	224.9	1,780.4	**2,217.0**	*1.2*	–	–	–	84.8	50.1	69.6	**2,421.5**	260.6	1,457.3	**1,717.9**	52.7	497.5	27.2	75.0	51.4	Feb.
Mar.	477.2	627.9	612.4	314.4	223.5	1,778.4	**2,255.6**	*0.7*	–	–	–	75.2	50.9	167.0	**2,548.7**	224.5	1,500.0	**1,724.6**	78.3	519.5	25.1	65.4	135.8	Mar.
Apr.	498.1	659.9	617.2	321.0	224.8	1,822.8	**2,320.9**	–	–	–	0.3	71.9	52.2	72.3	**2,517.7**	299.4	1,456.8	**1,756.3**	62.9	546.9	22.5	62.2	67.0	Apr.
May	473.7	692.2	605.3	321.1	228.5	1 847.1	**2,320.9**	–	–	–	0.1	76.3	55.1	139.7	**2,592.0**	229.0	1,522.5	**1,751.5**	43.9	526.3	32.0	66.8	171.4	May
June	519.0	694.3	607.5	324.9	229.9	1,856 6	**2,375.5**	–	–	–	3.0	81.1	57.0	158.4	**2,675.2**	225.0	1,559.3	**1,784.3**	44.4	545.5	28.9	72.7	199.3	June
July	503.2	694.6	607.7	328.4	232.8	1,863.4	**2,366.6**	–	–	–	–	86.9	58.4	51.9	**2,563.8**	304.8	1,513.0	**1,817.7**	54.2	490.5	26.9	77.2	97.3	July
Aug.	537.6	714.2	609.5	329.7	234.6	1,888.1	**2,425.6**	–	–	–	–	83.8	59.6	157.5	**2,726.5**	244.5	1,571.0	**1,815.5**	64.0	542.8	33.3	74.0	196.9	Aug.
Sept.	427.6	780.8	615.3	323.2	231.1	1,950.4	**2,378.0**	–	–	–	–	67.5	59.6	73.7	**2,578.8**	289.9	1,529.2	**1,819.1**	66.9	480.8	28.7	57.7	125.6	Sept.
Oct.	515.6	781.9	612.4	318.1	226.6	1,939.0	**2,454.6**	–	–	–	–	69.7	60.0	125.4	**2,709.6**	*	*	**1,824.0**	40.1	623.7	25.8	59.9	136.1	Oct.
Average of Wednesdays																								**Average of Wednesdays**
1956—Oct.	526.3	500.7	1,342.1			1,842.8	**2,369.1**	*1.4*	–	–	6.4	70.5	42.2	55.0	**2,543.2**	335.0	1,447.5	**1,782.5**	59.3	538.3	31.4	60.4	71.3	Oct.—1956
Nov.	536.9	455.7	1,352.3			1,808.0	**2,344.9**	*3.8*	–	–	21.3	77.0	42.8	63.6	**2,549.5**	349.9	1,444.1	**1,794.1**	45.0	531.4	30.2	67.3	81.6	Nov.
Dec.	525.9	493.4	1,369.4			1,862.8	**2,388.7**	*0.4*	–	–	13.6	75.9	43.7	49.3	**2,571.3**	356.7	1,481.5	**1,838.2**	32.6	548.5	30.7	61.6	59.7	Dec.
1957—Jan.	466.4 [1]	687.6 [1]	1,178.3 [1]			1,866.0 [1]	**2,332.4** [1]	*1.2*	–	–	6.0	72.6	48.1	55.3	**2,514.3**	380.2	1,421.9	**1,802.2**	57.5	524.5	27.9	63.0	39.3	Jan.—1957
Feb.	402.6	646.2	1,174.1			1,820.3	**2,222.9**	*7.0*	–	–	–	73.8	49.0	60.6	**2,406.3**	326.7	1,399.4	**1,726.0**	64.3	478.3	28.0	64.1	45.5	Feb.
Mar.	484.3	610.9	1,149.4			1,760.3	**2,244.5**	*0.1*	–	–	5.4	75.4	50.1	54.0	**2,429.4**	318.0	1,406.6	**1,724.7**	51.0	513.8	28.6	65.3	45.9	Mar.
Apr.	479.7	650.8	1,154.5			1,805.3	**2,285.0**	*7.9*	–	–	12.8	75.2	51.1	68.1	**2,492.1**	315.2	1,431.7	**1,746.9**	47.5	550.6	25.1	65.5	56.6	Apr.
May	495.8	666.9	1,166.7			1,833.6	**2,329.4**	*1.2*	–	–	5.1	79.2	52.7	53.0	**2,519.4**	324.6	1,431.1	**1,755.7**	45.3	554.4	25.5	69.5	69.1	May
June	502.8	707.5	1,158.4			1,866.0	**2,368.8**	–	–	–	6.0	83.6	55.4	65.8	**2,579.5**	329.4	1,440.2	**1,769.6**	46.8	559.7	25.9	74.0	103.4	June
July	532.9	701.4	1,166.2			1,867.7	**2,400.6**	*6.6*	–	–	2.4	82.6	57.3	61.2	**2,604.1**	328.8	1,484.1	**1,812.9**	51.8	525.6	27.6	73.1	113.1	July
Aug.	548.1	709.4	1,171.8			1,881.2	**2,429.3**	*11.5*	–	–	2.8	80.6	58.5	58.2	**2,629.3**	339.3†	1,481.7†	**1,821.0**	53.5	551.0	30.4	71.0	102.5	Aug.
Sept.	510.6	754.4	1,172.2			1,926.6	**2,437.2**	–	–	–	–	72.8	59.6	62.4	**2,632.0**	341.5	1,486.4	**1,827.9**	47.3	547.7	28.6	62.9	117.6	Sept.
Oct.	488.4	781.4	1,169.2			1,950.6	**2,439.0**	*15.9*	–	–	–	71.3	59.6	75.0	**2,644.9**	329.5	1,500.2	**1,829.7**	48.6	532.2	26.8	61.5	146.0	Oct.
As at																								**As at**
1957—May 8	501.5	663.5	1,166.7			1,830.2	**2,331.6**	*6.2*	–	–	0.1	86.0	52.2	89.3	**2,559.3**	331.7	1,423.4	**1,755.2**	62.9	560.8	25.4	76.3	78.7	8 May—1957
15	513.7	665.5	1,167.4			1,832.9	**2,346.7**	–	–	–	–	81.5	52.2	46.3	**2,526.6**	316.1	1,440.2	**1,756.3**	42.5	564.3	27.2	71.8	64.5	15
22	494.0	665.9	1,170.0			1,835.8	**2,329.8**	–	–	–	–	80.8	52.9	35.3	**2,498.9**	338.9	1,418.6	**1,757.5**	35.7	548.1	26.0	71.1	60.5	22
29	471.8	681.8	1,165.8			1,847.6	**2,319.5**	–	–	–	25.1	78.5	54.0	50.4	**2,527.3**	339.1	1,414.8	**1,753.8**	47.8	550.1	26.0	68.8	80.8	29
June 5	492.0	715.7	1,154.6			1,870.3	**2,362.3**	*31.7*	–	–	–	84.3	55.1	75.1	**2,576.7**	307.4	1,455.4	**1,762.8**	45.8	526.9	27.3	74.7	139.3	5 June
12	502.4	708.4	1,157.6			1,866.0	**2,368.4**	–	–	–	–	82.4	55.4	66.7	**2,572.9**	337.6	1,433.3	**1,770.9**	52.3	566.6	26.1	72.7	84.3	12
19	503.4	711.3	1,160.4			1,871.6	**2,375.0**	*6.0*	–	–	–	84.2	55.5	67.0	**2,581.6**	332.9	1,437.3	**1,770.1**	43.7	571.6	24.9	74.4	96.9	19
26	513.4	694.7	1,161.3			1,856.0	**2,369.4**	–	–	–	24.0	83.5	55.5	54.6	**2,586.9**	339.9	1,434.9	**1,774.8**	45.5	573.6	25.4	74.4	93.2	26
July 3	523.1	699.4	1,163.3			1,862.7	**2,385.8**	*7.8*	–	–	12.0	74.6	57.1	107.5	**2,636.9**	300.4	1,501.5	**1,802.0**	49.3	530.2	30.3	66.5	158.7	3 July
10	546.4	714.0	1,164.5			1,878.5	**2,424.9**	*25.3*	–	–	–	77.9	57.1	48.1	**2,607.9**	351.6	1,464.9	**1,816.5**	39.0	534.8	26.4	68.0	123.3	10
17	558.3	702.6	1,165.8			1,868.5	**2,426.7**	–	–	–	–	90.2	57.1	54.5	**2,628.5**	334.5	1,482.8	**1,817.2**	60.0	539.7	28.1	80.0	103.4	17
24	533.5	696.6	1,168.7			1,865.3	**2,398.8**	–	–	–	–	83.7	57.1	43.7	**2,583.3**	352.8	1,458.1	**1,810.9**	56.6	532.7	26.1	74.0	83.0	24
31	503.2	694.6	1,168.9			1,863.4	**2,366.6**	–	–	–	–	86.9	58.4	51.9	**2,563.8**	304.8	1,513.0	**1,817.7**	54.2	490.5	26.9	77.2	97.3	31
Aug. 7	527.4	706.5	1,170.0			1,876.5	**2,403.9**	*42.3*	–	–	11.0	80.4	58.5	47.7	**2,601.5**	327.8†	1,498.3†	**1,826.1**	45.7	531.5	28.2	70.9	99.2	7 Aug.
14	554.1	701.9	1,170.9			1,872.8	**2,426.8**	*3.7*	–	–	–	80.8	58.5	56.8	**2,622.9**	340.6†	1,485.6†	**1,826.3**	49.4	547.9	28.8	70.9	99.5	14
21	564.7	714.3	1,172.3			1,886.6	**2,451.3**	–	–	–	–	90.4	58.5	58.7	**2,658.8**	343.5†	1,474.1†	**1,817.6**	51.9	560.8	32.2	80.7	115.6	21
28	546.1	715.0	1,174.0			1,889.0	**2,435.0**	–	–	–	–	71.1	58.5	69.5	**2,634.1**	345.2	1,468.9	**1,814.1**	67.0	563.7	32.4	61.4	95.5	28
Sept. 4	537.0	717.5	1,168.5			1,886.0	**2,423.0**	–	–	–	–	80.0	59.6	93.1	**2,655.7**	314.9	1,513.0	**1,827.9**	50.3	532.8	27.9	70.3	146.5	4 Sept.
11	534.9	744.6	1,168.2			1,912.7	**2,447.6**	–	–	–	–	67.9	59.6	52.0	**2,627.1**	350.2	1,484.6	**1,834.8**	38.5	559.5	27.9	57.9	108.4	11
18	511.9	774.8	1,181.6			1,956.4	**2,468.3**	–	–	–	–	73.4	59.6	54.8	**2,656.1**	346.9	1,481.7	**1,828.6**	49.9	565.0	30.8	63.7	118.1	18
25	458.7	780.9	1,170.5			1,951.4	**2,410.1**	–	–	–	–	69.6	59.6	49.7	**2,589.0**	354.2	1,466.0	**1,820.2**	50.4	533.7	27.6	59.9	97.3	25
Oct. 2	419.4	759.8	1,173.2			1,933.0	**2,352.5**	*0.8*	–	–	–	61.9	59.6	134.4	**2,608.4**	304.6	1,517.2	**1,821.9**	45.8	463.5	26.6	52.1	198.6	2 Oct.
9	468.0	782.9	1,175.1			1,958.0	**2,426.0**	*15.8*	–	–	–	68.9	59.6	53.8	**2,608.3**	336.8	1,494.3	**1,831.0**	49.2	522.8	26.7	59.0	119.5	9
10	503.4	778.8	1,172.9			1,951.7	**2,455.1**	*9.0*	–	–	–	71.9	59.6	66.7	**2,653.4**	322.0	1,517.5	**1,839.6**	49.2	537.2	29.0	62.1	136.2	16
23	515.5	776.7	1,165.7			1,942.4	**2,457.9**	–	–	–	–	70.2	59.6	56.0	**2,643.7**	353.6	1,477.8	**1,831.4**	48.2	561.7	27.0	60.4	114.9	23
30	535.6	808.7	1,159.4			1,968.1	**2,503.7**	*53.7*	–	–	–	83.6	59.6	63.9	**2,710.8**	330.6	1,494.3	**1,824.8**	50.5	575.9	24.7	74.0	160.9	30

1. On Dec. 31, 1956, the basis for the valuation of securities held by the Bank of Canada was changed from "not exceeding market values" to amortized values, and for this reason figures for Dec. 31 and later dates are not comparable with those for earlier dates. 2. Foreign exchange and foreign securities. 3. Industrial Development Bank capital stock, bonds and debentures. 4. Bank premises and all other assets. 5. Capital, rest fund and all other liabilities.

* Not available. † Revised.

NOTE: For 1935–1944 year-end and 1946–1952 month-end data for the majority of these series see pages 4–13 in the "Financial Supplement 1954". For 1945–1956 year-end and all month-end and weekly data back to 1953 see pages 4–15 in the "Financial Supplement 1956".

CHARTERED BANKS

MONTHLY SERIES

Bank of Canada

Millions of Dollars

I. CANADIAN CASH RESERVES★

	Cash Reserves: Bank of Canada Deposits	Cash Reserves: Bank of Canada Notes	Cash Reserves: Total	Canadian Dollar Deposit Liabilities	Average Cash Reserve Ratio 1
Averages					
1951	567	225	792	7,759	10.2
1952	606	239	844	8,110	10.4
1953	627	256	883	8,624	10.2
1954 1st Half	634	260	894	8,820	10.1
1954 2nd Half★	525	286	811	9,097	8.9
1955	541	293	834	9,915	8.4
1956	548	325	873	10,527	8.3
1956–July	544	332	876	10,608	8.3
Aug.	563	338	900	10,649	8.5
Sept.	549	328	877	10,563	8.3
Oct.	544	340	885	10,607	8.3
Nov.	539	341	881	10,591	8.3
Dec.	553	338	890	10,704	8.3
1957–Jan.	523	355	878	10,660	8.2
Feb.	475	390	865	10,525	8.2
Mar.	514	335	848	10,371	8.2
Apr.	542	314	856	10,489	8.2
May	553	310	863	10,528	8.2
June	556	321	877	10,694	8.2
July	535	329	864	10,647	8.1
Aug.	546	335	880	10,668	8.3
Sept.	544	330	875	10,543	8.3
Oct.*	537	339	877	10,588	8.3

II. LIABILITIES

	Advances from Bank of Canada	Govt. of Canada	Provincial Governments	Canadian Dollar Deposits: Personal Savings	Other Notice	Other Banks 2	Public Demand	Total	Foreign Currency Deposits	Acceptances, Guarantees, & Letters of Credit	All Other Liabilities	Shareholders Equity 3	Total Liabilities
As at Dec. 31													
1951	–	88	185	4,296	316	95	2,993	**7,973**	878	225	7	375	**9,458**
1952	–	49	214	4,600	325	75	3,373	**8,636**	905	199	7	381	**10,128**
1953	–	473	166	4,756	278	69	3,368	**9,111**	963	155	8	419	**10,656**
1954	–	176	190	5,218	397	104	3,597	**9,683**	1,030	155	43	521	**11,433**
1955	2	517	181	5,633	464	139	3,915	**10,848**	1,056	203	26	567	**12,702**
1956	–	246	169	6,007	444	116	4,180	**11,162**	1,369	210	34	653	**13,428**
End of													
1956—July	–	279	143	5,923	472	115	3,773	**10,706**	1,315	210	27	619	**12,878**
Aug.	–	275	123	5,941	477	110	3,731	**10,658**	1,354	226	24	628	**12,889**
Sept.	–	281	117	6,020	476	110	3,812	**10,816**	1,315	223	23	631	**13,008**
Oct.	–	153	154	6,098	453	155	3,846	**10,859**	1,334	216	48	647	**13,104**
Nov.	–	417	103	5,974	439	123	3,821	**10,877**	1,376	221	38	652	**13,164**
Dec.	–	246	169	6,007	444	116	4,180	**11,162**	1,369	210	34	653	**13,428**
1957—Jan.	–	254	138	6,039	438	110	3,499	**10,479**	1,409	209	41	653	**12,791**
Feb.	–	391	142	6,090	454	103	3,445	**10,625**	1,506	236	36	656	**13,058**
Mar.	–	377	191	6,153	444	105	3,496	**10,765**	1,450	232	36	667	**13,150**
Apr.	–	309	217	6,211	442	109	3,716	**11,004**	1,546	235	38	672	**13,494**
May	–	284	173	6,161	450	106	3,564	**10,738**	1,667	235	35	677	**13,351**
June	3	186	179	6,196	434	102	3,782	**10,879**	1,650	243	36	684	**13,495**
July	–	148	154	6,242	424	96	3,581	**10,645**	1,644	256	39	700	**13,284**
Aug.	–	122	140	6,273	420	106	3,582	**10,642**	1,752	256	38	703	**13,391**
Sept.	–	131	145	6,352 [4]	413 [4]	102	3,880	**11,025**	1,740	256	42	703	**13,765**

III. ASSETS

	Bank of Canada Deposits and Notes	Cdn. Day-to-Day Loans	Treasury Bills 5	Government of Canada Direct and Guaranteed Bonds 5, 6: 2 yrs. and under	Over 2 years	Total	Other Canadian Securities 6: Prov-incial 7, 8	Mun-icipal 8	Corp-orate	Total	Ins. Res. Mtges.	Loans 10: Call and Short 10: To Stock-Brokers 9	To Others	Prov-incial 8	Mun-icipal 8
As at Dec. 31															
1951	892	–	236	499	2,019	2,518	321	167	393	881	–	78	30	68	94
1952	899	–	138	869	1,777	2,647	304	159	370	834	–	73	82	79	97
1953	888	–	244	482	2,034	2,516	280	152	341	773	–	61	92	65	96
1954	791	68	360	636	2,318	2,953	264	177	353	794	74	68	75	61	103
1955	840	81	427	475	2,157	2,632	322	218	482	1,022	294	112	67	83	124
1956	882	74	740	406	1,269	1,675	269	185	510	964	493	90	60†[15]	95	177
End of															
1956–July	805	109	742	511	1,383	1,893	292	202	511	1,005	412	127	58	36	150
Aug.	830	68	814	522	1,325	1,847	291	200	520	1,010	432	123	37	57	145
Sept.	820	114	786	526	1,322	1,848	286	197	519	1,003	448	110	38	81	167
Sept. (Rev.) [15]													36†[15]		
Oct.	884	85	791	464	1,320	1,784	295	197	516	1,008	471	104	37†	83	168
Nov.	875	64	743	485	1,280	1,765	265	192	518	975	489	89	33†	124	152
Dec.	882	74	740	406	1,269	1,675	269	185	510	964	493	90	60†	95	177
1957–Jan. [16]	818	86	800	503[5]	1,232 [5]	1,735 [5]	284 [5]	178	501[16]	963 [5]	500	86	38†	60	201
Feb.	758	101	809	545	1,223	1,768	288	178	499	964	507	90	62†	74	218
Mar.	744	162	805	538	1,227	1,764	260	178	501	940	508	85	63†	40	250
Apr.	846	105	758	520	1,227	1,747	268	175	502	945	509	104	90†	23	270
May	755	125	812	489	1,248	1,736	266	172	505	943	512	99	59†	20	263
June	770	95	784	493	1,251	1,743	258	170	512	940	503	105	58†	25	236
July	795	·81	794	452	1,252	1,705	275	167	510	952	509	109	54†	23	190
Aug.	787	110	820	455	1,239	1,694	273	165	506	945	519	84	36†	23	187
Sept.	771	125	915	479	1,241	1,719	272	166	509	946	532	73	41†	33	205

	In Canadian Currency: Grain Dealers 9, 11	C.S.B. 9, 12	Sub-Total 9	General Loans 9	Total Loans	Total of Foregoing Assets	Canadian Dollar Items in Transit (Net)	Foreign Cash Items Securities & Loans: Cash Items 13	Foreign Sec.	Loans in Foreign Currencies	Customers' Liability Under Acceptances, Guarantees, & Letters of Credit	All Other Assets 14	Total Assets
As at Dec. 31													
1951	177	137	583	2,588	3,172	**7,699**	512	254	206	409	225	153	**9,458**
1952	257	146	734	2,787	3,520	**8,038**	752	283	262	435	199	159	**10,128**
1953	391	165	871	3,236	4,106	**8,527**	751	280	244	540	155	159	**10,656**
1954	404	147	859	3,237	4,096	**9,137**	827	332	322	488	155	172	**11,433**
1955	361	163	910	3,981	3,891	**10,187**	1,002	327	282	518	203	183	**12,702**
1956	372†[15]	169	963†[15]	4,399†[15]	5,363†[15]	**10,191†[15]**	1,330	356	375	755†[15]	210	211	**13,428**
End of													
1956–July	350	45	765	4,543	5,308	**10,274**	836	314	380	657	210	205	**12,878**
Aug.	358	34	753	4,570	5,323	**10,325**	697	334	355	750	226	203	**12,889**
Sept.	341	22	759	4,523	5,281	**10,300**	859	313	396	711	223	206	**13,008**
Sept. (Rev.) [15]			756†[15]	4,485†[15]	5,241†[15]	**10,259†[15]**				751†[15]			
Oct.	358†[15]	4	753†	4,574†	5,327†	**10,351†**	843	381	371	740†	216	202	**13,104**
Nov.	361	193	953†	4,545†	5,498†	**10,409†**	878	314	395	746†	221	201	**13,164**
Dec.	372†	169	963†	4,399†	5,363†	**10,191†**	1,330	356	375	755†	210	211	**13,428**
1957–Jan. [16]	363 [16]	148	897†[16]	4,376†[16]	5,273†[16]	**10,176†[16]**	715	311	370	795†[16]	209	215	**12,791**
Feb.	360	132	935†	4,392†	5,327†	**10,234†**	814	352	395	812†	236	215	**13,058**
Mar.	390†	115	944†	4,409†	5,353†	**10,276†**	907	330	357	832†	232	217	**13,150**
Apr.	377†	95	960†	4,468†	5,428†	**10,339†**	1,078	347	385	898†	235	213	**13,494**
May	373	79	893†	4,505†	5,397†	**10,281†**	911	341	387	981†	235	216	**13,351**
June	413	63	901†	4,567†	5,467†	**10,303†**	1,049	308	411	964†	243	217	**13,495**
July	423†	47†	846†	4,581†	5,427†	**10,263†**	829	335	402	974†	256	225	**13,284**
Aug.	426	35	791†	4,628†	5,418†	**10,294†**	847	365	424	982†	256	224	**13,391**
Sept.	418	22	791†	4,589†	5,380†	**10,388†**	1,064	338	463	1,033†	256	223	**13,765**

★ For periods prior to July 1954 all figures in this section are daily averages. From July 1954, in accordance with section 71 of the Bank Act of 1954, Bank of Canada deposits are averages of the juridical days in the month shown while Bank of Canada notes and Canadian dollar deposit liabilities are averages of the 4 consecutive Wednesdays ending with the second last Wednesday in the previous month.

1. Prior to July 1st, 1954, the statutory minimum requirement was 5 per cent for each day; since that date it has been a monthly average of 8 per cent, calculated as described in footnote ★.
2. Mainly deposits of foreign banks.
3. Capital, rest fund, and undivided profits as at the latest fiscal year-end.
4. In order to facilitate comparison with statistics for earlier dates, the September 30, 1957 figures for "personal savings deposits" include, and the figures for "other notice deposits" exclude, the amount of $140 million being the deposit balances of religious, educational and welfare institutions and personal accounts used mainly for business purposes, which were reclassified as at September 30, 1957 in the returns of the banks to the Department of Finance.
5. Beginning January 31, 1957, month-end figures for chartered bank holdings of Government of Canada and provincial government securities are based on "amortized value" and are therefore not directly comparable with figures for preceding month-ends, which are based on "not exceeding market value".
6. Including issues payable in foreign currency.
7. Includes securities guaranteed by provincial governments.
8. Securities purchased direct from issuer with a term of less than one year at time of issue are classified as loans.
9. "Call & Short loans to Stockbrokers", "Grain Dealers", "Canada Savings Bonds" and "General Loans" are Research Department estimates.
10. Excluding Canadian day-to-day loans.
11. Loans to grain dealers and exporters.
12. Loans to finance the purchase of Canada Savings Bonds at time of issue.
13. Includes deposits with other banks in foreign currencies, foreign bank notes, gold and coin outside Canada and foreign currency items in transit (net).
14. Includes bank premises, shares of and loans to controlled corporations, gold and coin in Canada, Canadian dollar deposits with other banks and other assets.
15. Figures for September 30th, 1956 and subsequent dates have been revised and are not directly comparable with those for earlier dates owing to a change in the classification of foreign currency loans in the returns of the banks to the Department of Finance. Foreign currency loans on the books of Canadian branches, some of which are made to Canadian customers and some to foreign customers, were previously included in, but have now been excluded from, loans in Canadian currency and are now carried under "Loans in Foreign Currencies". The loans thus reclassified rose by about $60 million between September 30th, 1956 and September 30th, 1957, amounting to approximately $40 million at the former date and $100 million at the latter date. The rise in general loans and in total Canadian loans over this 12 months' period is therefore now shown as about $60 million less than would have been shown under the former method of reporting. Comparison between current statistics and earlier months is also affected by the revision in the allocation of reserves by the chartered banks referred to in footnote 16, which as of January 31st, 1957, the date of such revision, apparently reduced published figures for general loans by roughly $80 million and reduced published figures for certain other categories of Canadian and foreign assets by lesser amounts. Because of this factor the recorded change in these items shows a smaller increase or a larger decrease than actually occurred over any period which includes within it January 31, 1957.
16. Beginning January 31, 1957, figures for certain chartered bank asset items are not strictly comparable with those for earlier dates, owing to the reallocation of inner reserves consequent upon the securities valuation change referred to in footnote 5. Investment reserves which became redundant were reallocated to apply against other asset items, mainly general loans (see footnote 15), loans in foreign currencies and corporate securities.

† Revised. * Preliminary.

NOTE: For 1946–1952 data see pages 14–21 in the "Financial Supplement 1954", and for 1953–1956 data see pages 16–19 in the "Financial Supplement 1956".

CHARTERED BANKS

ESTIMATED WEEKLY SERIES

Millions of Dollars — *Bank of Canada* — *Millions of Dollars*

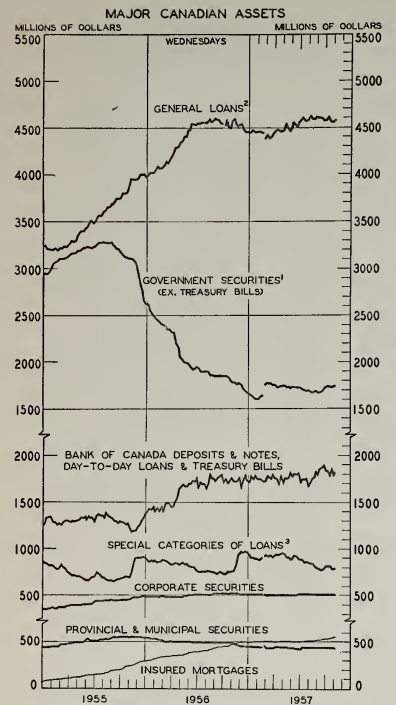
As at	Bank of Canada Deposits & Notes ★	Cdn. Day-to-Day Loans	Treasury Bills 1	Govt. of Canada Bonds 2	Other Canadian Securities: Provincial 2, 3, 4	Municipal 4	Corporate	Total	Insured Residential Mortgages	Call & Short[5] Loans in Canadian Currencies: To Stock-Brokers	To Others[6]	Provincial 4	Municipal 4	Grain Dealers 6, 7	C.S.B. 8	Sub-Total 6	General Loans 6	Total Loans 6	Total of Foregoing Assets 6	Estimated Canadian Dollar Items in Transit (net)	Canadian Dollar Deposits: Personal Savings	Govt. of Canada Deposits	All Other	Total	As at
1956—Oct. 3	853	68	797	1,854	292	195	518	1,005	449	110†	39†	57	163	336	18	725†	4,525†	5,250†	**10,277†**	708†	6,046	191	4,419	**10,656**	3 Oct.—1956
10	886	76	792	1,852	292	195	518	1,005	452	106	35†	64	164	342	15	726†	4,575†	5,300†	**10,364†**	578†	6,032	215	4,337	**10,585**	10
17	850	79	778	1,829	292	195	514	1,001	458	109	42†	69	167	347†	11	745†	4,502†	5,247†	**10,243†**	684†	6,033	175	4,387	**10,595**	17
24	893	71	763	1,811	293	195	519	1,007	463	107	35†	70	171	348†	7	739†	4,497†	5,236†	**10,245†**	608†	6,023	187	4,316	**10,526**	24
31	884	85	791	1,784	295	197	516	1,008	471	104	37†	83	168	358†	4	753†	4,572†	5,326†	**10,349†**	843	6,098	153	4,608	**10,859**	31
Nov. 7	864	70	790	1,784	291	191	518	1,000	473	98	38†	92	144	354	36	762†	4,588†	5,350†	**10,330†**	693†	6,048	293	4,296	**10,636**	7 Nov.
14	857	69	795	1,775	284	191	515	990	478	96	31†	99	138	356	97	817†	4,538†	5,355†	**10,318†**	674†	5,995	297	4,284	**10,576**	14
21	881	80	761	1,762	281	192	515	987	482	93	33†	121	140	355†	193	935†	4,510†	5,445†	**10,398†**	754†	5,969	488	4,289	**10,745**	21
28	924	97	738	1,772	265	191	514	971	486	91	32†	122	145	361	193	944†	4,533†	5,477†	**10,464†**	678†	5,955	404	4,326	**10,685**	28
Dec. 5	858	51	753	1,756	264	186	513	963	490	90	46†	134	151	357	187	965†	4,536†	5,501†	**10,372†**	714†	5,984	371	4,334	**10,689**	5 Dec.
12	911	63	750	1,722	270	187	512	969	493	87	48†	128	156	358†	181	959†	4,476†	5,434†	**10,343†**	634†	5,946	385	4,255	**10,586**	12
19	942	92	737	1,682	268	185	509	962	497	87	55†	118	161	366	175	963†	4,448†	5,411†	**10,323†**	806†	5,954	330	4,399	**10,682**	19
26	909	75	749	1,665	268	185	507	961	494	88†	55†	113	169	362†	169	958†	4,451†	5,409†	**10,261†**	784†	5,956	279	4,431	**10,665**	26
1957—Jan. 2	897	69	753	1,660	265	182	506	953	493	89	57†	86	175	363†	165	936†	4,439†	5,375†	**10,201†**	1,043†	6,009	164	4,704	**10,877**	2 Jan.—1957
9	953	68	753	1,639	265	180	505	950	494	90	43†	67	180	361	161	902†	4,468†	5,369†	**10,227†**	566†	5,985	233	4,176	**10,394**	9
16	898	76	762	1,624	265	178	506	948	498	90	46†	59	184	363	157	899†	4,454†	5,353†	**10,159†**	710†	5,985	262	4,234	**10,481**	16
23	912	101	762	1,615	266	178	506	950	496	88	41†	60	191	359†	153	892†	4,443†	5,335†	**10,171†**	561†	5,984	295	4,070	**10,349**	23
30	863	86	804	1,608	265	178	507	950	499	85†	38†	60	201	359	148	892†	4,449†	5,341†	**10,150†**	593†	5,998	257	4,106	**10,360**	30
Feb. 6	809	110	818	1,607	264	180	507	951	499	85	37†	67	187	357†	144	878†	4,461†	5,339†	**10,134†**	595†	6,066	332	3,947	**10,345**	6 Feb.
13	809	115	814	1,626	264	179	506	950	501	86	36†	72	195	353†	140	882†	4,446†	5,327†	**10,142†**	580†	6,054	324	3,959	**10,337**	13
20	798	117	812	1,642	266	178	505	950	503	85	53†	74	204	355†	136	907†	4,443†	5,350†	**10,171†**	652†	6,061	340	4,040	**10,441**	20
27[9]	804	112	808	1,758[9]	285[9]	176	497[9]	958[9]	506	91	61†	74	211	355[9]	132	923†[9]	4,382†[9]	5,305†[9]	**10,252†[9]**	677†	6,071	344	4,096	**10,511**	27
Mar. 6	814	86	829	1,766	258	176	496	930	506	91	63†	71	221	355†	127	928†	4,418†	5,347†	**10,278†**	592†	6,102	442	3,919†	**10,463**	6 Mar.
13	837	117	822	1,767	259	175	499	934	506	87	52†	64	228	363	123	917†	4,385†	5,301†	**10,284†**	586†	6,094	455	3,884	**10,434**	13
20	832	109	813	1,765	259	176	498	932	506	88†	56†	61	236	365†	119	926†	4,399†	5,324†	**10,282†**	679†	6,102	425	4,022	**10,550**	20
27	844	152	802	1,749	259	176	498	933	508	86†	58†	42	240	370	115	912†	4,442†	5,354†	**10,342†**	609†	6,108	419	3,995	**10,523**	27
Apr. 3	852	93	819	1,755	268	173	496	938	504	90	84†	22	252	373	111	932†	4,471†	5,402†	**10,363†**	684†	6,163	307	4,101	**10,571**	3 Apr.
10	864	95	806	1,733	268	173	498	939	504	91	80†	24	254	373	107	928†	4,478†	5,406†	**10,347†**	579†	6,144	320	4,022	**10,486**	10
17	837	76	778	1,735	268	173	498	939	506	96	69†	29	260	375	103	931†	4,460†	5,392†	**10,262†**	699	6,149	309	4,074	**10,531**	17
24	911	96	766	1,737	268	173	498	939	507	98	66†	28	271	374†	99	937†	4,457†	5,394†	**10,349†**	728†	6,150	309	4,177	**10,635**	24
May 1	846	105	763	1,740	267	171	498	936	507	105	84†	29	272	374†	95	958†	4,475†	5,433†	**10,330†**	926†	6,219	309	4,295	**10,823**	1 May
8	893	114	757	1,742	266	171	498	935	507	105†	69†	27	268	373	91	934†	4,536†	5,470†	**10,417†**	631†	6,178	343	4,075	**10,596**	8
15	880	109	756	1,727	266	170	499	935	508	103	67†	22	259	373	87	912†	4,491†	5,403†	**10,318†**	784†	6,152	356	4,160	**10,668**	15
22	887	91	782	1,731	265	170	501	936	509	103†	61†	23	265	370†	83	906†	4,459†	5,365†	**10,300†**	802†	6,152	336	4,202	**10,691**	22
29	889	116	811	1,721	264	170	503	937	510	104	54†	21	257	370	79	885†	4,497†	5,382†	**10,367†**	691	6,132	294	4,168†	**10,595**	29
June 5	834	105	829	1,727	263	168	502	933	500	105	45†	23	264	381	75	892†	4,553†	5,445†	**10,372†**	697†	6,179	294	4,153†	**10,627†**	6 June
12	904	109	789	1,726	263	168	501	932	500	106	59†	24	263	403	71	925†	4,534†	5,459†	**10,420†**	653	6,159	314	4,167†	**10,640†**	12
19	904	106	785	1,726	256	168	498	922	502	108	54†	27	248	409†	67	914†	4,515†	5,429†	**10,374†**	787†	6,161	248	4,315†	**10,725†**	19
26	914	98	792	1,724	257	169	511	937	503	107	56†	20	232	410	63	889†	4,550†	5,439†	**10,406†**	757†	6,155	207	4,314	**10,676**	26
July 3	831	93	788	1,723	260	166	508	935	501	110	49†	23	229	410†	60	882†	4,576†	5,457†	**10,327†**	971	6,217	126	4,471†	**10,814**	3 July
10	886	89	773	1,705	271	165	507	944	502	109†	53†	19	223	419	57	880†	4,604†	5,484†	**10,383†**	727†	6,183	247	4,223†	**10,653**	10
17	874	98	773	1,695	270	165	509	943	504	108	49†	22	201	412	54	845†	4,570†	5,415†	**10,303†**	774	6,206	187	4,249†	**10,643**	17
24	885	70	794	1,693	274	165	509	948	506	112	66†	24	192	416	51	860†	4,569†	5,429†	**10,324†**	673†	6,197	189	4,174	**10,560**	24
31	795	81	797	1,705	275	167	510	952	509	108†	54†	23	190	423†	47†	846†	4,581†	5,427†	**10,263†**	829	6,242	148	4,255	**10,645**	31
Aug. 7	859†	81	773	1,681	274	165	507	946	507	104	49†	25	187	427	44†	836†	4,622†	5,458†	**10,306†**	656	6,253	188	4,055†	**10,495†**	7 Aug.
14	889†	102	762	1,670	273	165	508	946	510	99	46†	26	182	437	41†	831†	4,590†	5,421†	**10,299†**	652	6,238	159	4,105†	**10,502†**	14
21	904†	89	774	1,680	272	165	506	944	512	92	41†	25	179	431	38†	806†	4,586†	5,392†	**10,296†**	710†	6,243	154	4,133†	**10,531†**	21
28	909	106	819	1,687	272	165	506	943	516	86†	36†	25	183	423†	35	788†	4,609†	5,397†	**10,376†**	614†	6,244	126	4,156	**10,527†**	28
Sept. 4	848	119	822	1,676	271	163	504	938	518	81	41†	23	186	424	31†	787†	4,606†	5,392†	**10,313†**	767†	6,299	108	4,197	**10,604**	4 Sept.
11	910	107	833	1,680	271	164	504	938	519	78†	38†	28	186	423	28†	782†	4,603†	5,385†	**10,372†**	637†	6,282	170	4,095	**10,547**	11
18	912	72	883	1,686	270	164	504	939	525	77	30†	25	191	419	25†	767†	4,592†	5,358†	**10,375†**	733†	6,289	159	4,225	**10,674**	18
25	888	73	926	1,709	271	163	505	939	530	73	35†	33	203	417	22	783†	4,572†	5,354†	**10,419†**	684	6,270	151	4,259	**10,680**	25
Oct. 2	768	156	910	1,734	273	162	502	937	530	78	72†	33	198	415	18	815†	4,575†	5,390†	**10,426†**	976†	6,318[10]	175	4,479[10]	**10,971**	2 Oct.
9	860	109	860	1,738	273	163	503	939	533	72	62†	52	193	416	14	810†	4,600†	5,410†	**10,450†**	620†	6,298[10]	175	4,173[10]	**10,646**	9
16	859	111	821	1,735	271	163	504	937	537	71	66†	49	194	416	11	807†	4,565†	5,371†	**10,371†**	854†	6,312[10]	135	4,361[10]	**10,808**	16
23	915	123	814	1,732	270	163	504	936	544	61	62†	41	195	412	7	778†	4,551†	5,330†	**10,394†**	632†	6,300[10]	122	4,203[10]	**10,625**	23
30	906	86	795	1,736	270	164	505	939	549	53	64†	52	195	413	4	781†	4,572†	5,353†	**10,364†**	702†	6,339[10]	80	4,229[10]	**10,648**	30

★ For data on cash reserves, see section 1 of table on page 316.
1. Par value throughout.
2. Valued at "not exceeding market value" prior to Feb. 27, 1957. See footnote 9
3. Includes securities guaranteed by provincial governments.
4. Securities purchased direct from issuer with a term of less than 1 year at time of issue are classified as loans.
5. Excluding Canadian day-to-day loans.
6. Figures for October 3, 1956 and subsequent dates which have been revised are not directly comparable with those for earlier dates. For details of the revision see footnote 15 on page 317.
7. Loans to grain dealers and exporters.
8. Loans to finance the purchase of Canada Savings Bonds at time of issue.
9. Beginning with the weekly statistics for Feb. 27 the chartered banks' holdings of Government of Canada and provincial government securities are valued at "amortized value" rather than at "not exceeding market value" as previously. Because of this change in valuation procedure and the consequent reallocation of inner reserves most of the asset figures for Feb. 27 and subsequent dates, particularly holdings of the securities in question and general loans, are not directly comparable with those of previous weeks. (See also footnote 15 on page 317).
10. Adjusted in accordance with footnote 4 on page 316.
† Revised. See footnote 6.

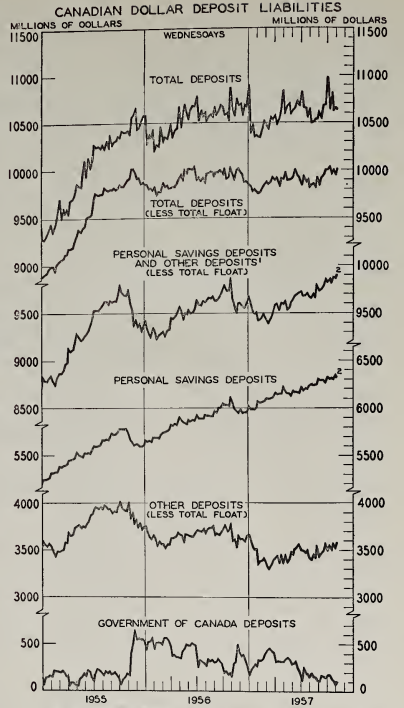
NOTE: For data back to August 1953 see pages 20–27 in the "Financial Supplement 1956".

CHARTERED BANKS

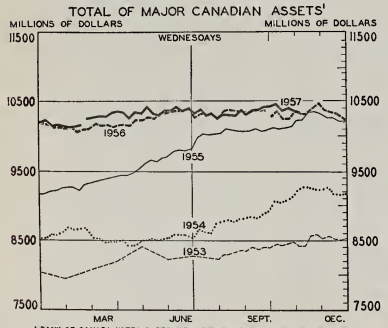
ASSETS AND LIABILITIES



1. NOT EXCEEDING MARKET VALUE. 2. SEE FOOTNOTE 15 ON PAGE 317.
3. LOANS TO PROVINCIAL GOVERNMENTS AND MUNICIPALITIES, SPECIALLY SECURED LOANS TO GRAIN DEALERS, INVESTMENT DEALERS AND STOCKBROKERS AND TO FINANCE THE PURCHASE OF CANADA SAVINGS BONDS.



1. EXCL. GOVT. OF CANADA DEPOSITS.
2. FIGURES SINCE SEPT. 30, 1957 ADJUSTED FOR COMPARABILITY. SEE FOOTNOTE 4 ON PAGE 316.



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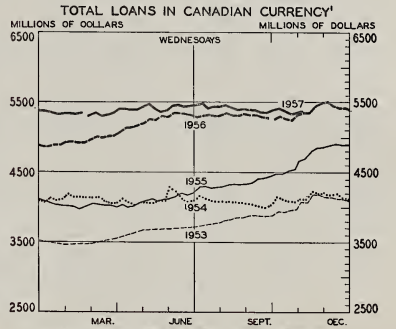

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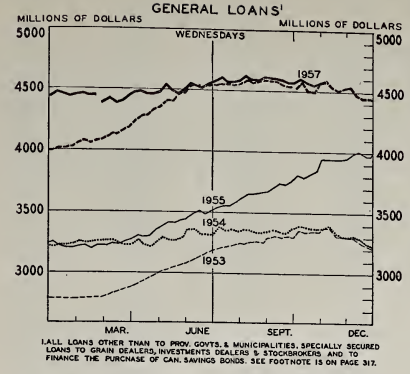
CHARTERED BANKS

SELECTED ASSETS



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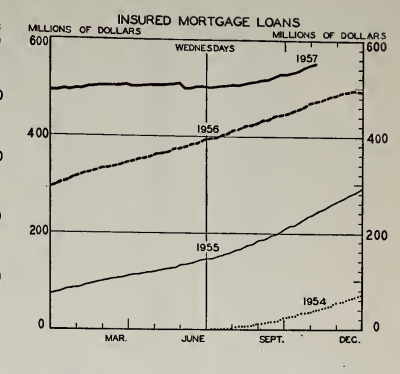

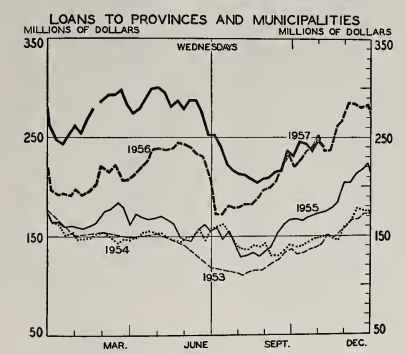

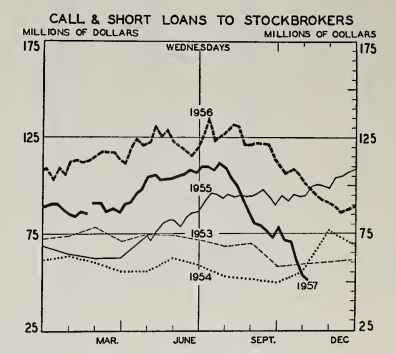

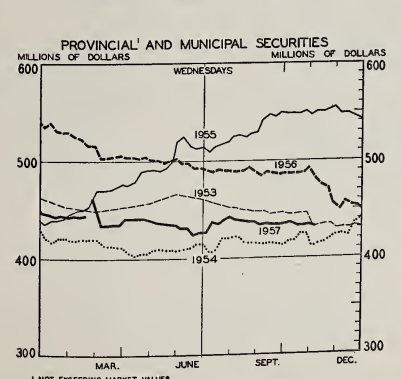

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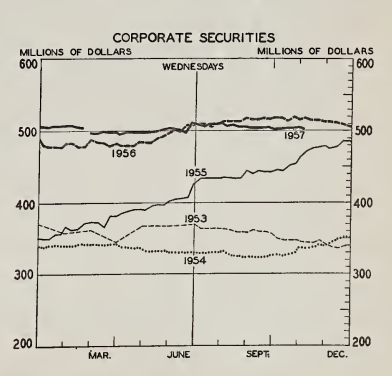

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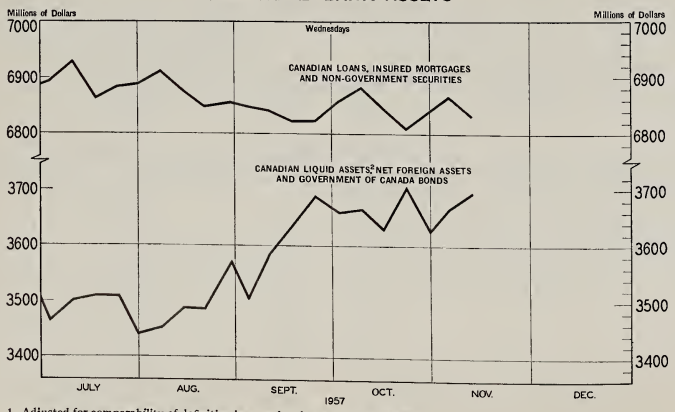
CHARTERED BANKS: CANADIAN LIQUID ASSETS[1]

Millions of Dollars — *Bank of Canada*

	Bank of Canada Notes[1]	Bank of Canada Deposits	Day-to-Day Loans	Treasury Bills	Total	Total Canadian Deposits[1]	Ratio to Canadian Deposits
Av. of Wednesdays							
1954—July	280	549	57	338	1,224	8,890	13.8
Aug.	268	515	69	374	1,227	8,929	13.7
Sept.	284	509	58	407	1,259	8,999	14.0
Oct.	298	503	109	401	1,312	9,087	14.4
Nov.	294	519	94	402	1,310	9,287	14.1
Dec.	290	527	81	350	1,248	9,391	13.3
1955—Jan.	279	572	34	397	1,282	9,484	13.5
Feb.	318	483	60	450	1,311	9,343	14.0
Mar.	284	513	80	423	1,301	9,398	13.8
Apr.	268	531	87	388	1,274	9,586	13.3
May	277	528	93	419	1,316	9,632	13.7
June	288	523	111	409	1,331	9,821	13.6
July	282	551	114	391	1,339	10,049	13.3
Aug.	293	549	80	416	1,338	10,222	13.1
Sept.	303	541	54	379	1,277	10,264	12.4
Oct.	301	544	50	363	1,258	10,314	12.2
Nov.	313	547	53	298	1,210	10,383	11.7
Dec.	312	552	57	375	1,295	10,487	12.4
1956—Jan.	310	569	55	442	1,376	10,515	13.1
Feb.	354	503	80	542	1,479	10,448	14.2
Mar.	299	539	61	570	1,469	10,285	14.3
Apr.	294	556	17	640	1,508	10,357	14.6
May	310	537	59	759	1,666	10,409	16.0
Daily Averages							
June	318	560	84	757	1,719	10,597	16.2
July	332	544	92	735	1,703	10,608	16.1
Aug.	338	563	61	786	1,747	10,649	16.4
Sept.	328	549	83	794	1,755	10,563	16.6
Oct.	340	544	83	773	1,740	10,607	16.4
Nov.	341	539	83	774	1,737	10,591	16.4
Dec.	338	553	71	746	1,707	10,704	15.9
1957—Jan.	355	523	85	763	1,726	10,660	16.2
Feb.	390	475	119	812	1,797	10,525	17.1
Mar.	335	514	117	813	1,779	10,371	17.1
Apr.	314	542	97	787	1,740	10,489	16.6
May	310	553	110	773	1,746	10,528	16.6
June	321	556	109	795	1,781	10,694	16.7
July	329	535	96	780	1,741	10,647	16.4
Aug.	335	546	94	781	1,756	10,668	16.5
Sept.	330	544	96	870	1,840	10,543	17.5
Oct.	339	537	123	836	1,835	10,588	17.3

1. Figures for chartered bank holdings of Bank of Canada notes and total Canadian deposits are on the statutory basis, i.e. averages of 4 consecutive Wednesdays ending with the second last Wednesday in the previous month.

CHARTERED BANK ASSETS[1]



1. Adjusted for comparability of definition in regard to foreign currency loans.
2. Bank of Canada notes and deposits, day-to-day loans and treasury bills.
Last weekly data plotted Nov. 13, 1957.

CHARTERED BANKS
QUARTERLY CLASSIFICATION OF LOANS IN CANADIAN CURRENCY★

Millions of Dollars — *Department of Finance, Bank of Canada*

As at end of	1956 Sept.	1956 Dec.	1957[8] Mar.	1957[8] June	1957[8] Sept.
GENERAL LOANS					
Personal					
To individuals, fully secured by marketable bonds and stocks[1]	343.1†	313.3†	290.4†	292.6†	281.7
Home improvement loans[2]	36.2	37.9	39.4	40.8	45.8
To individuals, not elsewhere classified	443.8†	434.9†	415.6†	427.8†	420.0
TOTAL PERSONAL	823.1†	786.1†	745.4†	761.2†	747.5
Farmers: Farm Improvement Loans	139.3†	129.7†	121.2†	127.8†	135.8
Other farm loans	228.3†	227.0†	187.9†	201.4†	220.9
Industry					
Chemical and rubber products	67.1†	63.4†	73.3†	75.1†	70.2
Electric apparatus and supplies	77.1	62.9	58.9	67.9	66.5
Food, beverages and tobacco	179.2†	208.0†	192.1†	196.4†	215.6
Forest products	194.7†	196.2†	236.0†	246.4†	234.7
Furniture	22.3	22.7	22.5	22.9	22.8
Iron and steel products	156.0†	150.9†	195.7†	212.6†	194.5
Mining and mine products	101.2	101.0†	119.3†	146.2†	167.9
Petroleum and products	129.3†	144.7	134.1†	99.9†	97.5
Textiles, leather and clothing	185.8	157.5†	171.0	170.9†	185.8
Transportation equipment	42.9	48.5†	60.9	71.5†	70.0
Other products	70.0†	59.9†	63.1†	67.2†	72.1
TOTAL INDUSTRY	1,225.6†	1,215.7†	1,326.9†	1,377.0†	1,397.7
Merchandisers[3]	757.4†	690.0†	731.3†	759.8†	758.0
Instalment and other finance companies[3,4]	333.2†	394.5†	349.3†	349.7†	322.1
Construction contractors	343.2†	312.2†	298.7†	316.3†	299.7
Public utilities, transportation and communications	137.3†	151.9†	177.7†	168.3†	178.4
Other business[5]	415.2†	401.7†	387.6†	413.9†	424.9
Religious, educational, health and welfare institutions	82.5	90.3	82.9	91.3	104.1
TOTAL GENERAL LOANS	**4,485.1†**	**4,399.1†**	**4,408.9†**	**4,566.7†**	**4,589.2**
OTHER LOANS					
Provincial governments[6]	81.0	95.0	40.0	24.8	33.2
Municipal governments and school districts[6]	166.7	176.6	249.9	236.1	204.5
Stockbrokers[7]	109.6	89.7	85.3	104.6	72.8
Investment dealers[7]	35.6†	60.2†	63.4†	58.5†	40.6
Loans to finance the purchase of Canada Savings Bonds	21.8	169.4	114.9	63.4	21.9
Grain dealers and exporters	341.0†	372.5†	390.2†	413.1†	417.9
TOTAL OTHER LOANS	**755.7†**	**963.4†**	**943.7†**	**900.5†**	**790.8**
TOTAL LOANS IN CANADIAN CURRENCY	**5,240.8†**	**5,362.5†**	**5,352.6†**	**5,467.2†**	**5,380.1**

★ Figures for September 30, 1956 and subsequent dates have been revised owing to a change in the classification of foreign currency loans in the banks' returns to the Department of Finance. For details see footnote 15, page 317.
The figures exclude day-to-day loans, include non-current loans and are net of provision for estimated losses.
1. Excludes loans to finance the purchase of Canada Savings Bonds.
2. Loans under Part IV of the National Housing Act, 1954.
3. Finance Companies which are affiliates of retail merchandisers are included under "Merchandisers".
4. Includes small loan companies.
5. Includes loans to trust, mortgage, investment and insurance companies and other financial institutions, formerly shown as a separate classification.
6. Securities purchased direct from issuer with a term of less than one year at time of issue are included in loans.
7. The division of call and short loans between stockbrokers and investment dealers is estimated by Bank of Canada Research Department.
8. Figures for 1957 are not strictly comparable with those for 1956 and earlier dates owing to the reallocation of inner reserves consequent upon the securities valuation change referred to in footnote 5 on page 316.
† Revised.

NOTE: FOR DATA BACK TO 1953 SEE PAGES 28–29 IN THE FINANCIAL SUPPLEMENT 1956".

CANADIAN DOLLAR CURRENCY AND BANK DEPOSITS HELD BY THE GENERAL PUBLIC

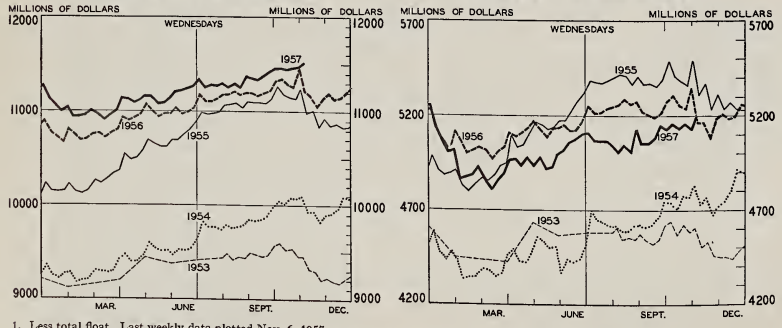
Millions of Dollars — *Bank of Canada*

	Currency Outside Banks			Chartered Bank Deposits			Total Currency and Chartered Bank Deposits 1	
	Notes	Coin	Total	Personal Savings Deposits	Other Deposits 1	Total 1	Excluding Personal Savings Deposits	Including Personal Savings Deposits
As at Dec. 31								
1952	1,289	88	1,377	4,600	3,281	7,881	4,658	9,258
1953	1,335	94	1,429	4,756	3,129	7,885	4,558	9,314
1954	1,362	96	1,458	5,218	3,462	8,680	4,920	10,137
1955	1,449	101	1,550	5,633	3,697	9,330	5,248	10,881
1956	1,498	108	1,605	6,007	3,580	9,587	5,185	11,192
End of								
1955—Oct.	1,397	100	1,497	5,839	3,929	9,768	5,426	11,265
Nov.	1,395	100	1,495	5,615	3,815	9,430	5,310	10,925
Dec.	1,449	101	1,550	5,633	3,697	9,330	5,248	10,881
1956—Jan.	1,358	98	1,457	5,676	3,593	9,269	5,049	10,726
Feb.	1,375	99	1,474	5,721	3,557	9,278	5,031	10,753
Mar.	1,458	102	1,561	5,791	3,501	9,292	5,062	10,853
Apr.	1,415	102	1,517	5,919	3,596	9,514	5,113	11,031
May	1,425	102	1,527	5,844	3,600	9,444	5,127	10,972
June	1,500	104	1,604	5,881	3,646	9,527	5,250	11,131
July	1,458	103	1,561	5,923	3,668	9,591	5,229	11,152
Aug.	1,515	106	1,621	5,941	3,745	9,686	5,366	11,306
Sept.	1,514	106	1,620	6,020	3,656	9,676	5,276	11,295
Oct.	1,472	106	1,578	6,098	3,764	9,862	5,342	11,440
Nov.	1,543	108	1,651	5,974	3,607	9,582	5,258	11,233
Dec.	1,498	108	1,605	6,007	3,580	9,587	5,185	11,192
1957—Jan.	1,445	104	1,549	6,039	3,470	9,509	5,019	11,058
Feb.	1,457	105	1,562	6,090	3,329	9,419	4,892	10,982
Mar.	1,500	107	1,607	6,153	3,328	9,481	4,935	11,088
Apr.	1,457	107	1,564	6,211	3,406	9,617	4,970	11,181
May	1,523	109	1,631	6,161	3,382	9,543	5,014	11,174
June	1,559	110	1,669	6,196	3,448	9,644	5,117	11,313
July	1,510	109	1,618	6,242	3,426	9,668	5,044	11,287
Aug.	1,571	111	1,682	6,273	3,401	9,673	5,082	11,355
Sept.	1,529	110	1,639	6,352 2	3,477 2	9,829	5,117 2	11,469

1. Less total float, i.e. cheques and other items in transit (net). Excludes Government of Canada deposits.
2. Adjusted in accordance with footnote 4 on page 316.

NOTE: For data back to 1953 see page 32 in the "Financial Supplement 1956".

CURRENCY AND CHARTERED BANK DEPOSITS[1] HELD BY THE GENERAL PUBLIC



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2. Figures since Sept. 30, 1957 have been adjusted for comparability with earlier figures. See footnote 4 on page 316

CLASSIFICATION OF GOVERNMENT OF CANADA DIRECT AND GUARANTEED SECURITIES

Millions of Dollars, Par Value — *Bank of Canada*

	Direct Funded Debt Outstanding							Guaranteed Funded Debt	Total Outstanding
	Treasury Bills	Treasury Notes	Deposit Certificates	Other Unmatured Market Issues	Matured and Outstanding Market Issues	Non-market Issues 1	Total		2
As at Dec. 31									
1952	450	750	200	11,995	19	1,250	14,664	522	**15,186**
1953	650	750	–	12,066	19	1,632	15,117	520	**15,637**
1954	780	750	–	10,854	74	2,090	14,547	918	**15,465**
1955	1,225	500	–	10,952	30	2,433	15,140	860	**16,000**
1956	1,575	–	–	10,298	27	2,541	14,441	793	**15,234**
End of									
1956—May	1,690	–	–	10,903	28	2,327	14,948	793	**15,741**
June	1,690	–	–	10,848	35	2,293	14,866	793	**15,659**
July	1,700	–	–	10,448	34	2,264	14,446	793	**15,238**
Aug.	1,710	–	–	10,448	30	2,237	14,425	793	**15,218**
Sept.	1,730	–	–	10,448	29	2,210	14,417	793	**15,210**
Oct.	1,720	–	–	10,448	28	2,199	14,395	793	**15,188**
Nov.	1,625	–	–	10,448	26	2,593	14,692	793	**15,485**
Dec.	1,575	–	–	10,298	27	2,541	14,441	793	**15,234**
1957—Jan.	1,565	–	–	10,298	23	2,508	14,394	793	**15,187**
Feb.	1,605	–	–	10,298	21	2,475	14,399	793	**15,192**
Mar.	1,625	–	–	10,298	20	2,436	14,379	793	**15,172**
Apr.	1,625	–	–	10,298	20	2,394	14,337	793	**15,130**
May	1,625	–	–	10,298	19	2,350	14,292	793	**15,085**
June	1,625	–	–	10,148	22	2,315	14,109	793	**14,902**
July	1,625	–	–	10,148	17	2,277	14,066	728	**14,794**
Aug.	1,640	–	–	10,148	16	2,245	14,049	728	**14,778**
Sept.	1,655	–	–	10,148	16	2,213	14,031	728	**14,759**

For footnotes see table below.

DISTRIBUTION OF GOVERNMENT OF CANADA DIRECT AND GUARANTEED SECURITIES

Millions of Dollars, Par Value — *Bank of Canada*

	Bank of Canada	Chartered Banks 3	Government of Canada Accounts			General Public			Total Outstanding
			Securities Investment Account 4	Unemployment Insurance Fund	Other	Market Issues 3	Non-market Issues 1	Total 3	2
As at Dec. 31									
1952	2,271	2,905	47	859	195	7,659	1,250	8,909	**15,186**
1953	2,322	2,862	119	919	276	7,507	1,632	9,139	**15,637**
1954	2,267	3,375	–	892	312	6,529	2,090	8,619	**15,465**
1955	2,416	3,132	200	884	407	6,528	2,433	8,961	**16,000**
1956	2,426	2,534	160	924	434	6,215	2,541	8,756	**15,234**
End of									
1956—May	2,299	2,815	350	841	415	6,694	2,327	9,021	**15,741**
June	2,374	2,797	341	850	415	6,588	2,293	8,881	**15,659**
July	2,387	2,717	80	862	414	6,514	2,264	8,777	**15,238**
Aug.	2,428	2,751	105	880	418	6,400	2,237	8,636	**15,218**
Sept.	2,453	2,732	105	895	422	6,394	2,210	8,604	**15,210**
Oct.	2,454	2,675	165	909	421	6,363	2,199	8,562	**15,188**
Nov.	2,478	2,624	190	919	430	6,250	2,593	8,844	**15,485**
Dec.	2,426	2,534	160	924	434	6,215	2,541	8,756	**15,234**
1957—Jan.	2,302	2,535	182	917	437	6,305	2,508	8,813	**15,187**
Feb.	2,249	2,580	182	899	442	6,365	2,475	8,840	**15,192**
Mar.	2,288	2,573	182	878	429	6,386	2,436	8,822	**15,172**
Apr.	2,353	2,509	182	858	433	6,400	2,394	8,794	**15,130**
May	2,354	2,549	112	847	530	6,343	2,350	8,693	**15,085**
June	2,410	2,530	–	854	508	6,285	2,315	8,600	**14,902**
July	2,401	2,502	–	865	506	6,243	2,277	8,520	**14,794**
Aug.	2,461	2,517	–	872	504	6,178	2,245	8,423	**14,778**
Sept.	2,412	2,637	–	881	500	6,117	2,213	8,330	**14,759**

1. Refundable Tax, War Savings Certificates and Canada Savings Bonds, and since May 1, 1954, Canada Savings Bonds only.
2. Foreign pay issues are converted at the rate of £1 = $2.80 U.S. = $2.80 Cdn. Excludes sinking fund and government account "N" holdings of Newfoundland sterling securities assumed by the Government of Canada. For details by issue at Sept. 30, 1957, see table on page 283.
3. Chartered bank holdings are shown at estimated par value; the figures for general public holdings are residuals obtained by deducting all other holdings from the total outstanding.
4. Market issues only, i.e., excludes holdings of Canada Savings Bonds being purchased on the payroll plan by Government employees, which are included under general public holdings of non-market issues.

NOTE: For data back to 1953 see pages 33–34 in the "Financial Supplement 1956".

MONEY MARKET STATISTICS

WEEKLY SERIES

Bank of Canada

	Bank of Canada[1]			Chartered Banks					Treasury Bills[2]				Distribution of Govt. of Canada Direct and Gtd. Securities[2] (Including Treasury Bills)								
	Outstanding Advances to Chartered and Savings Banks	Can. Govt. Securities Held Under Purchase & Resale Agreements		Cash Ratio Statutory Basis		Day-to-Day Loans			Distribution				Weekly Tender on Thurs. following Wed. date shown				Total	Bank of Canada	Chartered Banks[3]	Government Accounts	General Public			
		At Date	Maximum During Week	At Date	Average: Month to Date	Closing Rate	Wkly. Av. of Daily Closing Rates	Amount Outstanding	Total	Bank of Canada	Chartered Banks	Other	Average Yield: 3 Month Bills	Average Yield: 9 Month Bills	Amount Sold: 3 Month Bills	Amount Sold: 9 Month Bills					Canada Savings Bonds	Matured & Outstanding Market Issues	Other Unmatured	Total
	Millions of Dollars			Percent				mm. of $	Par Value in Millions of Dollars				Percent		Millions of Dollars		Par Value in Millions of Dollars							
Wednesdays																								**Wednesdays**
1955—Aug. 31	–	–	8	8.1	8.3	1 1/2	1.53	90	1,075	242	419	414	1.70	1.95	40	15	15,519	2,314	3,735	1,279	1,921	37	6,233	8,191	31 Aug.—1955
Sept. 28	–	–	–	8.4	8.2	1 5/8	1.80	41	1,095	251	364	480	1.83	2.10	40	15	15,520	2,357	3,611	1,360	1,902	35	6,255	8,192	28 Sept.
Oct. 26	16	4	12	8.4	8.3	2 1/8	2.13	53	1,145	303	317	525	2.20	–	60	–	15,582	2,347	3,498	1,434	1,917	33	6,353	8,303	26 Oct.
Nov. 30	4	–	2	8.4	8.3	2 1/4	2.25	54	1,170	303	328	539	2.58	–	60	–	15,974	2,422	3,323	1,334	2,461	31	6,403	8,895	30 Nov.
Dec. 28	–	–	–	8.2	8.2	2 3/8	2.38	56	1,205	264	416	525	2.56	–	75	–	15,982	2,423	3,108	1,492	2,435	30	6,494	8,959	28 Dec.
1956—Jan. 25	–	–	–	8.3	8.4	2 1/4	2.33	54	1,275	234	480	561	2.53	–	100	–	15,989	2,303	3,038	1,604	2,415	35	6,595	9,044	25 Jan.—1956
Feb. 29	–	6	6	8.1	8.2	2 1/2	2.50	82	1,430	341	564	525	2.56	–	115	–	16,063	2,246	3,027	1,752	2,405	32	6,601	9,038	29 Feb.
Mar. 28	–	–	3	7.9	8.2	2 5/8	2.58	62	1,575	444	573	558	2.64	–	115	–	16,188	2,296	2,957	1,935	2,387	30	6,583	9,000	28 Mar.
Apr. 25	10	–	–	8.3	8.2	2 5/8	2.68	13	1,640	336	727	577	2.89	–	125	–	16,229	2,329	2,856	2,067	2,363	30	6,584	8,976	25 Apr.
May 30	26	–	–	8.2	8.2	2 3/4	2.73	63	1,690	394	759	537	2.72	–	130	–	15,737	2,302	2,802	1,604	2,323	28	6,678	9,029	30 May
June 27	5	–	–	8.3	8.3	2 3/8	2.48	62	1,690	465	795	430	2.52	–	130	–	15,658	2,392	2,795	1,606	2,293	35	6,538	8,865	27 June
July 25	12	–	–	8.1	8.3	2 5/8	2.63	81	1,695	467	735	493	2.65	–	130	–	15,236	2,398	2,699	1,352	2,266	35	6,487	8,787	25 July
Aug. 29	–	–	–	8.2	8.4	2 1/4	2.40	32	1,705	494	835	376	2.90	–	135	–	15,214	2,422	2,762	1,403	2,237	31	6,360	8,627	29 Aug.
Sept. 26	–	–	–	8.2	8.3	2 3/4	2.88	95	1,725	521	806	328	3.16	–	135	–	15,205	2,441	2,739	1,424	2,210	29	6,362	8,601	26 Sept.
Oct. 31	–	–	26	8.6	8.3	2 3/4	2.90	85	1,720	560	794	366	3.34	–	115	–	15,187	2,454	2,675	1,496	2,199	28	6,336	8,562	31 Oct.
Nov. 28	50	–	–	8.5	8.2	2 7/8	3.03	97	1,645	532	741	372	3.52	–	115	–	15,494	2,451	2,610	1,540	2,582	26	6,285	8,893	28 Nov.
Dec. 26	10	–	–	8.2	8.3	3 1/4	3.25	75	1,585	519	752	314	3.67	–	125	–	15,233	2,506	2,530	1,447	2,530	28	6,193	8,750	26 Dec.
1957—Jan. 30	–	–	–	8.2	8.2	3	3.00	86	1,565	418	807	340	3.70	–	125	–	15,178	2,312	2,530	1,536	2,500	23	6,278	8,800	30 Jan.—1957
Feb. 27	–	–	12	8.4	8.2	3 1/2	3.55	112	1,605	437	811	357	3.76	–	125	–	15,187	2,254	2,570	1,520	2,470	21	6,352	8,844	27 Feb.
Mar. 27	10	–	14	8.2	8.2	3 5/8	3.70	152	1,625	482	805	338	3.70	–	125	–	15,169	2,280	2,554	1,501	2,433	20	6,380	8,833	27 Mar.
Apr. 24	21	–	5	8.4	8.1	3 3/4	3.71	96	1,625	503	769	353	3.75	–	125	–	15,132	2,353	2,506	1,477	2,396	20	6,380	8,796	24 Apr.
May 29	25	–	–	8.2	8.2	3 3/8	3.53	116	1,625	474	814	337	3.76	–	125	–	15,082	2,352	2,535	1,494	2,348	19	6,335	8,701	29 May
June 26	24	–	9	8.4	8.2	3 3/4	3.83	97	1,625	516	795	314	3.81	–	125	–	14,900	2,404	2,519	1,397	2,312	22	6,245	8,580	26 June
July 31	–	–	3	7.7	8.1	3 3/4	3.75	81	1,625	505	797	322	3.81	–	125	–	14,794	2,401	2,502	1,371	2,277	17	6,227	8,520	31 July
Aug. 28	–	–	–	8.4	8.2	3 1/4	3.55	106	1,635	549	819	267	4.03	–	130	–	14,771†	2,470	2,506	1,376	2,244†	16	6,159	8,420†	28 Aug.
Sept. 25	–	–	–	8.2	8.3	2 1/4	2.45	73	1,655	461	926	268	3.80	–	125†	–	14,760†	2,444	2,635	1,384	2,214†	16	6,068	8,297†	25 Sept.
Oct. 30	–	54	54	8.6	8.2	4	3.60	86	1,655	538	795	322	3.80	–	125	–	14,735	2,541	2,531	1,387	2,188	15	6,071	8,275	30 Oct.
Weekly																								**Weekly**
1957—May 8	–	6	29	8.3	8.1	3 7/8	3.80	114	1,625	504	760	361	3.78	–	125	–	15,115	2,364	2,501	1,498	2,379	19	6,352	8,751	8 May—1957
15	–	–	4	8.3	8.2	3 5/8	3.75	109	1,625	516	759	350	3.78	–	125	–	15,099	2,379	2,486	1,497	2,364	19	6,354	8,737	15
22	–	–	–	8.1	8.2	3 5/8	3.72	91	1,625	496	785	344	3.76	–	125	–	15,091	2,362	2,516	1,497	2,357	19	6,341	8,717	22
29	25	–	–	8.2	8.2	3 3/8	3.53	116	1,625	474	814	337	3.76	–	125	–	15,082	2,352	2,535	1,494	2,348	19	6,335	8,701	29
June 5	–	32	32	7.9	7.9	3 7/8	3.70	105	1,625	494	832	299	3.79	–	125	–	15,078	2,395	2,558	1,482	2,344	19	6,280	8,643	5 June
12	–	–	26	8.3	8.1	3 3/4	3.85	109	1,625	505	792	328	3.79	–	125	–	15,064	2,401	2,518	1,480	2,331	18	6,315	8,665	12
19	–	6	23	8.3	8.1	3 7/8	3.83	106	1,625	506	788	331	3.80	–	125	–	14,916	2,410	2,514	1,398	2,321	30	6,244	8,595	19
26	24	–	9	8.4	8.2	3 3/4	3.83	97	1,625	516	795	314	3.81	–	125	–	14,900	2,404	2,519	1,397	2,312	22	6,245	8,580	26
July 3	12	8	8	8.1	8.1	3 3/4	3.69	93	1,625	526	788	312	3.81	–	125	–	14,827	2,421	2,510	1,361	2,306	21	6,210	8,536	3 July
10	–	25	25	8.1	8.1	4	3.85	89	1,625	549	773	303	3.81	–	125	–	14,816	2,460	2,478	1,366	2,296	20	6,197	8,512	10
17	–	–	20	8.2	8.2	3 3/4	3.75	98	1,625	561	773	291	3.81	–	125	–	14,803	2,462	2,468	1,365	2,283	19	6,206	8,508	17
24	–	–	–	8.1	8.2	3 1/4	3.58	70	1,625	536	794	295	3.80	–	125	–	14,793	2,434	2,486	1,369	2,275	18	6,212	8,505	24
31	–	–	3	7.7	8.1	3 3/4	3.75	81	1,625	505	797	322	3.81	–	125	–	14,794	2,401	2,502	1,371	2,277	17	6,227	8,520	31
Aug. 7	11	42	44	8.1	7.8	4	3.88	81	1,625	530	773	322	3.92	–	125	–	14,786†	2,439	2,455	1,372	2,269†	17	6,235	8,521†	7 Aug.
14	–	4	35	8.3	8.0	4 1/8	4.08	102	1,625	557	762	306	4.03	–	130†	–	14,774†	2,462	2,432	1,370	2,257†	17	6,237	8,510†	14
21	–	–	6	8.4	8.1	3 7/8	4.00	89	1,630	567	774	288	4.08	–	130	–	14,773†	2,486	2,455	1,372	2,251†	17	6,193	8,461†	21
28	–	–	–	8.4	8.2	3 3/4	3.55	106	1,635	549	819	267	4.03	–	130	–	14,771†	2,470	2,506	1,376	2,244†	16	6,159	8,420†	28
Sept. 4	–	–	–	8.2	8.2	3 1/4	3.16	119	1,640	540	822	278	4.01	–	130	–	14,773†	2,457	2,498	1,377	2,241†	16	6,184	8,441†	4 Sept.
11	–	–	–	8.4	8.2	3 1/4	3.20	107	1,645	538	833	274	4.00	–	130	–	14,769†	2,482	2,513	1,382	2,232†	16	6,144	8,391†	11
18	–	–	–	8.5	8.3	2 3/4	3.03	72	1,650	514	883	252	3.93	–	130	–	14,762†	2,503	2,569	1,383	2,221†	16	6,070†	8,306†	18
25	–	–	–	8.2	8.3	2 1/4	2.45	73	1,655	461	926	268	3.80	–	125†	–	14,760†	2,444	2,635	1,384	2,214†	16	6,068	8,297†	25
Oct. 2	–	1	8	7.6	7.6	3 1/2	2.95	156	1,655	421	910	324	3.84	–	125	–	14,779	2,391	2,644	1,382	2,208	40	6,115	8,362	2 Oct.
9	–	16	38	8.1	7.9	4	3.85	109	1,655	470	860	324	3.87	–	125	–	14,749	2,465	2,599	1,385	2,198	20	6,082	8,300	9
16	–	9	9	8.3	8.0	3 3/4	3.81	111	1,655	506	821	328	3.88	–	125	–	14,738	2,494	2,556	1,384	2,189	18	6,097	8,304	16
23	–	–	2	8.5	8.1	3 1/2	3.65	123	1,655	518	814	323	3.83	–	125	–	14,732	2,496	2,546	1,387	2,185	16	6,102	8,303	23
30	–	54	54	8.6	8.2	4	3.60	86	1,655	538	795	322	3.80	–	125	–	14,735	2,541	2,531	1,387	2,188	15	6,071	8,275	30

1. Bank Rate, the minimum rate at which the Bank of Canada will make temporary loans or advances, stood at 2% from October 1950 to February 14, 1955 when it was reduced to 1½%. The rate was raised to 2% on August 5, 1955, to 2¼% on October 12, 1955, to 2¾% on November 18, 1955, to 3% on April 4, 1956, to 3¼% on August 9, 1956, and to 3½% on October 17, 1956. Since November 1, 1956, Bank Rate has been ¼ of 1% above the latest weekly average tender rate for 91-day Treasury Bills. 2. This table has been revised to show all holdings of Government of Canada direct and guaranteed securities at par value, and for this reason the figures for Bank of Canada and chartered bank holdings differ from those appearing on pages 314, 316 and 318. Foreign-pay issues are valued at uniform exchange rates of £1 = $2.80 U.S. = $2.80 Cdn. 3. Estimated par value. † Revised.

NOTE: For data back to July 1954 see pages 36–41 in the "Financial Supplement 1956".

TREASURY BILL RATES, GOVERNMENT BOND PRICES[1] AND MARKET YIELDS[2]

SELECTED ISSUES[3]

CANADA, UNITED STATES, UNITED KINGDOM

Bank of Canada

	Weighted Average of Tender Rates on 3 Month Treasury Bills[4]			Canada								United States						United Kingdom				
				3% Sept. 1/61–66		2¾% June 15/67–68		3¼% Jan. 15/75–78		3¼% Oct. 1/79		2½% Dec. 15/63–68		2½% Dec. 15/67–72		3¼% June 15/78–83		3% Apr. 15/59–69		3% Aug. 15/65–75		
	Canada	U.S.	U.K.	Price	Yield	Price	Yield	Price	Yield	Price	Yield	Price	Yield	Price	Yield	Price	Yield	Price	Yield	Price	Yield	
Wednesdays				*Cdn. $*		*Cdn. $*		*Cdn. $*		*Cdn. $*		*U.S. $*		*U.S. $*		*U.S. $*		£		£		**Wednesdays**
1955—Oct. 26	2.20	2.23	4.07	99 1/4	3.08	95 3/4	3.16	105 1/2	3.36	99 6/8	3.27	96 7/8	2.78	95 27/32	2.81	105 3/8	2.90	84 1/32	4.60	80 21/32	4.48	26 Oct. — 1955
Nov. 30	2.58	2.45	4.07	97 1/2	3.28	94 3/8	3.30	105	3.39	97 3/4	3.39	96 3/8	2.83	94 27/32	2.89	105 1/4	2.93	82 15/16	4.74	79	4.64	30 Nov.
Dec. 28	2.56	2.69	4.07	97 1/4	3.31	93 1/2	3.39	103 3/4	3.48	97 3/8	3.41	95 3/4	2.89	94 13/16	2.89	105 3/32	2.94	82 3/32	4.85	78 3/8	4.69	28 Dec.
1956—Jan. 25	2.53	2.25	4.07	98	3.22	94 1/2	3.29	104 1/2	3.43	98 3/8	3.35	96 1/2	2.83	95 3/4	2.82	105 3/4	2.90	80 13/32	5.04	77	4.83	25 Jan. — 1956
Feb. 29	2.56	2.41	5.20	98	3.23	95	3.25	105 1/4	3.37	99 1/8	3.30	96 15/16	2.83	95 23/32	2.83	105 11/16	2.90	80 1/2	5.06	76 7/8	4.85	29 Feb.
Mar. 28	2.64	2.17	5.17	97 1/8	3.33	93 1/2	3.40	103 1/2	3.49	97 3/8	3.41	94 23/32	3.00	93 15/16	2.96	104 3/32	3.00	79 1/32	5.23	75 1/32	5.03	28 Mar.
Apr. 25	2.89	2.79	5.01	94 3/4	3.61	92 1/2	3.51	100 3/4	3.69	94 1/2	3.60	93 23/32	3.10	92 25/32	3.06	102 1/8	3.12	80 13/32	5.08	75 13/16	4.96	25 Apr.
May 30	2.72	2.57	5.01	95 5/8	3.51	92 5/8	3.51	102	3.60	95 7/8	3.51	95 13/16	2.90	95 1/4	2.86	104 5/16	2.98	79	5.27	74 3/4	5.07	30 May
June 27	2.52	2.54	5.14	96 3/8	3.42	93 5/8	3.40	103 3/4	3.47	98	3.37	95 3/16	2.96	94 9/16	2.92	104 1/4	2.99	77 19/32	5.45	73 3/32	5.24	27 June
July 25	2.65	2.30	4.98	95 3/8	3.55	92 1/2	3.53	101 1/2	3.64	95 1/4	3.55	93 21/32	3.09	93 7/32	3.03	102 1/16	3.12	77 27/32	5.43	72 1/16	5.36	25 July
Aug. 29	2.90	2.83	5.02	93 7/8	3.74	90	3.81	99 1/2	3.78	93 1/8	3.69	91 1/32	3.35	90 15/16	3.22	100 3/32	3.25	79 1/4	5.28	74 1/4	5.14	29 Aug.
Sept. 26	3.16	2.99	5.09	92 7/8	3.87	89 1/2	3.88	98	3.89	91 1/2	3.81	92 1/8	3.27	91 13/16	3.15	100 1/8	3.24	77 17/32	5.51	72 5/32	5.37	26 Sept.
Oct. 31	3.34	2.89	5.00	92 1/4	3.96	89	3.94	98	3.89	91 1/8	3.84	91 11/16	3.34	90 23/32	3.24	99 3/16	3.30	78 3/4	5.37	72 3/8	5.35	31 Oct.
Nov. 28	3.52	3.17	5.02	91 1/8	4.11	88 3/4	3.97	97	3.96	90 3/4	3.86	90 31/32	3.42	89 15/32	3.34	98 1/4	3.35	77 3/4	5.49	71 1/4	5.47	28 Nov.
Dec. 26	3.67	3.22	4.86	90 7/8	4.16	88 3/4	3.98	96 3/4	3.98	90 1/4	3.90	90 15/32	3.48	88 9/16	3.44	97 1/2	3.39	78 13/32	5.43	72 13/32	5.36	26 Dec.
1957—Jan. 30	3.70	3.28	4.54	89 1/2	4.35	86 3/4	4.23	95	4.11	87	4.14	92 9/16	3.26	91 9/16	3.18	99 1/4	3.29	83	4.86	77 5/8	4.84	30 Jan. — 1957
Feb. 27	3.76	3.29	4.00	91 5/8	4.07	88 1/2	4.02	96 1/4	4.02	89 1/2	3.96	91 13/32	3.34	90 9/16	3.27	99 3/16	3.29	82 5/8	4.91	76 31/32	4.91	27 Feb.
Mar. 27	3.70	3.03	4.11	91 1/4	4.13	87 1/2	4.15	96 1/2	4.02	90	3.92	92 9/16	3.27	91 1/2	3.19	99 1/8	3.30	81 13/32	5.05	75 17/32	5.06	27 Mar.
Apr. 24	3.75	3.05	3.91	89 5/8	4.36	86	4.35	96 1/4	4.02	89 1/2	3.96	91 1/16	3.44	89 7/8	3.33	97 7/16	3.41	81 1/4	5.11	75	5.12	24 Apr.
May 29	3.76	3.25	3.92	89	4.46	85	4.49	94 1/2	4.15	86 3/4	4.17	89 1/2	3.62	88 7/16	3.47	96 1/8	3.48	79 5/16	5.38	72 25/32	5.36	29 May
June 26	3.81	3.23	3.85	88	4.62	84 1/2	4.56	94	4.19	86 3/4	4.17	87 1/4	3.89	86 3/8	3.66	93 7/8	3.61	78 1/32	5.45	70 9/16	5.60	26 June
July 31	3.81	3.36	3.82	87 3/4	4.67	83 1/2	4.71	93 1/4	4.25	85 3/4	4.25	87 1/2	3.87	86 13/16	3.63	93 1/4	3.66	79 9/16	5.38	70 3/4	5.59	31 July
Aug. 28	4.03	3.50	4.12	86 1/2	4.88	82 3/4	4.81	93	4.27	84 1/2	4.35	88 1/4	3.78	87 7/16	3.57	93	3.67	78 29/32	5.30	69 3/32	5.78	28 Aug.
Sept. 25	3.80	3.54	6.60	88 5/8	4.57	84	4.66	93	4.27	85	4.31	88	3.82	86 7/16	3.67	93 3/8	3.65	77 21/32	5.65	68 5/32	5.89	25 Sept.
Oct. 30	3.80	3.62	6.59	90 5/8	4.29	87 1/4	4.25	94 3/4	4.13	88 1/4	4.06	87 15/16	3.84	86 1/8	3.70	92 5/8	3.70	77 7/8	5.63	68 5/8	5.86	30 Oct.
Weekly																						**Weekly**
1957—May 15	3.78	2.89	3.83	89 1/4	4.42	85 1/4	4.45	95	4.11	87	4.15	90 3/8	3.51	89 1/4	3.39	96 15/16	3.43	80 7/8	5.17	73 21/32	5.26	15 May—1957
22	3.76	3.12	3.91	89	4.46	84 3/4	4.51	94 3/4	4.13	86 3/4	4.17	90 1/2	3.50	89 1/2	3.37	96 15/16	3.43	79 15/16	5.29	72 19/32	5.38	22
29	3.76	3.25	3.92	89	4.46	85	4.49	94 1/2	4.15	86 3/4	4.17	89 1/2	3.62	88 7/16	3.47	96 1/8	3.48	79 5/16	5.38	72 25/32	5.36	29
June 5	3.79	3.37	3.91	89	4.46	85	4.49	94 7/8	4.12	86 7/8	4.16	89 1/8	3.67	88 1/4	3.49	96	3.49	78 15/32	5.48	71 11/32	5.52	5 June
12	3.79	3.26	3.86	88 7/8	4.48	85	4.49	95 1/8	4.10	86 7/8	4.16	88 13/16	3.70	88	3.51	95 1/2	3.52	77 29/32	5.57	70 29/32	5.56	12
19	3.80	3.40	3.86	88 1/2	4.55	84 3/4	4.53	94 1/2	4.15	86 3/4	4.17	87 1/16	3.91	86 1/4	3.67	93 5/8	3.63	78 11/32	5.52	71 11/32	5.52	19
26	3.81	3.23	3.85	88	4.62	84 1/2	4.56	94	4.19	86 3/4	4.17	87 1/4	3.89	86 3/8	3.66	93 7/8	3.61	78 1/32	5.45	70 9/16	5.60	26
July 3	3.81	3.24	3.85	88 1/4	4.58	84 3/4	4.53	94 1/4	4.17	86 3/4	4.17	87 3/4	3.84	87 9/16	3.59	94 9/16	3.57	78 9/32	5.56	70 1/2	5.62	3 July
10	3.81	3.17	3.85	88 1/8	4.60	84 1/2	4.56	93 1/2	4.23	86 1/4	4.21	87 3/4	3.84	87 1/4	3.58	94 3/8	3.59	77 23/32	5.61	70 1/2	5.62	10
17	3.81	3.09	3.84	87 3/4	4.67	84 1/8	4.60	93 1/8	4.25	86	4.23	87 5/8	3.85	87	3.61	94 9/16	3.60	77	5.71	69 1/4	5.76	17
24	3.80	3.16	3.85	87 3/4	4.67	84 1/8	4.62	93 1/8	4.25	85 3/4	4.25	86 15/16	3.93	86 5/16	3.66	93 5/16	3.65	78 5/8	5.49	70 5/16	5.64	24
31	3.81	3.36	3.82	87 3/4	4.67	83 1/2	4.71	93 1/4	4.25	85 3/4	4.25	87 1/2	3.87	86 13/16	3.63	93 1/4	3.66	79 9/16	5.38	70 3/4	5.59	31
Aug. 7	3.92	3.31	3.88	87 1/4	4.74	83 1/4	4.74	93	4.27	85 1/4	4.29	87 7/8	3.83	87 3/16	3.61	92 7/8	3.68	80 1/16	5.30	71 5/16	5.53	7 Aug.
14	4.03	3.50	3.99	86 7/8	4.80	83	4.78	92 3/4	4.29	85	4.31	87 1/2	3.87	86 11/16	3.64	92 7/16	3.71	79 3/4	5.36	70 3/8	5.63	14
21	4.08	3.35	4.05	86 1/2	4.88	82 3/4	4.81	92 3/4	4.29	84 7/8	4.35	88 1/16	3.81	87 3/8	3.57	93 5/16	3.65	78 15/16	5.46	69 1/16	5.78	21
28	4.03	3.50	4.12	86 1/2	4.88	82 3/4	4.81	93	4.27	84 1/2	4.35	88 1/4	3.78	87 7/16	3.57	93	3.67	78 29/32	5.46	69 3/32	5.78	28
Sept. 4	4.01	3.57	4.22	87 1/8	4.76	83 1/8	4.76	93	4.27	85	4.31	89	3.70	88	3.52	93 11/16	3.63	78 19/32	5.53	68 13/32	5.84	4 Sept.
11	4.00	3.58	4.23	87 1/8	4.78	83 1/8	4.76	93	4.27	85	4.31	88 3/4	3.73	87 11/16	3.55	94 1/8	3.60	79 25/32	5.37	69 25/32	5.76	11
18	3.93	3.63	6.60	88 3/8	4.60	83 5/8	4.71	93	4.27	84 3/4	4.33	88	3.82	86 11/16	3.65	93	3.67	80 3/32	5.32	70 11/32	5.64	18
25	3.80	3.54	6.60	88 5/8	4.57	84	4.66	93	4.27	85	4.31	88	3.82	86 7/16	3.67	93 3/8	3.65	77 21/32	5.65	68 5/32	5.89	25
Oct. 2	3.84	3.53	6.61	88 1/2	4.59	84	4.67	93 1/4	4.25	85 3/4	4.25	87 7/8	3.84	86 1/2	3.66	93 5/8	3.63	77 11/32	5.71	68 3/32	5.91	2 Oct.
9	3.87	3.53	6.60	88 5/8	4.57	84 1/2	4.60	93 1/4	4.25	86 1/4	4.22	88 3/16	3.81	86 3/4	3.65	93 3/16	3.66	77 17/32	5.69	68 15/16	5.81	9
16	3.88	3.66	6.60	89 1/8	4.50	86	4.41	93 1/2	4.23	87 1/4	4.14	87 3/8	3.89	85 13/16	3.73	92 5/8	3.70	78	5.61	68 15/16	5.81	16
23	3.83	3.62	6.60	90 1/4	4.34	86 1/2	4.35	94	4.19	88	4.08	87 13/16	3.85	86	3.72	92 5/8	3.70	78 3/16	5.58	68 13/16	5.84	23
30	3.80	3.62	6.59	90 5/8	4.29	87 1/4	4.25	94 3/4	4.13	88 1/4	4.06	87 15/16	3.84	86 1/8	3.70	92 5/8	3.70	77 7/8	5.63	68 5/8	5.86	30

1. Government bond prices are closing bids at the Wednesday date for Canadian and United States issues. Prices of the United Kingdom Apr. 15/59–69 issue are closing transactions at the Wednesday date and of the United Kingdom Aug. 15/65–75 issue are approximate mid-market transactions at the Wednesday date. All prices exclude accrued interest.
2. Market yields are based on the prices shown and are expressed as per cent per annum to maturity date if at a discount and to earliest call date if at a premium.
3. On Jan. 1st, 1957 the amounts outstanding for the four Canadian bond issues were $1,692 million, $350 million, $100 million, and $400 million respectively; for the three United States bond issues, $2,824 million, $3,785 million, and $1,606 million respectively; and for the two United Kingdom bond issues £296 million and £1,073 million respectively.
4. Treasury Bill tender rates are at the date nearest the Wednesday shown. In Canada tenders are received on Thursday, in the United States on Monday, and in the United Kingdom on Friday.

NOTE: FOR 1950–1952 DATA SEE PAGES 52–55 IN THE "FINANCIAL SUPPLEMENT 1954" AND FOR 1953–1956 DATA SEE PAGES 44–51 IN THE "FINANCIAL SUPPLEMENT 1956".

SECURITY ISSUES AND RETIREMENTS★

Bank of Canada

Par Values in Millions of Canadian Dollars

Total Provincial, Municipal, Corporate & "Other" Securities

	Gross New Issues			Retirements			Net New Issues		
	Canadian Dollars Only	Other Currencies 2	Total	Canadian Dollars Only	Other Currencies 2	Total	Canadian Dollars Only	Other Currencies 2	**Total**
Calendar Years									
1953	1,130	354	1,484	385	58	443	745	296	**1,041**
1954	1,569	263	1,832	519	122	641	1,050	141	**1,191**
1955	1,882	96	1,978	642†	122†	764†	1,240†	−26†	**1,214†**
1956	2,168	551	2,719	417	67	484	1,751	484	**2,235**
Quarters									
1955—IV	475	–	475	188†	19	207†	287†	−19	**268†**
1956—I	473†	119	592†	110†	13†	123	363†	106†	**469†**
II	565†	132	697†	115†	12	127†	450	120	**570**
III	541	164	705	87	8	95	454	156	**610**
IV	589	136	725	105	34	139	484	102	**586**
1957—I	541	224	765	145	47	192	396	177	**573**
II	622	239	861	94	68	162	528	171	**699**
III	400	125	525	81	21	102	319	104	**423**

Provincial Direct and Guaranteed Securities

	Gross New Issues			Retirements 1			Net New Issues		
	Canadian Dollars Only	Other Currencies	Total	Canadian Dollars Only	Other Currencies	Total	Canadian Dollars Only	Other Currencies	**Total**
Calendar Years									
1953	251	140	391	91	28	119	160	112	**272**
1954	380	116	496	133	69	202	247	47	**294**
1955	372	–	372	111	50	161	261	−50	**211**
1956	418	214	632	72	23	95	346	191	**537**
Monthly									
Oct. — 1955	20	–	20	5	–	5	15	–	**15**
Nov.	–	–	–	4	1	5	−4	−1	**−5**
Dec.	3	–	3	7	2	9	−4	−2	**−6**
IV	23	–	23	16	3	19	7	−3	**4**
Jan. — 1956	65	87	152	2	2	4	63	85	**148**
Feb.	–	5	5	2	2	4	−2	3	**1**
Mar.	14	–	14	7	–	7	7	–	**7**
I	79	92	171	11	4	15	68	88	**156**
Apr.	9	–	9	9	–	9	–	–	–
May	65	50	115	1	2	3	64	48	**112**
June	5	–	5	19	4	23	−14	−4	**−18**
II	79	50	129	29	6	35	50	44	**94**
July	81	39	120	10	1	11	71	38	**109**
Aug.	9	–	9	2	1	3	7	−1	**6**
Sept.	4	–	4	4	1	5	–	−1	**−1**
III	94	39	133	16	3	19	78	36	**114**
Oct.	84	–	84	3	–	3	81	–	**81**
Nov.	8	–	8	7	1	8	1	−1	**–**
Dec.	74	33	107	6	9	15	68	24	**92**
IV	166	33	199	16	10	26	150	23	**173**
Jan. — 1957	36	15	51	8	3	11	28	12	**40**
Feb.	54	48	102	5	2	7	49	46	**95**
Mar.	30	–	30	66	–	66	−36	–	**−36**
I	120	63	183	79	5	84	41	58	**99**
Apr.	125	3	128	1	2	3	124	1	**125**
May	6	43	49	5	6	11	1	37	**38**
June	10	–	10	4	55	59	6	−55	**−49**
II	141	46	187	10	63	73	131	−17	**114**
July	83	–	83	17	1	18	66	−1	**65**
Aug.	6	–	6	1	9	10	5	−9	**−4**
Sept.	3	–	3	3	3	6	–	−3	**−3**
III	92	–	92	21	13	34	71	−13	**58**

Municipal Direct and Guaranteed Securities 3

	Gross New Issues			Retirements			Net New Issues		
	Canadian Dollars Only	Other Currencies	Total	Canadian Dollars Only 4	Other Currencies	Total	Canadian Dollars Only	Other Currencies	**Total**
Calendar Years									
1953	221	72	293	86	17	103	135	55	**190**
1954	340	31	371	89	20	109	251	11	**262**
1955	291	42	333	101	22	123	190	20	**210**
1956	235	108	343	112	24	136	123	84	**207**
Quarters									
1955—IV	102	–	102	26	10	36	76	−10	**66**
1956—I	38	5	43	27	3	30	11	2	**13**
II	98	32	130	28	4	32	70	28	**98**
III	32	59	91	28	2	30	4	57	**61**
IV	67	12	79	29	15	44	38	−3	**35**
1957—I	61	32	93	30	3	33	31	29	**60**
II	55	8	63	31	4	35	24	4	**28**
III	44	64	108	31	3	34	13	61	**74**

Corporate and "Other" Securities 5

	Gross New Issues			Retirements			Net New Issues		
	Canadian Dollars Only	Other Currencies 2	Total	Canadian Dollars Only	Other Currencies 2	Total	Canadian Dollars Only	Other Currencies 2	**Total**
Calendar Years									
1953	658	142	800	208	13	221	450	129	**579**
1954	849	116	965	297	33	330	552	83	**635**
1955	1,219	54	1,273	430†	50†	480†	789†	4†	**793†**
1956	1,515	229	1,744	233	20	253	1,282	209	**1,491**
Quarters									
IV—1955	350	–	350	146†	6	152†	204†	−6	**198†**
I — 1956	356†	22	378†	72†	6†	78	284†	16†	**300†**
II	388†	50	438†	58†	2	60†	330	48	**378**
III	415	66	481	43	3	46	372	63	**435**
IV	356	91	447	60	9	69	296	82	**378**
I — 1957	360	129	489	36	39	75	324	90	**414**
II	426	185	611	53	1	54	373	184	**557**
III	264	61	325	29	5	34	235	56	**291**

	Gross New Issues	Retirements	Net New Issues
1952	23	2	21
1953	42	3	39
1954	39	4	35
1955	45	11	34
1956	57	9	48

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Details of Government of Canada Direct and Guaranteed Securities are shown on pages 282–283.

1. Excludes payments into sinking funds.
2. Includes Canadian stock issues with dividends payable in U.S. dollars.
3. Excludes issues guaranteed by provinces which are already included in "Provincial Direct and Guaranteed". Also excludes issues sold directly to provinces which are estimated to be as follows:

NOTE: For calendar year 1952 and first half of 1955

4. No information is available on retirements of Canadian dollar municipal bonds on a quarterly basis and annual estimates have been prorated over the four quarters.
5. For detail see table on page 332.

† Revised.

DATA SEE PAGES 56–57 IN THE "FINANCIAL SUPPLEMENT 1956".

CORPORATE AND "OTHER" SECURITY ISSUES AND RETIREMENTS★

Par Values in Millions of Canadian Dollars — *Bank of Canada*

	Corporate Bonds and Debentures [1]								
	Gross New Issues			Retirements			Net New Issues		
	Canadian Dollars Only	Other Currencies	Total	Canadian Dollars Only	Other Currencies	Total	Canadian Dollars Only	Other Currencies	Total
Calendar Years									
1953	394	114	508	148	13	161	246	101	**347**
1954	576	115	691	218	33	251	358	82	**440**
1955	681	9	690	331†	47†	378†	350†	−38†	**312†**
1956	819	229	1,048	211	20	231	608	209	**817**
Monthly									
1955—Oct.	112	–	112						
Nov.	38	–	38						
Dec.	61	–	61						
IV	211	–	211	109†	6	115†	102†	−6	**96†**
1956—Jan.	90	1	91						
Feb.	56	20	76						
Mar.	90	1	91						
I	236	22	258	68†	6†	74†	168†	16†	**184†**
Apr.	91	–	91						
May	55	17	72						
June	52	33	85						
II	198	50	248	51	2	53	147	48	**195**
July	65	39	104						
Aug.	24	–	24						
Sept.	90	27	117						
III	179	66	245	37	3	40	142	63	**205**
Oct.	62	5	67						
Nov.	77	57	134						
Dec.	67	29	96						
IV	206	91	297	55	9	64	151	82	**233**
1957—Jan.	48	39	87						
Feb.	130	80	210						
Mar.	84	10	94						
I	262	129	391	34	6	40	228	123	**351**
Apr.	153	140	293						
May	71	16	87						
June	67	29	96						
II	291	185	476	50	1	51	241	184	**425**
July	19	10	29						
Aug.	5	2	7						
Sept.	24	49	73						
III	48	61	109	28	5	33	20	56	**76**

	"Other" Bonds and Debentures [2]			Preferred Stocks			Common Stocks		
	Gross New Issues	Retirements	Net New Issues	Gross New Issues [3]	Retirements [4]	Net New Issues	Gross New Issues [3, 5]	Retirements	Net New Issues
Calendar Years									
1953	3	7	**−4**	83	32	**51**	206	21	**185**
1954	35	12	**23**	92	66	**26**	147	1	**146**
1955	52	27	**25**	170	75	**95**	361	–	**361**
1956	13	9	**4**	184	13	**171**	499	–	**499**
Quarters									
1955—IV	16	4	**12**	72	33	**39**	51	–	**51**
1956—I	4	2	**2**	33†	2†	**31**	83	–	**83**
II	3	2	**1**	83†	5†	**78**	104	–	**104**
III	1	2	**−1**	34	4	**30**	201	–	**201**
IV	5	3	**2**	34	2	**32**	111	–	**111**
1957—I	9	2	**7**	19	33	**−14**	70	–	**70**
II	–	2	**−2**	14	1	**13**	121	–	**121**
III	–	1	**−1**	62	–	**62**	154	–	**154**

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1. Includes issues of Canadian corporations (including CNR issues not guaranteed by the Government of Canada) payable in Canadian dollars or other currencies except in those few cases where issues are sold abroad in foreign currencies and the proceeds are used outside Canada. Also includes Canadian dollar issues of foreign corporations when the proceeds are used in Canada. No liabilities of trust and loan companies are included.
2. Consists of issues of Canadian religious and other institutions and Canadian dollar issues of Australia and I.B.R.D. New issues of Australia amounted to $15 million in 1955 and those of I.B.R.D. amounted to $15 million in 1952, $25 million in 1954, and $15 million in 1955 and retirements to $15 million in 1955. These are all Canadian dollar issues.
3. At offering prices.
4. Includes retirement of $3 million stock in third quarter 1955 and of $33 million stock in first quarter of 1957 having dividends payable in U.S. dollars.
5. Includes stock issues having dividends payable in U.S. dollars of $28 million in 1953, $1 million in 1954, $44 million in the first quarter of 1955 and $1 million in the second quarter of 1955. † Revised.

NOTE: For calendar year 1952 and first half of 1955 data see page 58 in the "Financial Supplement 1956".

STOCK MARKET STATISTICS

Toronto, Montreal and Canadian Stock Exchanges; Dominion Bureau of Statistics

	Brokers' Loans [1] (Millions of Dollars)	Market Transactions [1]		Index Numbers of Common Stock Prices [2] (1935–39 = 100)						
		Volume (Millions of Shares)	Value (Millions of Dollars)	Investors' Total	Industrials			Total Utilities	Golds	Base Metals
					Total	Pulp & Paper	Oils			
1955—Aug.	102.9	138.8	340.4	245.3	252.3	1,066.9	164.7	207.0	76.3	250.0
Sept.	98.8	144.3	333.6	255.9	265.9	1,098.2	174.1	211.2	75.3	252.0
Oct.	102.2	104.8	287.4	239.9	248.9	1,044.9	164.1	200.6	71.0	224.2
Nov.	107.6	94.0	264.5	245.6	255.3	1,062.5	168.8	201.4	71.2	230.2
Dec.	120.3	101.0	256.9	247.6	257.0	1,073.3	170.8	204.2	72.6	233.0
1956—Jan.	121.5	139.3	247.1	248.5	257.0	1,070.0	175.5	206.5	75.8	238.1
Feb.	123.2	219.1	304.4	249.2	258.1	1,077.3	182.6	204.1	76.7	235.8
Mar.	117.1	212.9	439.3	267.9	280.3	1,153.0	205.2	210.2	79.4	260.2
Apr.	131.3	258.1	479.6	273.0	286.2	1,123.9	210.0	209.3	78.8	269.7
May	129.6	148.1	399.6	268.5	282.9	1,192.5	211.7	204.2	78.8	268.5
June	133.4	103.3	259.4	267.0	283.0	1,146.0	219.4	199.8	76.7	273.1
July	139.3	104.6	309.0	282.4	299.0	1,185.8	234.9	207.9	79.5	291.5
Aug.	136.1	106.0	324.3	291.8	308.9	1,175.3	250.1	215.7	79.5	301.9
Sept.	123.7	81.6	213.3	278.9	294.4	1,077.2	243.7	209.2	74.1	282.2
Oct.	118.3	94.0	239.7	270.3	284.8	1,024.9	236.2	205.1	72.5	273.3
Nov.	103.6	80.4	255.4	262.3	276.0	994.2	239.2	200.3	68.6	262.2
Dec.	102.2	78.4	199.0	267.8	281.7	998.9	244.8	203.6	68.9	267.8
1957—Jan.	97.3	136.8	275.0	273.7	287.3	1,005.3	251.6	207.5	70.6	265.7
Feb.	100.7	108.3	200.3	263.2	276.0	946.4	244.8	203.6	69.3	243.2
Mar.	95.5	128.7	242.3	267.5	281.0	966.4	246.2	209.2	68.1	249.6
Apr.	114.0	124.6	310.9	278.8	294.2	997.0	262.9	212.5	72.4	255.4
May	109.6	117.5	324.4	287.6	304.8	996.4	278.8	216.1	76.2	234.2
June	115.1	100.7	280.6	286.9	303.5	998.9	275.6	216.8	80.6	227.7
July	119.5	76.9	247.2	284.7	301.6	991.9	274.2	213.8	79.3	222.2
Aug.	94.3	70.1	221.5	259.0	272.4	915.9	245.9	200.6	73.2	192.6
Sept.	81.9	56.3	173.7	242.2	252.8	861.3	225.5	191.2	71.4	180.7
Oct.*		71.7		219.6	228.0	813.4	195.7	176.7	63.4	167.2

1. Toronto, Montreal and Canadian Stock Exchanges. Brokers' loan data are for the last business day of the month and include borrowings from chartered banks, trust companies and other sources. Customers' free credit balances are not included. 2. Calculated by the Dominion Bureau of Statistics from Montreal and Toronto exchange quotations. Monthly series is an average of Thursday closing prices during the month. * Preliminary.

NOTE: For data back to 1953 see page 55 in the "Financial Supplement 1956".

ESTIMATED DISTRIBUTION OF GENERAL PUBLIC HOLDINGS OF MARKETABLE DIRECT AND GUARANTEED SECURITIES

DECEMBER 31, 1945 TO 1956 INCLUSIVE

Millions of Dollars — *Bank of Canada*

	1945	1946	1947	1948	1949	1950	1951	1952	1953	1954	1955	1956*
Non-Residents	1,182	1,065	1,030	1,138	1,279	1,367	1,207	1,022	903	792	647	584
Life insurance companies	1,659	1,766	1,754	1,585	1,414	1,229	1,079	1,009	960	845	785	601
Other insurance companies	151	162	173	188	202	216	241	264	304	316	332	333
Quebec savings banks	67	77	85	95	97	93	90	96	92	65	55	45
Trust and loan companies	161	189	196	183	183	185	175	165	160	210	193	162
Other financial institutions	194	190	187	127	128	139	152	125	150	200	300	350
Non-financial companies	1,195	1,036	727	670	715	930	895	740	695	615	715	650
Provincial governments	312	316	334	363	398	427	426	430	435	468	498	507
Municipal governments	124	129	120	102	96	81	75	68	68	55	86	54
Resident non-corporate sector [1]	5,746	4,934	4,667	4,329	4,106	4,067	3,736	3,740	3,740	2,963	2,917	2,929
Total General Public	**10,791**	**9,864**	**9,273**	**8,780**	**8,618**	**8,734**	**8,076**	**7,659**	**7,507**	**6,529**	**6,528**	**6,215**

1. All residual errors are included here. * Preliminary.

GOVERNMENT OF CANADA THEORETICAL BOND YIELDS[1]

Bank of Canada

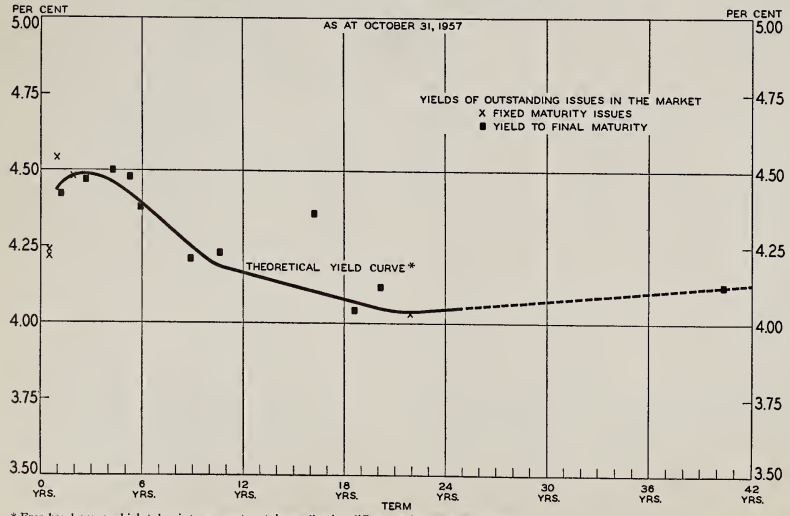
Percent per Annum

	1 Year	2 Years	3 Years	5 Years	10 Years	15 Years	20 Years	25 Years
1956—July 13	2.97	3.30	3.43	3.56	3.48	3.46	3.45	3.44
31	3.20	3.44	3.56	3.68	3.58	3.59	3.60	3.61
Aug. 15	3.69	3.93	3.97	3.95	3.78	3.76	3.75	3.74
31	3.57	3.86	3.89	3.88	3.78	3.77	3.76	3.76
Sept. 15	3.87	3.94	3.96	3.91	3.79	3.78	3.78	3.78
29	3.80	3.95	4.01	4.05	3.87	3.88	3.88	3.88
Oct. 15	3.82	3.97	4.03	4.05	3.86	3.85	3.84	3.84
31	4.03	4.12	4.17	4.19	3.94	3.90	3.87	3.85
Nov. 15	4.11	4.24	4.35	4.41	4.02	3.93	3.90	3.89
30	4.32	4.46	4.50	4.51	4.13	3.98	3.93	3.92
Dec. 14	4.32	4.48	4.51	4.51	4.08	3.97	3.95	3.94
31	4.41	4.56	4.60	4.60	4.10	4.01	4.00	3.99
1957—Jan. 15	4.62	4.84	4.84	4.67	4.23	4.13	4.10	4.08
31	4.74	4.80	4.81	4.79	4.28	4.18	4.16	4.13
Feb. 15	4.43	4.49	4.52	4.54	4.05	4.03	4.02	4.01
28	4.08	4.26	4.38	4.45	4.03	4.00	3.98	3.97
Mar. 15	4.07	4.21	4.29	4.35	4.05	4.01	3.97	3.95
29	4.18	4.29	4.37	4.41	4.13	4.06	3.99	3.95
Apr. 15	4.14	4.34	4.43	4.49	4.20	4.10	4.00	3.94
30	4.18	4.49	4.58	4.61	4.35	4.16	4.01	3.96
May 15	4.25	4.58	4.64	4.64	4.40	4.27	4.15	4.11
31	4.33	4.68	4.74	4.69	4.46	4.31	4.17	4.14
June 15	4.30	4.65	4.73	4.77	4.47	4.30	4.16	4.14
28	4.35	4.72	4.81	4.82	4.56	4.37	4.20	4.18
July 15	4.38	4.70	4.80	4.84	4.61	4.42	4.25	4.22
31	4.23	4.68	4.76	4.79	4.64	4.45	4.26	4.24
Aug. 15	4.77	4.90	4.95	4.95	4.81	4.56	4.30	4.27
30	4.60	4.84	4.89	4.90	4.72	4.52	4.32	4.26
Sept. 13	4.83	4.94	4.97	4.93	4.73	4.54	4.34	4.29
30	4.83	4.86	4.85	4.78	4.57	4.42	4.27	4.27
Oct. 15	4.78	4.80	4.78	4.68	4.43	4.30	4.18	4.17
31	4.45	4.48	4.49	4.44	4.20	4.12	4.05	4.06

1. Obtained as indicated by chart below.

NOTE; For 1952 data see page 38 in the "Financial Supplement 1955" and for 1953–1956 data see pages 42–43 in the 'Financial Supplement 1956''

GOVERNMENT OF CANADA THEORETICAL BOND YIELDS



* Free-hand curve which takes into account certain qualitative differences in outstanding issues.

CANADIAN INVESTMENT TRANSACTIONS OF TWELVE LIFE INSURANCE COMPANIES[1]

Millions of Dollars

Net Investment in:—		Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	Apr.	May	June	July	Aug.	Sept.	9 Month Total*	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.	Annual Total*
Govt. of Canada Bonds[2]	1954	−6.2	8.0	−14.6	−10.6	−30.0	−1.1	−11.4	−0.6	−10.4	−76.8	7.6	−12.3	−15.2	−96.7
	1955	7.4	−2.6	−11.4	15.8	−10.4	−15.1	−8.4	1.3	3.8	−19.6	5.0	−2.7	−22.2	−39.4
	1956	−10.7	−11.4	−17.9	−26.7	−9.1	−24.7	−21.5	−7.6	5.3	−124.2	−6.3	−6.3	−11.1	−147.8
	1957	−10.1	3.2	−5.2	−11.7	−1.3	1.3	1.1	3.3	−10.2	−29.6				
Provincial Bonds[2]	1954	2.7	3.7	4.1	1.1	18.3	−2.5	2.9	−6.4	−3.8	20.1	1.2	−4.0	−2.2	15.1
	1955	−4.6	−2.0	16.2	−1.1	−0.6	−1.0	2.4	−7.9	−1.2	0.2	−0.9	−1.6	−0.3	−2.7
	1956	13.6	0.1	−8.5	0.4	12.0	−5.4	5.9	−3.6	−1.6	12.9	3.9	−1.2	2.1	17.7
	1957	1.7	4.5	0.3	13.0	−9.5	−8.6	1.1	−4.0	−1.8	−3.5				
Municipal Bonds[2]	1954	0.3	0.9	3.0	2.9	1.1	0.9	3.1	1.2	1.3	14.7	1.1	0.6	0.4	16.8
	1955	2.6	2.1	0.9	−1.4	1.0	2.4	−0.7	3.2	0.7	10.9	1.4	2.1	8.1	22.6
	1956	1.7	3.7	0.7	2.8	1.9	9.7	3.1	0.7	−0.3	24.1	1.4	1.3	1.5	28.2
	1957	2.8	4.3	1.8	−0.2	−1.7	0.1	−1.0	1.4	0.5	8.0				
Corporate & Other Bonds	1954	9.4	5.8	18.7	17.3	3.6	7.9	6.1	0.2	10.8	79.7	−4.7	15.9	1.6	92.5
	1955	1.3	−2.3	8.0	−6.3	23.0	8.6	−1.1	−4.2	−8.8	18.2	−2.2	7.6	11.0	34.7
	1956	31.2	17.2	30.9	21.2	2.3	6.9	−1.7	8.1	−5.9	110.2	3.4	2.6	12.4	128.4
	1957	15.0	7.9	7.7	19.7	3.0	1.8	4.1	1.3	2.2	62.6				
Pref. & Com. Stocks	1954	−0.5	−0.5	−0.5	−0.4	−0.3	−0.1	−0.6	−0.7	−1.1	−4.6	0.4	0.2	0.9	−3.2
	1955	0.3	0.3	0.4	0.5	−0.2	−1.5	−1.5	−0.6	−0.5	−2.9	−0.5	0.2	4.3	1.1
	1956	0.1	0.5	–	0.1	0.2	1.3	0.7	−1.0	–	1.7	−0.3	−0.2	0.2	1.3
	1957	−0.2	0.7	0.9	0.7	0.1	−0.9	−1.1	0.2	0.3	0.7				
Mortgage Loans (Gross)[3]	1954	22.2	19.0	22.0	21.3	24.8	29.4	32.6	34.4	38.7	244.4	33.0	42.2	37.5	357.1
	1955	33.8	26.8	28.0	23.8	33.7	38.3	45.5	44.0	46.8	320.7	41.0	40.4	39.3	441.3
	1956	35.9	27.6	27.5	27.4	34.5	46.6	45.7	50.7	45.1	340.9	52.5	45.0	40.2	478.6
	1957	37.5	25.6	25.6	24.1	33.8	39.9	48.0	34.5	31.4	300.4				
Real Estate[4]	1954	1.0	1.2	0.8	1.8	2.0	3.4	3.0	1.7	2.6	17.4	2.5	2.5	4.7	27.1
	1955	0.7	4.6	5.0	1.2	1.9	1.9	2.6	3.7	0.9	22.4	0.1	2.0	0.4	24.8
	1956	2.5	0.4	1.9	0.5	6.5	0.9	1.1	1.2	1.5	16.4	1.5	1.0	5.1	24.0
	1957	1.2	1.2	1.6	1.8	8.1	4.2	2.0	3.0	1.6	24.6				
Policy Loans	1954	1.0	0.8	1.2	1.3	1.2	1.3	1.0	0.9	1.1	9.8	1.0	0.7	0.6	12.1
	1955	0.8	0.6	1.0	0.9	0.8	0.9	0.7	0.5	0.7	6.9	0.6	0.3	0.3	8.1
	1956	0.8	0.9	1.0	1.2	2.0	2.2	1.5	1.6	1.7	12.8	1.8	1.3	0.5	16.5
	1957	1.7	1.9	1.9	2.1	2.0	1.6	1.4	1.6	1.9	15.9				
Total[5]	1954	29.9	38.9	34.7	34.7	20.7	39.2	36.7	30.7	39.2	304.7	42.1	45.8	28.3	420.8
	1955	42.3	27.5	48.1	33.4	49.2	34.5	39.5	40.0	42.4	356.8	44.5	48.3	40.9	490.5
	1956	75.1	39.0	35.6	26.9	50.3	37.5	34.8	50.1	45.8	394.8	57.9	43.5	50.9	546.9
	1957	49.6	49.2	34.7	49.5	34.5	39.4	55.6	41.3	25.9	379.2				
Net Source of Funds:—															
Mortgage Repayments (Gross)[3]	1954	11.3	10.3	11.8	10.4	11.7	10.8	12.1	11.5	12.1	101.8	12.1	12.7	10.1	136.7
	1955	14.2	11.0	13.1	11.7	14.1	13.6	13.0	13.5	13.2	117.4	14.3	14.4	12.4	158.5
	1956	15.6	12.5	13.2	14.4	17.2	15.3	17.2	15.0	14.1	134.6	22.6	14.9	13.5	185.6
	1957	16.0	12.9	14.1	14.9	15.8	14.7	19.0	15.3	16.5	139.1				
Funds Transferred From Abroad	1954	−2.5	–	2.6	−0.7	2.1	2.4	3.2	2.3	2.6	12.0	3.9	2.6	4.4	22.8
	1955	1.6	0.1	3.4	−0.1	4.0	1.6	4.8	1.4	0.4	17.3	6.6	−1.1	12.7	35.5
	1956	17.0	7.2	3.3	−8.5	5.8	2.0	3.0	9.2	8.1	47.0	19.4	7.3	8.9	82.5
	1957	2.3	6.0	4.3	4.3	−0.2	3.2	7.7	4.2	−11.0	20.7				
Balancing Item★	1954	21.1	28.6	20.3	25.0	6.9	26.0	21.4	16.9	24.5	190.9	26.1	30.5	13.8	261.3
	1955	26.5	16.4	31.6	21.8	31.1	19.3	21.7	25.1	28.8	222.1	23.6	35.0	15.8	296.5
	1956	42.5	19.3	19.1	21.0	27.3	20.2	14.6	25.9	23.6	213.2	15.9	21.3	28.5	278.8
	1957	31.3	30.3	16.3	30.3	18.9	21.5	28.9	21.8	20.4	219.4				

1. Data are based on cash transactions affecting ledger assets and taking place in Canadian dollars, by 12 companies whose net premium income in Canada in 1956 was 77.6% of the total for all companies registered under the federal Insurance Acts. Total Canadian assets of these 12 companies at December 31, 1950 to 1956 are shown on page 87.
2. Includes guaranteed bonds.
3. Includes sale agreements.
4. Includes real estate for the production of income.
5. Includes gross mortgage loans.

* Figures rounded to the nearest $100,000. Due to rounding, totals may not equal the sum of the monthly components.

★ Represents mainly Canadian dollars available from insurance operations *plus* any reduction or *minus* any increase in Canadian dollar cash balances.

NOTE: For 1952 data see page 56 in the "Financial Supplement 1955" and for 1953–1956 data see page 63 in the "Financial Supplement 1956".

INSTALMENT FINANCE COMPANIES : RETAIL AND WHOLESALE FINANCING

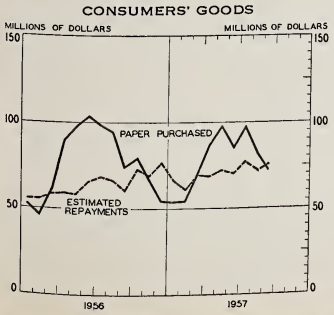
Dominion Bureau of Statistics

Millions of Dollars

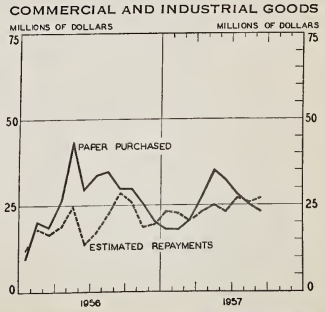
	Consumers' Goods									Commercial and Industrial Goods									Total Retail			
	Paper Purchased			Estimated Repayments [1]			Balances Outstanding (end of period)			Paper Purchased			Estimated Repayments [1]			Balances Outstanding (end of period)						
	Passenger Cars [2]	Other	Total	Passenger Cars [2]	Other	Total	Passenger Cars [2]	Other	Total	Comm. Vehicles [2]	Other	Total	Comm. Vehicles [2]	Other	Total	Comm. Vehicles [2]	Other	Total	Paper Purchased	Estimated Repayments [1]	Balances Outstanding (end of period)	
Calendar Years																						**Calendar Years**
1951	255	45	300	262	55	317	161	24	185	128	40	168	99	32	131	95	33	128	467	447	313	1951
1952	477	114	591	339	64	403	299	74	373	162	66	228	137	52	189	120	47	167	819	592	540	1952
1953	574	145	719	462	114	576	411	105	516	153	76	229	150	62	212	123	61	184	948	787	701	1953
1954	507	124	631	524	131	655	394	98	492	111	63	174	130	64	194	104	60	164	805	850	656	1954
1955	604	156	759	519	132	652	478	121	599	123	95	218	121	70	190	106	85	192	977	842	791	1955
1956	746	179	925	611	157	768	614	143	756	165	159	324	133	104	236	138	141	279	1,248	1,004	1,035	1956
Quarterly																						**Quarterly**
1954—III	142	31	173	135	33	168	429	94	523	28	17	45	32	16	48	113	63	176	218	216	699	III—1954
IV	95	40	135	130	36	166	394	98	492	24	15	39	33	18	51	104	60	164	174	217	656	IV
1955—I	101	33	134	106	27	134	388	103	492	19	15	35	33	17	50	91	58	149	168	184	640	I—1955
II	196	34	229	130	35	165	454	102	555	36	27	63	30	13	43	96	72	169	292	208	724	II
III	185	41	226	141	34	175	498	109	607	38	26	64	29	19	48	105	80	185	290	222	792	III
IV	122	48	170	142	36	178	478	121	599	30	24	56	29	21	50	106	85	192	227	228	791	IV
Monthly																						**Monthly**
1956—Jan.			53			55			597			10			12			189	62	67	786	Jan.—1956
Feb.			47			55			588			20			18			192	67	73	780	Feb.
Mar.			66			59	470	127	596			19			17	107	86	193	85	76	790	Mar.
I	127	39	166	135	34	169				27	22	49	26	21	47				214	216		I
Apr.			90			59			627			27			19			201	116	78	828	Apr.
May			98			59			666			43			25			220	141	83	886	May
June			103			66	572	132	703			30			14	124	112	236	133	80	939	June
II	246	45	291	144	40	184				51	49	100	34	24	58				390	241		II
July			99			68			734			34			17			252	132	85	986	July
Aug.			94			67			761‡			34			22			265	129	89	1,026	Aug.
Sept.			74			61	637	137	775			30			29	137	129	266	104	90	1,040	Sept.
III	221	46	267	156	40	196				47	51	98	35	33	68				365	264		III
Oct.			80			73			781			30			26			270	109	99	1,051	Oct.
Nov.			67			69			779			27			19			278	94	88	1,056	Nov.
Dec.			54			77	614	143	756			20			19	138	141	279	75	96	1,035	Dec.
IV	152	49	201	176	43	219				40	37	77	39	25	64				278	283		IV
1957—Jan.			54			67			743			18			23			274	72	90	1,017	Jan.—1957
Feb.			54			61			736			18			23			269	72	84	1,006	Feb.
Mar.			69			69	601	135	736			21			20			270	90	90	1,006	Mar.
I	145	32	177	157	40	197				33	24	57	36	31	66	135	134		234	263		I
Apr.			87			67			757			27			23			274	114	89	1,031	Apr.
May			97			72			781			35			25			284	131	98	1,064	May
June			85			70			796			32			23			298	117	93	1,088	June
II	229	39	268	171	39	209	660	136		49	45	94	38	32	71	146	147		362	280		II
July			97†			77†			815†			28			27			294	125	104†	1,110	July
Aug.			82			72			825†			25			26			293	107	98	1,119	Aug.
Sept.			72			76			821			23			27			289	95	103	1,110	Sept.
III	210	41	251	186	39	225	683	138		38	38	76	38	42	80	146	143		327	305		III

	Wholesale			Total Retail and Wholesale			Average Repayment Terms on Retail Paper Purchased (months)			
							Consumers' Goods		Commercial and Industrial Goods	
	Paper Purchased	Estimated Repayments [1]	Balances Outstanding (end of period)	Paper Purchased	Estimated Repayments [1]	Balances Outstanding (end of period)	Passenger Cars [2]	Other	Comm. Vehicles [2]	Other
Calendar Years										
1956	1,213	*	182	2,461	*	1,217	20.4	18.4	20.1	19.1
Quarterly										
1956—II	447	419	226	837	660	1,165	20.4	18.6	20.0	18.5
III	241	323	144	606	587	1,184	20.6	18.5	20.3	19.3
IV	268	230	182	546	513	1,217	20.2	18.3	20.0	19.0
1957—I	347	268	261	581	531	1,267	19.6	18.0	19.2	19.5
II	380	388	253	742	668	1,341	19.8	18.3	19.5	19.7
III	224	295	182	551	600	1,292	*	*	*	*

1. Repayments are estimated by subtracting the net change in balances outstanding during a period from the paper purchased. The figure therefore also includes cancellations and any other adjustments to the two reported series. 2. New and used vehicles. * Not available. ‡ Corrected. † Revised.



RETAIL FINANCING



FINANCE COMPANY AND RETAIL DEALER CREDIT EXTENDED TO CONSUMERS

Millions of Dollars — BALANCES OUTSTANDING

	Instalment Finance Companies 1	Small Loan Companies 2: Instalment Credit 1	Small Loan Companies 2: Cash Loans 3	Department Stores: Instalment Credit: Conditional Sale Agreements	Department Stores: Instalment Credit: Other Deferred Payment Plans	Department Stores: Charge Accounts	Sub-Total	Other Retail Dealers 4: Instalment Credit	Other Retail Dealers 4: Charge Accounts	Total Finance Companies and Retail Dealers 5
End of Period										
1951—Mar.	216	–	99	45	31		391	118	208	**717**
June	224	–	105	35	34		398	107	185	**690**
Sept.	215	–	106	26	34		381	96	185	**662**
Dec.	186	–	114	27	51		378	96	232	**706**
1952—Mar.	176	–	120	22	39		357	94	206	**657**
June	265	–	134	36	42		477	127	189	**793**
Sept.	334	–	139	54	42		569	138	199	**906**
Dec.	373	–	148	80	61		662	163	248	**1,073**
1953—Mar.	425	1	151	80	47		704	162	236	**1,102**
June	522	2	164	83	49		820	164	219	**1,203**
Sept.	548	3	166	86	49		852	168	220	**1,240**
Dec.	516	3	173	101	66		859	183	274	**1,316**
1954—Mar.	496	4	177	96	50		823	182	263	**1,268**
June	522	5	190	97	52		866	187	248	**1,301**
Sept.	527	5	196	99	53		880	187	244	**1,311**
Dec.	492	6	209	116	70		893	206	293	**1,392**
1955—Mar.	492	6	214	112	53		877	192	248	**1,317**
June	555	6	236	114	57		968	200	260	**1,428**
Sept.	607	6	249	123	58		1,043	211	272	**1,526**
Dec.	599	6	273	147	80		1,105	230	294	**1,629**
1956—Jan.	597	6	278	144	68		1,093	*	*	*
Feb.	588	7	282	141	62		1,080	*	*	*
Mar.	596	7	290	139	61		1,093	221	271	**1,585**
Apr.	627	8	299	141	62		1,137	*	*	*
May	666	9	308	141	64		1,188	*	*	*
June	703	9	317	142	64		1,235	225	275	**1,735**
July	734	10	324	140	61		1,269	*	*	*
Aug.	761	10	330	141	59		1,301	*	*	*
Sept.	775	11	329	144	66		1,325	233	283	**1,841**
Oct.	781	12	327	147	67		1,334	*	*	*
Nov.	779	12	333	152	70		1,346	*	*	*
Dec.	756	13	343	161	83		1,356	248	306	**1,910**
1957—Jan.	743	14	337	158	75		1,327	*	*	*
Feb.	736	14	335	154	69		1,308	*	*	*
Mar.	736	14	334	149	27	38	1,298	241	277	**1,816**
Apr.	757	14	336	151	28	41	1,327	*	*	*
May	781	14	338	151	28	41	1,353	*	*	*
June	796	14	342	150	28	42	1,372	247	284	**1,903**
July	815	14	343	149	28	36	1,385	*	*	*
Aug.	825	14	346	150	27	37	1,399	*	*	*
Sept.	821	14	343	*	*	*	*	*	*	*

SOURCES: Dominion Bureau of Statistics, Department of Insurance, Bank of Canada.

1. Conditional sale agreements held in connection with the financing of retail purchases of consumers' goods.
2. Companies licensed under the Small Loans Act.
3. Cash loans with no conditional sale contract but usually repaid in instalments.
4. Data are based on DBS series. Excluded from these figures are charge accounts and instalment credit of certain categories of dealers whose credit is extended mainly to farmers and other businesses rather than to consumers. From 1951 to 1956 instalment credit includes conditional sale agreements only. Commencing March 1957 it also includes other deferred payment plans which previously had been included in charge accounts.
5. In addition to the items shown here, quarterly figures are available on the use of oil companies' credit cards from Dec. 1955 on. Balances were as follows:

Dec. 1955	20	Sept. 1956	28
Mar. 1956	19	Dec. 1956	26
June 1956	23	Mar. 1957	25
		June 1957	27

* Not available.

SELECTED LOANS EXTENDED MAINLY TO INDIVIDUALS FOR NON-BUSINESS PURPOSES BY CERTAIN FINANCIAL INSTITUTIONS★

Millions of Dollars — BALANCES OUTSTANDING

	Chartered Banks Personal Loans: Fully Secured By Marketable Bonds & Stocks 1	Chartered Banks Personal Loans: Home Improvement Loans	Chartered Banks Personal Loans: Other	Quebec Savings Banks	Credit Unions	Life Insurance Companies Policy Loans 2
End of Period						
1951—Mar.	256	–	226	4	*	*
June	247	–	225	4	*	*
Sept.	240	–	211	4	*	*
Dec.	226	–	204	5	76	199
1952—Mar.	228	–	197	5	*	203
June	242	–	218	5	*	208
Sept.	256	–	228	5	*	211
Dec.	258	–	242	6	94	213
1953—Mar.	265	–	253	6	*	216
June	275	–	283	6	*	220
Sept.	280	–	298	6	*	223
Dec.	269	–	308	8	129	225
1954—Mar.	270	–	311	8	*	229
June	271	–	332	7	*	234
Sept.	263	–	343	7	*	237
Dec.	253	–	352	7	151	240
1955—Mar.	263	2	357	7	*	243
June	294	9	399	7	*	246
Sept.	331	18	418	7	*	248
Dec.	339	24	441	8	174	250
1956—Jan.	*	*	*	8	*	251
Feb.	*	*	*	10	*	252
Mar.	363	26	443	9	*	253
Apr.	*	*	*	8	*	255
May	*	*	*	8	*	257
June	368	31	455	8	*	260
July	*	*	*	8	*	262
Aug.	*	*	*	9	*	264
Sept.	355	36	444	9	*	266
Oct.	*	*	*	10	*	268
Nov.	*	*	*	12	*	269
Dec.	324	38	435	11	230**	270
1957—Jan.	*	*	*	12	*	272
Feb.	*	*	*	13	*	274
Mar.	300	39	416	14	*	277
Apr.	*	*	*	13	*	279
May	*	*	*	11	*	282
June	303	41	429	11	*	283
July	*	*	*	11	*	285
Aug.	*	*	*	11	*	287
Sept.	282	46	420	11	*	289

SOURCES: Dept. of Finance, Dept. of Agriculture, Bank of Canada.

★ The table does not include loans of finance companies (which are shown on pages 336–338) nor of trust and loan companies, mortgage loans on residential real estate and loans of some other financial institutions for which similar data are not available.

1. Excludes loans to finance purchase of Canada Savings Bonds.
2. Figures for dates other than year ends are estimated on the basis of the loans made by twelve companies (see page 335).

* Not available.
** Preliminary.

FOREIGN EXCHANGE RATES[1]

Canadian cents per unit — *Bank of Canada*

Business Days	U.S. Dollar					£ Sterling				
	Spot Rates			Average Noon Rates[2]		Spot Rates			Average Noon Rates[2]	
	High	Low	Close	Spot	90-Day Forward Rate[2]	High	Low	Close	Spot	90-Day Forward Rate[2]
1951	107 5/16	101 3/16	101 3/16	105.28	104.92	300 1/2	281 3/8	281 3/8	294.68	294.71
1952	101 1/8	95 7/8	97 1/32	97.89	98.09	281 1/4	266 3/4	272 9/16	273.40	272.26
1953	99 25/32	96 3/4	97 3/8	98.34	98.66	280 15/16	272 3/8	273 5/8	276.66	277.02
1954	98 3/4	96 11/32	96 39/32	97.32	97.65	278 5/16	269	269	273.39	274.19
1955	100 1/16	96 15/32	99 29/32	98.63	98.62	280 7/16	268 3/4	280 3/32	275.35	274.23
1956	99 31/32	95 21/32	95 31/32	98.41	98.64	280 11/16	266 3/16	267 7/16	275.16	274.13
1956—Aug.	98 7/16	97 27/32	98 3/32	98.12	98.38	273 15/16	272 1/2	272 29/32	273.11	272.39
Sept.	98 1/16	97 7/16	97 19/32	97.77	98.10	272 7/8	271 3/16	271 1/4	272.14	271.43
Oct.	97 5/8	96 21/32	97 1/32	97.32	97.69	271 7/8	268 31/32	270 5/8	271.06	270.54
Nov.	97 7/16	95 21/32	96 3/8	96.44	96.81	270 7/16	266 9/16	267 7/16	268.36	267.56
Dec.	96 15/32	95 29/32	95 31/32	96.05	96.66	268 5/8	266 13/16	267 7/16	267.54	266.62
1957—Jan.	96 11/32	95 27/32	95 7/8	96.07	96.57	269 1/4	267 11/16	268 1/4	268.63	268.65
Feb.	95 15/16	95 3/4	95 3/4	95.83	96.24	268 1/2	267 13/16	267 13/16	268.21	268.39
Mar.	95 13/16	95 1/2	95 23/32	95.61	96.06	267 27/32	266 1/2	266 23/32	267.10	267.47
Apr.	96 3/32	95 11/16	95 25/32	95.97	96.21	268 11/16	266 5/8	267 13/32	267.71	267.58
May	95 25/32	95 5/16	95 17/32	95.56	95.84	267 17/32	266 1/8	266 1/2	266.76	266.59
June	95 1/2	95 7/32	95 11/32	95.32	95.66	266 1/2	265 15/32	266 3/32	266.02	266.07
July	95 5/16	94 25/32	94 13/16	95.09	95.34	266 1/8	263 31/32	264 3/32	265.12	264.85
Aug.	95 3/8	94 7/32	95 3/16	94.80	95.21	265 13/32	262 11/32	264 27/32	263.83	262.95
Sept.	96 1/16	95 3/32	96 1/16	95.92	96.33	270	264 11/16	269 11/16	267.19	265.14
Oct.	97 3/32	95 11/16	96 3/32	96.47	96.94	271 7/8	267 11/16	268 1/2	270.13	268.80

1. Rates are as reported on transactions between banks in the exchange market. 2. The 90-day forward rates are the averages of approximate rates at noon. Noon rates prior to May 6, 1954 are not available and closing rates have been used.

NOTE: For 1939–1952 data see page 59 in the "Financial Supplement 1954" and for 1953–1956 data see page 65 in the "Financial Supplement 1956".

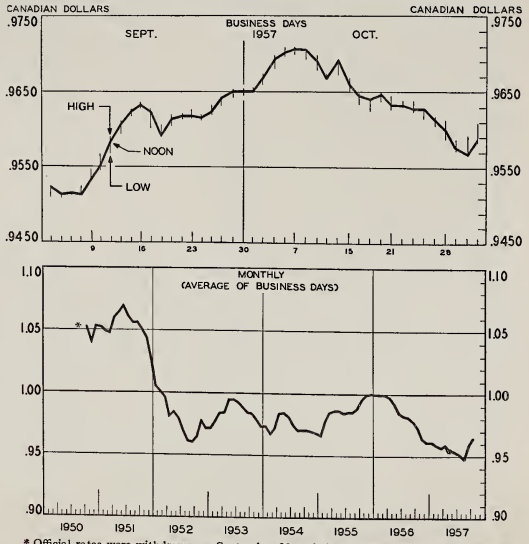
OFFICIAL HOLDINGS OF GOLD AND U.S. DOLLARS[1]

$ mm. U.S. — *Dept. of Finance*

End of Period	Gold	U.S. Dollars	Total
1951	841.7	936.9	**1,778.6**
1952	885.0	975.2	**1,860.2**
1953	986.1	832.4	**1,818.5**
1954	1,072.7	869.9	**1,942.6**
1955	1,133.9	766.9	**1,900.8**
1956	1,103.3	832.9	**1,936.2**
1956—Mar.	1,120.1	751.3	**1,871.4**
Apr.	1,106.1	759.0	**1,865.1**
May	1,100.4	785.0	**1,885.4**
June	1,100.6	798.9	**1,899.5**
July	1,104.8	788.5	**1,893.3**
Aug.	1,105.9	777.8	**1,883.7**
Sept.	1,105.5	798.0	**1,903.5**
Oct.	1,109.8	803.2	**1,913.0**
Nov.	1,114.2	818.4	**1,932.6**
Dec.	1,103.3	832.9	**1,936.2**
1957—Jan.	1,105.9	824.7	**1,930.6**
Feb.	1,101.5	818.2	**1,919.7**
Mar.	1,101.2	822.4	**1,923.6**
Apr.	1,105.7	796.1	**1,901.8**
May	1,109.0	823.6	**1,932.6**
June	1,102.8	839.0	**1,941.8**
July	1,104.6	868.4	**1,973.0**
Aug.	1,104.7	838.2	**1,942.9**
Sept.	1,101.8	788.1	**1,889.9**
Oct.	1,105.4	818.3	**1,923.7**

1. Gold, U.S. dollars and short-term securities of the U.S. Gov't. held by the Exchange Fund Account, other Gov't. accounts, and the net holdings of the Bank of Canada.

UNITED STATES DOLLAR IN CANADIAN FUNDS



* Official rates were withdrawn on September 30 and the exchange market re-opened on October 2.

NOTE: For 1945–1954 data see pages 60–61 in the "Financial Supplement 1954". For data on an expanded series back to September 1950 see pages 52–53 and for 1951–1956 see pages 66–67 in the "Financial Supplements" 1955 and 1956 respectively.

CANADIAN GOLD STATISTICS

Thousands of Fine Ounces — *Bank of Canada*

	New Gold Production Available for Export 1 ‡	Physical Movement		Net Change in Gold Held in Safekeeping		Net Sales to Foreigners	Net Change in Official Holdings[4]
		Exports[2]	Imports[3]	Foreign-owned Gold in Canada	Canadian-owned Gold Abroad		
Calendar Yrs.	1	2	3	4	5	6 (2−3+4−5)	
1951	**4,080**	347	12,104	+8,472	+143	**−3,427**	**+7,507**
1952	**4,310**	19,246	24	−18,723	−2,565	**3,064**	**+1,246**
1953	**4,167**	1,181	163	+105	−143	**1,266**	**+2,901**
1954	**4,556**	751	138	+1,317	−143	**2,072**	**+2,484**
1955	**4,506**	2,451	-	+890	+578	**2,763**	**+1,743**
1956‡	**4,365**	3,100	59	+1,468	−578	**5,088**	**−877**
Quarters							
1955—I	**1,131**	190	-	+402	-	**592**	**+538**
II	**1,140**	175	-	+571	-	**746**	**+394**
III	**1,085**	247	-	+86	-	**333**	**+752**
IV	**1,150**	1,838	-	−169	+578	**1,091**	**+59**
1956—I	**1,079**	1,017	9	+427	−40	**1,474**	**−395**
II‡	**1,140**	1,445	8	+290	+93	**1,634**	**−559**
III	**1,107**	210	3	+428	−285	**921**	**+139**
IV	**1,039**	428	39	+323	−347	**1,059**	**−62**
1957—I	**1,153**	1,451	4	+146	+431	**1,162**	**−61**
II	**941**	1,023	1	+1	+148	**875**	**+47**
III*	**805**	381	**	**	−348	**	**−29**

1. Newly mined gold sold by the Mint (excl. sales for industrial purposes) plus exports of raw gold or concentrates direct from the mines for refining abroad plus commercial sales of gold abroad by mines beginning November 1, 1951. Beginning November 1, 1951, the series excludes increases in commercial gold stocks held in safekeeping by the Mint for the account of the mines.
2. Excluding the gold content of exports of jewellers' sweepings and precious metals scrap which are shown in the export returns.
3. Excluding small amounts of unmanufactured gold, scrap and manufactured forms which are shown under various headings in the import returns.
4. Holdings of the Exchange Fund and the Bank of Canada.

‡ Since March 21, 1956, mines not receiving aid under the Emergency Gold Mining Assistance Act have been allowed to sell their gold to private residents and non-residents, either for export or for safekeeping in Canada. Such sales, commencing in the second quarter of 1956, are included in the figures for "New Gold Production Available for Export."

** Not available.

* Preliminary.

NOTE: For 1948–1949 data see page 66 in the "Financial Supplement 1954" and for 1950–1956 data see page 68 in the "Financial Supplement 1956".

PRICE INDEXES

"Prices and Price Indexes", Dominion Bureau of Statistics

	Wholesale Prices						Consumer Prices[2]					
	General			Construction	Farm 1							
	Total Index (Mid-Month)	Raw and Partly Manufactured	Fully & Chiefly Manufactured	Non-Residential Building Materials	Grains	Livestock	Total Index	Food	Shelter	Clothing	Household Operation	Other Commodities & Services
							100	32	15	11	17	25
	1935–39 = 100			1949 = 100	1935–39 = 100		1949 = 100					
Average of Mths.												
1951	**240.2**	237.9	242.4	118.6	217.3	407.8	**113.7**	117.0	114.4	109.8	113.1	111.5
1952	**226.0**	218.7	230.7	132.2	206.2	316.4	**116.5**	116.8	120.2	111.8	116.2	116.0
1953	**220.7**	207.0	228.8	124.4	201.0	288.1	**115.5**	112.6	123.6	110.1	117.0	115.8
1954	**217.0**	204.8	224.2	121.8	187.2	283.3	**116.2**	112.2	126.5	109.4	117.4	117.4
1955	**218.9**	209.7	224.5	123.4	188.0	263.2	**116.4**	112.1	129.4	108.0	116.4	118.1
1956	**225.6**	215.8	231.5	128.0	188.4	265.6	**118.1**	113.4	132.5	108.6	117.1	120.9
Monthly												
1956—May	**225.4**	217.3	230.3	127.2	192.0	252.3	**116.6**	109.3	132.1	108.8	116.5	120.5
June	**226.5**	219.2	231.3	127.5	190.8	272.8	**117.8**	112.5	132.6	108.6	116.7	120.6
July	**226.6**	219.0	231.6	127.2	188.4	278.4	**118.5**	114.4	132.7	108.6	116.7	121.1
Aug.	**227.0**	217.0	233.2	129.4	188.9	280.8	**119.1**	115.9	133.0	108.4	116.8	121.3
Sept.	**227.4**	216.2	234.4	129.2	188.8	284.2	**119.0**	115.5	133.1	108.4	117.1	121.4
Oct.	**227.0**	214.3	234.7	129.8	187.6	277.3	**119.8**	117.4	133.3	108.5	117.7	121.6
Nov.	**226.6**	213.3	234.6	129.5	185.9	281.0	**120.3**	117.9	133.4	108.4	118.1	122.8
Dec.	**228.0**	216.4	235.1	129.7	184.9	284.3	**120.4**	117.5	133.5	108.6	118.6	122.9
1957—Jan.	**229.4**	217.8	236.5	130.0	184.6	287.7	**120.3**	117.1	133.6	107.6	119.0	123.1
Feb.	**228.4**	214.9	236.8	130.1	182.3	287.6	**120.5**	117.2	133.8	107.4	119.1	123.8
Mar.	**228.4**	212.5	237.8	130.1	180.3	278.3	**120.5**	116.4	134.0	108.2	119.5	124.2
Apr.	**228.4**	211.7	238.3	130.1	178.5	281.8	**120.9**	116.7	134.0	108.5	119.4	125.1
May	**228.0**	209.6	238.8	130.2	174.5	283.5	**121.1**	116.7	134.2	108.5	119.2	126.3
June	**228.0**	209.8	238.8	129.5	171.9	292.9	**121.6**	117.7	134.8	108.4	119.1	126.5
July	**228.2**	209.1	239.5	130.6	170.6	300.3	**121.9**	118.2	135.1	108.4	119.6	126.5
Aug.	**227.6**	207.9	239.2	130.4	170.3	299.7	**122.6**	120.2	135.3	108.2	119.7	126.9
Sept.	**226.7**	206.4	238.6	130.2	168.7	285.7	**123.3**	121.9	135.6	108.3	119.8	127.1
Oct.							**123.4**	121.7	135.9	108.7	120.1	127.4

1. Two sub-groups of the General Wholesale Price Index.
2. Components were selected and weighted on the basis of 1948 urban family incomes ranging from $1,650 to $4,050 with incomes between $2,000 and $3,000 most common.

NOTE: For 1952 data see page 86 in the "Financial Supplement 1955" and for 1953–1956 see page 117 in the "Financial Supplement 1956".

LABOUR FORCE STATUS OF THE POPULATION[1]

Thousands of Persons — *"The Labour Force", Dominion Bureau of Statistics; Department of National Defence*

Survey Week Ending	Persons With Jobs: Agriculture	Persons With Jobs: Non-Agricultural Industries	Persons With Jobs: Total	Persons With Jobs: *Of Which On Temporary Lay-off and Short-time* 2	Without Jobs and Seeking Work 3: Thousands	Without Jobs and Seeking Work 3: Percentage of Labour Force	Total Civilian Labour Force	Civilian Non-Institutional Population (14 years of age and over)	Armed Forces	Civilian Labour Force Participation Ratio 4: Total	Civilian Labour Force Participation Ratio 4: Male	Civilian Labour Force Participation Ratio 4: Female
1956—Jan. 21	688	4,543	5,231	*74*	286	5.2	5,517	10,626	116	51.9	80.2	23.9
Feb. 18	678	4,538	5,216	*73*	308	5.6	5,524	10,635	117	51.9	80.3	23.9
Mar. 24	679	4,562	5,241	*66*	295	5.3	5,536	10,646	117	52.0	80.1	24.1
Apr. 21	764	4,562	5,326	*51*	257	4.6	5,583	10,663	117	52.4	80.7	24.3
May 19	817	4,682	5,499	*37*	165	2.9	5,664	10,680	116	53.0	81.9	24.4
June 23	804	4,843	5,647	*35*	117	2.0	5,764	10,699	116	53.9	83.1	24.9
July 21	897	4,892	5,789	*33*	102	1.7	5,891	10,714	116	55.0	85.3	25.0
Aug. 18	946	4,877	5,823	*36*	103	1.7	5,926	10,733	116	55.2	85.5	25.2
Sept. 22	841	4,835	5,676	*45*	97	1.7	5,773	10,752	117	53.7	82.7	25.0
Oct. 20	794	4,880	5,674	*39*	98	1.7	5,772	10,771	117	53.6	82.3	25.2
Nov. 17	693	4,937	5,630	*47*	135	2.3	5,765	10,791	117	53.4	81.7	25.5
Dec. 15	680	4,875	5,555	*59*	186	3.2	5,741	10,815	117	53.1	81.0	25.5
1957—Jan. 19	671	4,722	5,393	*74*	303	5.3	5,696	10,842	117	52.5	80.4	25.0
Feb. 16	654	4,708	5,362	*80*	323	5.7	5,685	10,861	117	52.3	80.4	24.6
Mar. 16	671	4,702	5,373	*87*	343	6.0	5,716	10,884	117	52.5	80.5	24.9
Apr. 20	706	4,736	5,442	*71*	306	5.3	5,748	10,926	117	52.6	80.7	24.9
May 18	773	4,914	5,687	*57*	194	3.3	5,881	10,968	116	53.6	82.1	25.5
June 22	774	5,060	5,834	*55*	162	2.7	5,996	11,012	116	54.4	83.2	26.0
July 20	880	5,069	5,949	*62*	163	2.7	6,112	11,043	117	55.3	85.4	25.6
Aug. 24	900	5,057	5,957	*63*†	174	2.8	6,131	11,074	117	55.4	85.3	25.8
Sept. 21	812	5,042	5,854	*59*	194	3.2	6,048	11,094	119	54.5	82.8	26.5

1. The estimates are based on a sample of about 30,000 households and are therefore subject to sampling error which is relatively larger the smaller the estimate. Data not seasonally adjusted.
2. Includes those laid off for part of the week or on lay-off during the entire week, with definite instructions to return to their jobs within 30 days of the date on which lay-off began, provided they did not look for work during the survey week.
3. Includes persons who, though having jobs, did not work during the entire week and looked for work or would have looked for work only they were temporarily ill, on indefinite or prolonged lay-off or believed no work was available.
4. Civilian labour force as a percentage of civilian non-institutional population 14 years of age and over. † Revised.

NOTE: For 1945–1952 data see pages 84–85 in the "Financial Supplement 1955". For 1952–1956 data and for years 1921–1952 see pages 114–115 in the "Financial Supplement 1956".

EMPLOYMENT AND LABOUR INCOME

"Employment and Payrolls", "Man-Hours and Hourly Earnings" and "Estimates of Labour Income", Dominion Bureau of Statistics

	Employment Indexes 1, 2: Manufacturing	Employment Indexes 1, 2: Mining	Average Hours Worked 1, 3: Manufacturing	Average Hours Worked 1, 3: Mining	Average Hourly Earnings 1, 3, 4: Manufacturing	Average Hourly Earnings 1, 3, 4: Mining	Monthly Labour Income 4: Total 5	Monthly Labour Income 4: Manufacturing	Monthly Labour Income 4: Construction	Monthly Labour Income 4: All Other 6
	Index 1949 = 100		*Hours per week*		*Cents*		*Millions of Dollars*			
Monthly Average										
1951	108.0	110.6	41.8	43.1	116.8	133.4	810	272	52	486
1952	109.3	116.8	41.5	42.7	129.2	147.1	906	303	63	540
1953	113.3	111.7	41.3	42.7	135.8	153.8	976	329	70	577
1954	107.7	109.8	40.6	42.6	140.8	157.3	1,000	323	69	608
1955	109.3	113.4	41.0	43.2	144.5	161.1	1,068	342	78	648
1956	115.4	122.0	41.1	42.9	151.5	171.4	1,190	379	93	718
1956—Apr.	113.4	117.3	41.1	42.6	150.5	168.5	1,126	371	79	676
May	114.1	116.9	41.4	42.7	151.1	169.0	1,169	377	92	700
June	115.4	123.0	40.9	42.8	151.9	170.5	1,215	381	105	729
July	118.0	126.1	41.2	42.4	152.7	172.0	1,223	382	105	736
Aug.	117.9	128.2	40.8	42.6	152.4	172.7	1,236	382	108	746
Sept.	118.0	128.6	41.1	42.7	152.1	173.8	1,268	392	110	766
Oct.	118.6	126.5	41.5	43.6	153.3	176.2	1,273	394	114	765
Nov.	118.6	126.9	41.6	42.5	154.7	177.3	1,265	397	101	767
Dec.	118.0	125.4	41.5	43.1	155.5	179.0	1,248	397	90	761
1957—Jan.	114.8	122.7	37.9	40.7	158.0	181.6	1,197	384	76	737
Feb.	115.1	124.1	40.9	42.9	157.5	181.6	1,205	389	74	742
Mar.	115.0	124.7	40.9	43.1	157.6	182.7	1,205	393	73	739
Apr.	115.4	123.4	41.1	42.3	158.7	184.3	1,218	393	83	742
May	115.8	120.8	40.6	41.7	160.0	186.2	1,270	397	97	776
June	116.7	126.3	40.5	42.3	160.7	185.2	1,322	405	110	807
July	118.4	129.5†	40.6	42.8	161.0	187.4	1,312	402	109	801
Aug.	118.1	131.1	40.5	42.0	160.4	187.9	1,337*	402*	113*	822*
Sept.*	118.6		40.5	42.3	159.7	188.3				

1. As reported by employers usually having 15 or more employees. Dated first of month and covering the last pay period in the previous month.
2. Coverage, including salaried and part time workers at Aug. 1, 1957, was Manufacturing, 1,231,394; Mining, 116,709.
3. Include hourly rated wage earners only.
4. Gross earnings before deductions for taxes, unemployment insurance, etc.
5. Wages and salaries and includes bonuses and commissions, food, clothing, shelter and contributions to insurance, pensions, etc. provided by employer.
6. Includes all supplementary labour income. † Revised. * Preliminary.

NOTE: For 1952 data see page 83 in the "Financial Supplement 1955" and for 1953–1956 data see page 113 in the "Financial Supplement 1956".

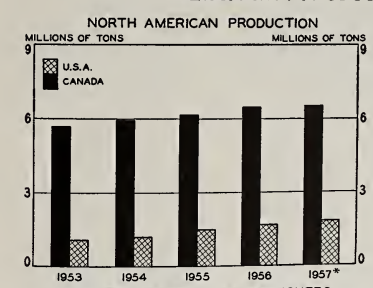
NEWSPRINT : NORTH AMERICA

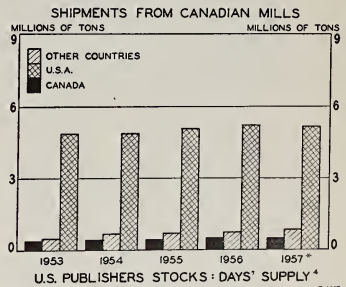
Thousands of Tons — *"Monthly Newsprint Report", Newsprint Association of Canada*

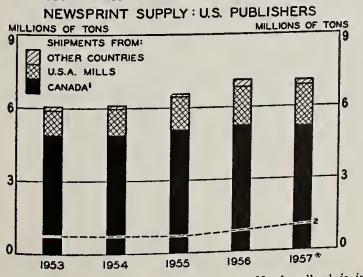
	Supply: Production: Canada	Supply: Production: U.S.A.	Supply: Production: Total	Supply: Imports from Europe	Supply: *Less:* Exports Overseas	Supply: Total Supply	Estimated Consumption: U.S. Publishers	Estimated Consumption: Canadian Publishers	Estimated Consumption: Total Consumption	Stocks: Net Change
Calendar Yrs.										
1951	5,516	1,125	6,641	206	378	**6,469**	5,975	360	**6,335**	**+135**
1952	5,687	1,147	6,834	183	530	**6,487**	5,988	369	**6,357**	**+130**
1953	5,721	1,084	6,805	164	503	**6,466**	6,143	398	**6,541**	**−75**
1954	5,984	1,211	7,195	128	767	**6,557**	6,163	425	**6,584**	**−27**
1955	6,191	1,552	7,743	146	911	**6,977**	6,638	430	**7,069**	**−92**
1956	6,469	1,717	8,186	311	875	**7,625**	6,899	477	**7,376**	**+249**
12 mths. end'd Sept. 1957	6,563	1,836	8,399	198*	969	**7,628***	6,864	475	**7,339**	**+289***
Monthly										
1956—Feb.	514.7	130.5	645.1	20.9	73.1	**592.9**	526.8	36.4	**563.3**	**+29.6**
Mar.	552.9	149.0	701.9	15.7	69.9	**647.6**	590.9	39.0	**629.9**	**+17.8**
Apr.	518.4	138.3	656.7	17.2	53.9	**620.0**	611.6	39.4	**651.0**	**−31.0**
May	550.5	149.0	699.6	33.8	84.5	**648.9**	614.7	40.7	**655.4**	**−6.5**
June	536.4	141.9	678.3	33.7	82.5	**629.5**	559.4	40.8	**600.2**	**+29.3**
July	532.5	138.5	671.0	41.9	86.3	**626.6**	515.0	38.5	**553.5**	**+73.1**
Aug.	570.4	154.3	724.7	32.8	66.4	**691.1**	533.1	41.9	**575.1**	**+116.0**
Sept.	514.0	140.6	654.6	26.0	74.8	**605.7**	576.1	39.2	**615.2**	**−9.5**
Oct.	582.1	154.0	736.1	29.2	81.9	**683.5**	631.6	42.4	**674.0**	**+9.5**
Nov.	559.5	142.5	702.0	23.6	66.2	**659.4**	619.5	40.9	**660.3**	**+0.9**
Dec.	514.2	139.2	653.4	19.9	79.8	**593.5**	587.6	40.4	**627.9**	**−34.4**
1957—Jan.	558.6	157.7	716.3	22.4	63.3	**675.4**	539.9	38.1	**578.0**	**+97.4**
Feb.	518.9	150.7	669.6	7.3	63.5	**613.4**	512.8	39.0	**551.8**	**+61.6**
Mar.	574.2	164.4	738.6	15.0	76.1	**677.5**	613.7	41.3	**655.0**	**+22.5**
Apr.	554.8	162.4	717.2	14.9	74.6	**656.6**	585.9	40.5	**626.4**	**+30.2**
May	573.0	171.2	744.2	12.2	100.2	**656.2**	617.2	41.7	**658.9**	**−2.7**
June	532.1	159.1	691.2	10.4	90.7	**610.9**	574.7	39.9	**614.6**	**−3.7**
July	549.2	144.4	693.6	15.0	111.5	**597.1**	494.7	38.6	**533.3**	**+63.8**
Aug.	560.3	156.5	716.8	16.5*	83.8	**649.5***	511.7	36.2	**547.9**	**+101.6***
Sept.	486.6	133.8	620.4	12.4*	77.8	**555.0***	575.2	36.1	**611.3**	**−56.3***

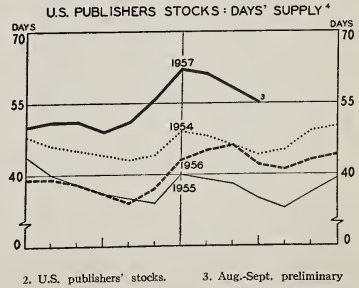
* Preliminary.

NEWSPRINT : PRODUCTION, SHIPMENTS & STOCKS









*Record to date on annual basis.
4. At projected rate of consumption.

1. Newfoundland is included.
2. U.S. publishers' stocks.
3. Aug.-Sept. preliminary

SELECTED AGRICULTURAL STATISTICS[1]: QUARTERLY

Department of Agriculture, Board of Grain Commissioners and Dominion Bureau of Statistics

PRODUCTION

	Livestock: Inspected Slaughterings: Cattle and Calves	Hogs	Sheep and Lambs	Total	Exports (Dressed Weight): Cattle, Calves, Beef and Veal	Bacon and Ham	Field Crops: Wheat		Oats	Oats	Barley		Other Field Crops[2]		Dairying: Butter[3]	Cheddar Cheese	Concentrated Milk Products[4]	Total Milk[5]	Eggs[6]	D.B.S. Index of Physical Volume of Agricultural Production
	Thousands of Head				*Millions of lbs.*		*Mm. acres*	*Mm. bus.*	*Mm. acres*	*Mm. bus.*	*Mm. acres*	*Mm. bus.*	*Mm. acres*	*Mm. bus.*	*Millions of pounds*				*Thous. of cases*	*1935–39 = 100*
1953 Total	2,210	4,611	543	7,365	56	7	26	634†	10	407	9	262	5	125	326	77	440	16,375	5,231	156.2
1954—I	570	1,152	86	1,808	19	2									40	7	68	2,889	1,539	
II	674	1,108	45	1,828	20	2									110	28	157	5,082	1,547	
III	614	1,000	189	1,803	10	2									124	35	146	5,359	1,295	
IV	598	1,419	242	2,259	8	2									61	15	79	3,488	1,501	
Yearly Total	2,456	4,679	563	7,697	57	8	26†	332†	10	307	8	176	4	112	335	85	450	16,818	5,883	117.1[7]
1955—I	560	1,399	95	2,054	7	2									38	6	70	2,883	1,465	
II	693	1,377	57	2,127	12	3									112	28	156	5,207	1,416	
III	653	1,191	192	2,036	9	2									122†	31	155	5,423	1,176	
IV	625	1,576	248	2,449	8	3									66†	15	93†	3,700	1,461	
Yearly Total	2,531	5,544	592	8,666	36	10	23†	519†	11	408	10	252	6	134	339	80	475	17,213	5,518	149.9
1956—I	603	1,532	97	2,232	7	2									40	7	79	3,070	1,531	
II	745	1,476	62	2,283	11	2									106†	25†	157	5,090	1,563	
III	708	1,177	182	2,068	9	2									120	35	161	5,445	1,364†	
IV	710	1,363	258	2,331	9	2									72	17	87	3,589	1,594	
Yearly Total*	2,766	5,548	599	8,914	37	8	23	573†	12	524†	8	269†	6	141†	324‡	84	484	17,194	6,052	165.3
1957—I*	607	1,336	96	2,038	6	1									33	7	68	2,896	1,794	
II*	760	1,205	62	2,027	11	1									101	31	184	5,160	1,811	
III*	758	1,076	195	2,029			21**	374**	11**	385**	9**	220**	6**	124**	122	38	187	5,828	1,456	

PRICES[8]

	D.B.S. Index of Farm Prices of Agricultural Products[9]	Wholesale Prices: Wheat[10] (No. 1 Northern): I.W.A.[11]	Class II	Steers (Good up to 1000 lbs., Toronto)	Hogs (Grade B1 Dressed, Toronto)	Butter[12]	Cheddar Cheese[13]	Field Crops	Participation and Equalization Payments[14]	Farm Cash and Net Income from Sale of Farm Products: By Products: Livestock	Dairy Products, Poultry and Eggs	All Other	Total Cash Income	By Regions: Maritimes	Quebec and Ontario	Western Provinces	Total Cash Income (Incl. certain Govt. Pay'ts.)[15]	Total Net Income[16]
	1935–39 = 100	*Cents per bushel*		*Dollars per cwt.*		*Cents per pound*		*Millions of Dollars*										
1953 Total	250.4	184.7	205.7	20.28	30.40	59.6	30.3	1,103	172	657	687	156	2,776	107	1,114	1,555	2,778	1,697
1954—I	240.2	184.0	184.0	17.97	34.61	61.0	32.5	142	28	181	127	35	513	24	264	224	515	
II	240.0	179.7	179.7	19.01	35.42	57.8	30.1	126	31	181	175	48	561	29	269	263	561	
III	235.8	170.1	170.1	20.63	28.34	57.3	30.1	224	–	156	195	19	594	27	292	275	594	
IV	223.1	170.1	170.1	20.46	25.68	59.3	30.2	240	54	186	191	54	725	37	296	392	725	
Yearly Total	236.8	176.0	176.0	19.25	30.90	58.9	30.7	732	113	704	688	156	2,392	118	1,121	1,154	2,395	1,161
1955—I	229.3	173.8	173.8	19.56	25.22	61.0	30.3	149	–	164	132	34	480	26	272	183	498	
II	236.5	176.0	176.0	19.62	25.66	56.7	29.7	146	37	169	175	49	576	30	268†	278	590	
III	232.7	175.7	175.7	19.61	26.85	57.3	29.3	240	–	172	209	20	640	26	316	298	641	
IV	224.2	172.2	172.2	19.59	22.88	57.3	29.9	190	10	197	206	58	661	33	317	311	662	
Yearly Total	232.7	174.4	174.4	19.60	25.15	58.1	29.8	725	47	703	722	161	2,357	115	1,172†	1,070	2,390	1,423
1956—I	227.2	173.7	173.7	17.84	22.53	57.6	31.3	159	22	159	154	36	530	26	272	233	533	
II	234.9	175.0	175.0	18.78	23.99	56.8	31.1	223	40	172	196	52	683	31†	281†	370†	684	
III	236.2	173.2	173.2	21.17	27.53	56.2	33.3	288	–	188	202	21	698	27	312	360	699	
IV	226.4†	170.2	170.2	19.84	29.90	57.4	34.0	256	23	218	199	55	751	38	319	394	752	
Yearly Total*	231.3	173.0	173.0	19.41	25.99	57.0	32.5	926	85	737	751	164	2,662	122	1,184	1,357	2,667	1,573
1957—I*	226.9	168.7	168.7	18.99	30.76	57.6	31.3	196	37	166	150	37	586	26	279	281	600	
II*	225.3	164.5	164.5	19.74	29.72	57.3	34.1	164	42	173	191	51	621	28	270	323	622	
III*	229.5	161.9	161.9	19.20	34.00	58.8	34.0											

1. Exclude Newfoundland.
2. Rye, flaxseed, buckwheat, mixed grains and shelled corn.
3. Creamery, dairy and whey butter.
4. Whole milk products and milk by-products.
5. Total milk production by quarters does not include the milk equivalent of factory cheese other than cheddar included in the annual totals.
6. Registered egg station gradings.
7. Allowances made for the low quality of the 1954 western grain crop.
8. Prices are quarterly and annual averages.
9. Prices used for western wheat, oats and barley are initial payments to farmers plus retroactive revisions to include participation payments as these are announced. The indexes prior to July 1956 and earlier months include final payments for all three grains. Subsequent to July 1956 only the initial prices of the three grains are used.
10. Basis in store Fort William–Port Arthur.
11. Up to July 31, 1953 excludes 6 cents carrying charges, after that date carrying charges are included in the price quoted.
12. No. 1 pasteurized, current receipts, price delivered.
13. Ontario coloured, current receipts, price f.o.b. factory.
14. Wheat participation and adjustment payments, oats and barley equalization payments and flaxseed adjustment payments. The wheat participation and adjustment payments for the years 1953, 1954, 1955 and 1956 amounted to 125, 97, 26 and 62 respectively.
15. Payments under the Prairie Farm Assistance Act.
16. Net Income is Cash Income plus income in kind plus increase in inventories on the farm less farm operating costs.

† Revised. ‡ All quarterly revisions not yet available.
** D.B.S. estimate Oct. 15, 1957. * Preliminary.

SELECTED SEASONALLY ADJUSTED STATISTICS★

Dominion Bureau of Statistics

	Gross National Production		Personal Income and Expenditure				Change in Business Inventories	Corporation Profits before Taxes 1	Expenditure on Construction 2	External Trade Value Indexes		Labour Force Survey			Industrial Production Index	Manufacturing						
			Labour Income	Disposable Income	Expenditure on Goods											Total		Durable Goods		Non-Durable Goods		
					Durable	Non-Dur.				Exports of Goods	Imports of Goods	Without Jobs	Non-Agric. Employment	Employment in Construction		Production Index	Employment Index	Employment Index	Hrs. Worked per Week	Employment Index	Hrs. Worked per Week	
	Total	Ex. Farm																				
	Millions of Dollars									*1949 = 100*		*1956 = 100*	*Thousands of Persons*		*1935–39 = 100*	*1949 = 100*			*Average*	*1949 = 100*	*Average*	
1955—Sept.			13,056							147	183	130	4,578		271	275	112	119	41.3	104	41.0	Sept.—1955
Oct.			13,140							154	197	122	4,624		273	278	112	119	41.4	104	40.8	Oct.
Nov.	27,912	26,468	13,236	18,664	2,032	9,996	488	3,188	3,556	145	183	113	4,622	382	277	280	113	121	41.5	105	40.9	Nov.
Dec.			13,320							146	184	113	4,638		275	278	113	122	41.2	105	40.8	Dec.
1956—Jan.			13,476							157	197	112	4,659		276	279	113	121	41.2	106	41.1	Jan.—1956
Feb.	28,884	27,308	13,644	19,284	1,948	10,196	992	3,244	3,812	156	196	113	4,669	391	275	278	114	121	41.2	106	41.1	Feb.
Mar.			13,788							156	213	108	4,713		281	284	114	123	41.1	106	40.9	Mar.
Apr.			13,992							160	219	106	4,703		280	282	115	124	41.0	106	40.3	Apr.
May	29,528	27,944	14,100	19,760	2,100	10,272	856	3,260	4,088	151	203	104	4,715	419	280	282	115	124	41.4	106	40.7	May
June			14,232							165	206	98	4,743		287	291	116	126	41.1	106	40.9	June
July			14,484							166	207	89	4,796		289	292	117	127	41.3	107	41.0	July
Aug.	30,136	28,568	14,496	20,208	2,112	10,668	396	3,248	4,212	164	197	97	4,763	416	287	287	117	127	41.5	108	40.8	Aug.
Sept.			14,700							170	213	91	4,773		287	286	116	125	41.3	106	40.7	Sept.
Oct.			14,760							167	214	85	4,798		289	289	117	127	41.3	107	40.9	Oct.
Nov.	30,916	29,212	14,832	20,692	2,084	10,916	724	3,208	4,308	159	220	98	4,854	416	290	291	119	131	41.5	107	40.7	Nov.
Dec.			14,904							164	203	100	4,836		290	290	119	131	41.2	108	40.7	Dec.
1957—Jan.			14,964							165	213	117	4,843		291	289	119	130	40.2	108	39.7	Jan.—1957
Feb.	30,712	29,420	15,072	20,640	2,172	11,036	568	3,116	4,228	160	219	118	4,849	430	292	291	119	130	40.8	108	40.9	Feb.
Mar.			15,192							165	210	124	4,847		291	290	117	126	40.6	108	40.6	Mar.
Apr.			15,156							151	215	126	4,882		288	281	117	126	40.9	108	40.6	Apr.
May	30,728	29,492	15,288	20,904	2,008	11,108	312	3,088	4,400	155	205	121	4,949	448	287	283†	117	126	40.6	108	40.0	May
June			15,420							160	201	138	4,961		284	282	117	126	40.8	109	40.3	June
July			15,540†							165	198	145	4,965		285†	281†	117	126	40.7	108	40.6†	July
Aug.			15,684							174	206*	169	4,934	435	283	281	117	126	41.2	109	40.6	Aug.
Sept.												181	4,982									Sept.

★ Note: All dollar series are expressed at annual rates. 1. As per survey of corporate earnings: profits before payment of dividends abroad and including earnings of Canadian corporations abroad. 2. As per National Accounts: expenditure on private residential and non-residential construction. † Revised. * Preliminary.

NOTE: For 1952 data for most of this series, see page 87 in the "Financial Supplement 1955" and for 1953–1956 data see page 118 in the "Financial Supplement 1956".

MANUFACTURING: SHIPMENTS, ORDERS AND INVENTORIES

ESTIMATES FOR ALL ITEMS IN ALL INDUSTRIES

Millions of Dollars — *"Inventories, Shipments and Orders in Manufacturing Industries", DBS*

	Shipments During Month 1	Orders		Inventories at End of Month				
		New Orders Received During Month 2	Unfilled Orders at end of Month 3	Owned 4	All Inventories Held			
					Total 5	Raw Materials	Goods in Process	Finished Products
1956—Jan.	1,539	1,752	2,997	3,706	4,138	1,788	1,106	1,244
Feb.	1,621	1,672	3,048	3,790	4,233	1,816	1,142	1,276
Mar.	1,761	1,759	3,046	3,833	4,262	1,823	1,150	1,289
Apr.	1,752	1,779	3,074	3,845	4,281	1,817	1,158	1,306
May	1,888	1,852	3,037	3,883	4,342	1,838	1,184	1,320
June	1,867	1,760	2,930	3,933	4,397	1,854	1,191	1,352
July	1,764	1,739	2,905	3,937	4,392	1,882	1,164	1,346
Aug.	1,810	1,831	2,926	3,938	4,399	1,897	1,170	1,332
Sept.	1,798	1,812	2,940	3,970	4,441	1,903	1,189	1,349
Oct.	1,911	1,858	2,886	3,989	4,464	1,926	1,205	1,333
Nov.	1,849	1,846	2,883	4,059	4,545	1,954	1,229	1,362
Dec.	1,717	1,966	3,133	4,119	4,608	1,995	1,236	1,377
1957—Jan.	1,690	1,796	3,239	4,166	4,668	1,992	1,257	1,419
Feb.	1,654	1,645	3,230	4,265	4,777	2,012	1,283	1,482
Mar.	1,861	1,796	3,165	4,262	4,793	2,022	1,285	1,485
Apr.	1,810	1,732	3,086	4,250	4,788	2,006	1,300	1,482
May	1,913	1,813	2,986	4,279	4,818	2,004	1,318	1,496
June	1,811	1,754	2,930	4,288	4,839	1,992	1,327	1,519
July *	1,805	1,746	2,849	4,294	4,856	2,015	1,323	1,517
Aug. *	1,764	1,731	2,815	4,280	4,841	2,012	1,313	1,516
Sept. *	1,758	1,692	2,750	4,274	4,842	2,002	1,325	1,514

1. Represent an estimated projection, on a monthly basis, of the latest available Census of Industry values. The value level used being the factory selling value. 2. Indicates the rate at which new business is being received. These are new orders received during the period at estimated selling value. 3. Estimated selling value of orders received but not yet shipped, irrespective of work done on them. 4. Estimated book value of inventory owned by manufacturers in connection with manufacturing operations. Excludes value of goods purchased for re-sale. 5. Estimated total value of manufacturers' inventory holdings in connection with manufacturing operations, regardless of ownership. Includes progress payments inventory. * Preliminary.

NOTE: For data back to 1952 see page 109 in the "Financial Supplement 1956".

SELECTED HOUSING STATISTICS

Central Mortgage and Housing Corporation and Dominion Bureau of Statistics

	Dwellings in New Structures 1				Composite Indexes of Residential Building Costs			Residential Construction Expenditures 3, 6		
	Areas of 5,000 Population and over 2		All Areas 3		Residential Building Materials 4	Wage Rates of All Construction Workers 5	Residential Building Materials and Wage Rates 4	New Dwellings and Major Improvements	Repair and Maintenance	Total
	Starts	Completions	Starts	Completions						
	thousands of units				*1949 = 100*			*millions of dollars*		
Calendar Years										
1951	47.4	61.2	68.6	81.3	125.5	119.2	123.1	821.6	221.0	1,042.6
1952	63.4	54.3	83.2	73.1	124.9	129.5	126.6	825.6	203.2	1,028.8
1953	80.3	73.4	102.4	96.8	123.9	137.2	128.9	1,083.7	213.6	1,297.3
1954	89.8	80.6	113.5	102.0	121.7	141.1	129.0	1,178.0	221.8	1,399.8
1955	97.4	93.9	138.3	127.9	124.3	146.6	132.7	1,499.3	238.0	1,737.3
1956	87.3	95.2	127.3	135.7	128.5	152.4	137.5	1,574.2	255.5	1,829.7
Monthly										
1956—Apr.	7.6	7.4	10.4	9.1	128.8	147.8	135.9	425.0	63.3	488.3
May	11.1	7.9	15.9	9.7	129.1	148.5	136.4			
June	11.0	7.8	19.4	13.6	129.0	148.5	136.3			
July	11.1	7.4	15.9	9.7	129.0	148.9	136.5	442.4	64.4	506.8
Aug.	9.0	7.4	14.0	10.7	129.0	150.5	137.1			
Sept.	8.9	7.7	13.3	12.2	128.7	151.1	137.1			
Oct.	7.8	10.7	11.8	18.5	128.8	152.4	137.7	407.7	65.4	473.1
Nov.	5.7	10.1	8.0	14.1	128.7	151.9	137.4			
Dec.	3.2	8.7	4.1	12.5	128.4	153.0	137.6			
1957—Jan.	1.4	7.1	1.9	10.2	128.6	153.3	137.9	268.2	66.2	334.4
Feb.	1.7	6.0	2.1	7.5	128.7	153.4	138.0			
Mar.	3.4	5.2	4.4	6.9	128.9	153.6	138.2			
Apr.	6.1	5.5	8.7	7.0	128.8	156.7	139.3	361.9	67.1	429.0
May	8.4	5.6	13.6	7.6	129.2	157.5	139.8			
June	9.6	5.5	17.8	11.2	129.1	158.3	140.1			
July	9.0	6.4	13.0	8.7	129.0	158.3	140.0			
Aug.	8.8	5.6	12.9	8.5	128.6	160.0	140.4			
Sept. *	7.9	7.1	11.5	11.2	128.3	160.7	140.5			

1. Excludes conversions. From 1951 to 1956 these are estimated to have totalled approximately 3.5, 3.2, 3.8, 4.4, 4.3 and 3.6 thousand respectively. 2. Based on a complete enumeration. 3. In areas outside the centres of 5,000 population and over, information relating to starts and completions is based on a sample survey. In the latter part of 1954 the sample was redesigned and enlarged and some discontinuity with previous years resulted. There is probably an understatement of total starts and completions and of expenditures in 1954 and earlier years. Total number of starts in 1957 is subject to upward revision when the results of the October survey are available. 4. Calendar year figures are the averages of 12 months. 5. Index of average hourly wage rates including holiday pay allowances. Annual data refer to the month of October each year. 6. Expenditures on work put in place. * Preliminary.

NOTE: For 1952 data see page 78 in the "Financial Supplement 1955" and for 1953–1956 data see page 108 in the "Financial Supplement 1956".

VOLUME OF INDUSTRIAL PRODUCTION

INDEXES NOT SEASONALLY ADJUSTED

1935–39 = 100 — *"Canadian Statistical Review", Dominion Bureau of Statistics*

	Total	Mining	Manufacturing			Electricity and Manufactured Gas
			Total	Non-Durables	Durables	
Weighting	100.0	16.8	75.6	46.1	29.5	7.6
Annual Average						
1951	226.5	161.8	242.1	214.0	285.9	214.2
1952	233.0	174.7	246.3	215.2	294.8	228.8
1953	248.4	185.8	263.0	224.1	323.9	241.9
1954	244.6	209.7	251.4	221.7	297.7	254.6
1955	265.8	242.0	270.1	235.2	324.8	275.7
1956	284.4	272.5	285.6	245.6	248.9	295.2
Monthly						
1956—Jan.	257.7	239.8	259.5	223.5	315.8	278.8
Feb.	266.4	243.6	269.7	232.8	327.5	283.2
Mar.	277.5	250.5	282.5	240.9	347.5	286.9
Apr.	277.4	234.5	286.6	244.1	353.0	279.8
May	283.3	257.5	288.0	244.3	356.3	293.2
June	298.7	279.5	303.3	260.1	370.8	295.3
July	285.5	284.3	286.1	240.2	358.0	282.7
Aug.	288.6	294.3	287.3	252.5	341.8	289.1
Sept.	298.8	308.6	296.5	260.2	353.2	300.6
Oct.	300.7	308.4	297.1	256.4	360.8	319.5
Nov.	298.2	298.4	296.2	254.4	361.6	317.1
Dec.	279.4	270.4	277.7	237.7	340.3	316.3
1957—Jan.	272.0	262.7	269.8	227.3	336.2	314.6
Feb.	281.9	264.7	282.3	242.5	344.5	315.4
Mar.	283.0	258.2	286.2	245.4	349.9	306.4
Apr.	285.3	274.0	285.1	247.1	344.5	312.2
May	289.9†	295.1	288.1†	251.6†	345.2†	296.0
June	296.9	306.0	296.2	263.3	347.7	283.5
July	283.6*	309.0*	277.3*	244.7*	328.3*	290.1†
Aug.	286.5*	305.3*	283.1*	257.4*	323.4*	278.4

† Revised. * Preliminary.

NOTE: For 1952 data see page 82 in the "Financial Supplement 1955" and for 1953–1956 see page 116 in the "Financial Supplement 1956".

U.S.A. ECONOMIC STATISTICS

	U.S. Department of Commerce								*U.S. Dept. of Labor*			*Federal Reserve*
	Gross National Product	Change in Business Inventories	Govt. Expenditure on National Security 1	Personal Savings as a Percentage of Disposable Income	Total Personal Income	Construction 3	Unemployment	Retail Sales 4	Consumer Price Index	Wholesale Prices: All Commodities	Average Hourly Earnings in Manufacturing 5	Total Industrial Production 4
	Billions of Dollars 2				Billions of $	Billions of $	Millions	Billions of $	1947–49 = 100		Dollars	1947–49 = 100
Annual Averages 6												
1951	328.2	10.4	37.3	7.8	255.3	31.2	1.9	156.5	111.0	114.8	1.59	120
1952	345.4	3.0	48.8	8.0	271.8	34.8	1.7	162.4	113.5	111.6	1.67	124
1953	363.2	0.3	51.5	7.9	286.0	37.1	1.6	169.1	114.4	110.1	1.77	134
1954	361.2	−1.9	43.1	7.0	287.4	39.6	3.2	169.1	114.8	110.3	1.81	125
1955	391.7	4.2	41.3	5.8	305.9	44.6	2.7	183.9	114.5	110.7	1.88	139
1956	414.7	4.6	42.4	7.0	326.9	46.1	2.6	189.7	116.2	114.3	1.98	143
Monthly												
1956—Apr.					323.7	3.6	2.6	15.4	114.9	113.6	1.96	143
May	410.8	4.6	41.6	7.3	325.2	4.0	2.6	15.7	115.4	114.4	1.96	141
June					326.8	4.3	2.9	15.9	116.2	114.2	1.97	141
July					325.6	4.4	2.8	15.9	117.0	114.0	1.96	136
Aug.	416.7	3.3	42.7	7.0	329.3	4.5	2.2	16.1	116.8	114.7	1.98	143
Sept.					331.1	4.4	2.0	15.9	117.1	115.5	2.01	144
Oct.					334.1	4.3	1.9	15.9	117.7	115.6	2.02	146
Nov.	426.0	5.1	44.2	7.4	334.9	4.0	2.5	16.2	117.8	115.9	2.03	146
Dec.					334.8	3.5	2.5	16.2	118.0	116.3	2.05	147
1957—Jan.					335.9	3.2	3.2 7	16.3	118.2	116.9	2.05	146
Feb.	429.1	−0.8	45.5	6.4	337.9	3.0	3.1	16.4	118.7	117.0	2.05	146
Mar.					339.5	3.3	2.9	16.3	118.9	116.9	2.05	145
Apr.					340.6	3.6	2.7	16.4	119.3	117.2	2.05	143
May	434.3	1.7	46.3	7.0†	342.9	4.0	2.7	16.6	119.6	117.1	2.06	143
June					344.8	4.3	3.3	16.8	120.2	117.4	2.07	144
July					346.2	4.4	3.0	17.0	120.8	118.2	2.07	144
Aug.	439.0	2.0	46.0	6.5	346.8†	4.6	2.6	17.0†	121.0	118.4†	2.07	145†
Sept.					346.5	4.6	2.6	16.7	121.1	118.0	2.08	144

1. Includes stockpiling, atomic energy, and Mutual Defence Assistance in addition to strictly military programmes.
2. Seasonally adjusted annual rates.
3. Value of new work put in place.
4. Seasonally adjusted.
5. Production workers.
6. Quarterly averages for first four columns. Calendar year totals in the case of "Construction" and "Retail Sales".
7. New series starting Jan. 1957; not strictly comparable with earlier figures. Includes persons temporarily laid-off who were classed as employed prior to 1957.

† Revised.

EXTERNAL TRADE AND TRADE INDEXES

Millions of Dollars — *Compiled from "Trade of Canada", Dominion Bureau of Statistics*

	Total exports (excluding gold) to 1							New Gold Production Available for Export ‡	Export indexes 4 (1948 = 100)		
	U.S.A.	U.K.	Other Sterling Area 2	Western Europe & Colonies 3	Central and South America	All Other	Total All Countries		Total Value	Price	Physical Volume
Calendar Yrs.											
1951	2,334	636	267	364	217	145	3,963	150	127.3	123.0	103.5
1952	2,349	751	291	468	281	216	4,356	150	139.9	121.8	114.9
1953	2,463	669	252	367	207	215	4,173	144	133.9	118.3	113.2
1954	2,367	658	208	349	196	169	3,947	155	126.2	115.1	109.6
1955	2,612	774	254	379	172	160	4,351	155	139.2	117.7	118.3
1956	2,879	818	257	465	188	256	4,863	150	155.7	121.3	128.4
12 Mths. ending Aug. 1957	2,923	782	240	515	234	225	4,919	134			
Monthly											
1956–Feb.	216.0	58.8	19.5	31.4	12.4	14.8	352.9	12.7	135.7	119.9	113.2
Mar.	208.4	49.2	21.0	28.6	12.0	14.0	333.2	12.4	127.8	120.8	105.8
Apr.	236.6	65.6	19.9	30.7	15.0	20.4	388.2	12.5	149.3	121.4	123.0
May	261.8	59.3	25.4	40.3	16.3	32.2	435.3	14.0	167.1	122.0	137.0
June	233.6	65.7	28.5	47.0	17.0	37.3	429.1	12.9	165.3	122.1	135.4
July	237.5	75.9	22.1	44.8	16.4	33.6	430.3	11.1	165.6	121.7	136.1
Aug.	267.5	69.1	19.2	37.0	13.6	20.8	427.1	14.5	164.1	121.9	134.6
Sept.	235.8	75.7	19.9	42.0	15.3	20.6	409.3	12.2	157.5	122.0	129.1
Oct.	285.5	67.4	17.9	47.0	21.2	17.1	456.1	12.3	175.2	122.4	143.1
Nov.	243.2	83.9	22.7	44.9	16.4	14.6	425.7	12.3	163.4	122.5	133.4
Dec.	235.9	75.0	20.8	45.1	18.4	15.4	410.6	10.4	157.5	122.2	128.9
1957–Jan.	219.0	63.8	23.1	51.3	22.6	23.6	403.4	13.9	154.8	122.5	126.4
Feb.	214.2	52.3	18.5	33.6	14.8	13.5	346.9	12.5	132.7	122.0	108.8
Mar.	227.6	45.5	15.2	44.2	21.4	14.3	368.2	12.1	140.9	122.8	114.7
Apr.	228.6	54.3	17.9	38.0	18.6	15.2	372.6	10.8	142.7	122.7	116.3
May	266.8	68.7	23.9	38.9	23.7	23.4	445.4	15.4	170.7	121.9	140.0
June	235.0	56.4	21.1	46.4	17.5	17.7	394.1	5.2	151.0	122.5	123.3
July	255.3	69.3	21.3	49.6	23.8	30.0	449.3	12.7	170.9	121.7	140.4
Aug.	276.4	69.9	17.4	34.3	20.2	19.2	437.4	3.9	167.3	121.2*	138.0*
Sept.*	256.9	68.2					424.2	10.2			

	Total imports (excluding gold) from							Excess of Merchandise Exports over Merchandise Imports	Import indexes 4 (1948 = 100)		
	U.S.A.	U.K.	Other Sterling Area 2	Western Europe & Colonies 3	Central and South America	All Other	Total All Countries		Total Value	Price	Physical Volume
Calendar Yrs.											
1951	2,813	421	309	181	275	86	4,085	−122	154.8	126.2	122.7
1952	2,977	360	186	157	285	65	4,030	326	152.3	110.4	138.0
1953	3,221	453	172	179	291	67	4,383	−210	165.2	109.4	151.0
1954	2,961	392	183	199	286	72	4,093	−146	154.4	109.5	141.0
1955	3,452	401	211	234	320	94	4,712	−361	177.1	110.5	160.3
1956	4,162	485	222	328	363	145	5,705	−842	214.9	113.1	190.0
12 Mths. ending June 1957	4,184	506	233	341	367	133	5,665	−875			
Monthly											
1956–Feb.	305.3	30.9	13.1	16.5	30.4	8.8	405.0	−52.1	183.4	113.8	161.2
Mar.	361.7	33.8	13.2	17.4	27.9	9.5	463.5	−130.3	210.0	114.4	183.6
Apr.	400.3	50.0	14.0	27.6	30.8	9.7	532.4	−144.2	240.0	113.8	210.9
May	397.7	49.5	26.5	32.9	32.4	11.0	550.0	−114.7	248.0	113.1	219.3
June	357.8	41.4	18.4	29.4	28.2	15.4	490.6	−61.5	221.6	113.5	195.2
July	341.7	45.9	22.5	28.8	29.8	13.9	482.6	−52.3	218.1	112.4	194.0
Aug.	329.7	42.8	21.6	30.9	35.1	13.6	473.7	−46.6	212.9	112.4	189.4
Sept.	309.9	35.8	21.2	29.0	28.4	13.4	437.7	−28.4	196.2	112.0	175.2
Oct.	394.6	43.7	21.6	38.5	27.9	16.5	542.8	−86.7	245.3	112.8	217.5
Nov.	368.7	48.5	26.4	35.8	30.7	11.4	521.5	−95.8	236.3	113.0	209.1
Dec.	299.9	29.3	11.2	22.7	28.1	10.7	401.9	+8.7	181.0	113.5	159.5
1957–Jan.	346.7	35.7	16.1	20.9	30.5	9.1	459.0	−55.6	208.2	115.0	181.0
Feb.	330.0	34.8	10.1	18.4	29.9	8.2	431.4	−84.5	195.5	116.1	168.4
Mar.	354.6	43.2	14.5	21.5	27.8	7.3	468.9	−100.7	212.7	116.7	182.3
Apr.	393.2	52.3	19.7	32.3	30.6	9.1	537.2	−164.6	243.8	117.4	207.7
May	395.1	50.7	29.5	33.4	36.0	9.4	554.1	−108.7	251.4	116.7	215.4
June	320.1	43.4	18.8	29.2	32.0	10.5	454.0	−59.9	206.1	116.7*	176.6*
July *	331.8	45.5					479.6	−30.3			
Aug. *	323.7	47.4					473.3	−35.9			
Sept.*	310.9	40.6					447.0	−22.8			

1. Includes exports of foreign produce. Excludes defence equipment transferred by Canada to North Atlantic Treaty countries which in 1951, 1952, 1953, 1954, 1955 and 1956 amounted to 109.1, 100.9, 182.0, 202.4, 165.9 and 96.8 respectively.
2. Consists of U.K. Dependencies, Union of South Africa, Ireland, India, Pakistan, Burma, Australia, New Zealand, Iceland, Jordan, Libya, Ceylon and Iraq.
3. Excludes Spain, but includes Greece and Turkey.
4. Excludes exports of foreign produce. Price indexes are based largely on unit values derived from the Customs' entries.

‡ See footnote ‡ to "Canadian Gold Statistics" table on page 341.

* Preliminary. ** Not available.

NOTE: For 1952 data see pages 76–77 in the "Financial Supplement 1955" and for 1953–1956 see pages 102–103 in the "Financial Supplement 1956".

IMPORTS CLASSIFIED BY SOURCE AND END-USE★

Compiled from "Trade of Canada" — *Dominion Bureau of Statistics*

Millions of Dollars

Source, Calendar Years and Quarters	Fuels and Lubricants 1	Industrial Materials: Textile, Leather and Fur Materials 2	Industrial Materials: Metal Materials 3	Industrial Materials: Chemical Materials 4	Industrial Materials: Other Industrial Materials 5	Industrial Materials: Total Industrial Materials	Investment Goods: Machinery and Parts 6	Investment Goods: Electrical Machinery 7	Investment Goods: Aircraft, Other Transport Equipment and Parts 8	Investment Goods: Construction Materials, Structural Steel and Pipe 9	Investment Goods: Total Investment Goods	Consumer Goods: Food, Beverages, and Tobacco 10	Consumer Goods: Clothing, Household Textiles, Leather Goods 11	Consumer Goods: Passenger Automobiles: Engines, Parts and Finished Vehicles 12	Consumer Goods: Household Durables and Semi-Durables 13	Consumer Goods: Other Manufactured Goods 14	Consumer Goods: Total Consumer Goods	Special Items 15	**Total Imports**
From U.S.A. 1953	304	181	256	183	190	810	645	162	209	141	1,157	164	48	259	146	272	889	61	**3,221**
1954	236	168	213	177	196	753	544	174	200	140	1,058	190	44	211	127	277	849	64	**2,961**
1955	231	181	280	208	232	901	660	190	242	155	1,247	201	48	302	149	296	995	78	**3,452**
1956	255	179	389	230	274	1,072	917	210	236	250	1,614	246	50	346	166	326	1,132	88	**4,162**
1954–IV	69	47	52	45	59	204	111	55	52	31	250	54	11	43	29	71	208	21	**751**
1955–I	37	56	48	45	48	197	135	47	52	30	264	45	12	80	31	61	229	16	**746**
II	59	47	68	55	56	226	181	42	65	35	323	54	12	95	41	74	276	22	**904**
III	64	37	79	53	57	226	167	45	73	40	325	45	12	62	38	83	239	25	**879**
IV	71	41	85	55	71	252	177	56	52	50	335	57	12	65	39	78	251	15	**925**
1956–I	45	47	86	55	61	249	211	51	61	52	374	50	13	106	42	69	279	15	**961**
II	67	40	109	65	73	287	265	54	66	74	460	61	12	110	48	84	315	26	**1,156**
III	73	38	94	54	63	248	223	50	55	59	386	61	12	47	38	90	248	26	**982**
IV	70	54	100	56	77	288	218	55	54	65	394	74	13	83	38	83	290	21	**1,063**
1957–I	54	62	80	59	61	261	242	52	57	76	427	58	13	90	38	77	276	13	**1,031**
II	68	51	91	63	69	273	273	51	62	72	458	68	12	86	40	87	294	16	**1,108**
From U.K. 1953	5	94	52	18	11	175	58	23	33	21	135	24	32	33	22	20	131	8	**453**
1954	4	71	53	18	11	153	45	19	26	21	111	25	28	20	20	19	114	11	**393**
1955	4	76	49	22	14	161	41	22	28	21	112	25	32	19	21	21	117	7	**401**
1956	3	84	76	21	17	199	54	31	21	37	142	25	33	27	22	26	134	7	**485**
1954–IV	1	16	12	5	3	36	8	6	6	5	25	9	6	3	5	5	27	2	**92**
1955–I	–	19	12	4	3	38	9	4	7	3	23	4	6	3	4	4	21	1	**85**
II	1	18	10	5	3	36	12	5	8	5	30	6	7	7	5	5	30	2	**98**
III	2	19	12	6	5	42	10	7	9	7	32	6	11	5	6	6	33	2	**111**
IV	1	20	15	7	3	45	10	6	4	6	27	9	8	4	6	6	33	2	**107**
1956–I	–	20	15	4	4	44	11	5	4	6	26	4	7	6	5	5	27	1	**98**
II	1	23	23	6	4	56	16	8	7	10	42	7	8	11	7	8	40	2	**141**
III	1	20	21	5	4	49	13	9	5	12	39	6	10	5	6	6	33	2	**124**
IV	1	21	17	6	5	50	14	9	5	9	35	8	8	5	4	7	34	2	**122**
1957–I	–	21	15	4	3	43	13	7	10	8	39	5	8	7	5	5	29	2	**114**
II	1	24	17	6	5	51	19	9	10	13	51	6	8	12	6	7	39	4	**146**
From All Other 1953	192	71	47	12	59	189	18	2	1	20	41	214	15	2	25	18	274	14	**709**
1954	217	51	39	11	56	157	20	6	1	21	49	235	19	3	24	22	301	16	**739**
1955	254	79	49	16	73	216	22	6	3	30	61	234	25	5	28	24	318	10	**859**
1956	305	101	73	17	79	268	32	9	3	65	109	250	32	15	35	32	365	13	**1,058**
1954–IV	57	13	11	4	14	40	6	3	–	5	14	63	5	–	5	6	81	7	**199**
1955–I	55	13	4	3	15	35	4	2	–	4	10	44	6	1	6	5	62	2	**159**
II	61	19	13	3	20	55	5	1	1	6	13	63	5	2	6	7	83	2	**217**
III	69	21	15	5	15	55	6	2	1	9	18	59	6	1	7	6	82	3	**227**
IV	69	26	17	5	23	71	7	1	1	11	20	68	8	1	9	6	91	3	**254**
1956–I	65	34	6	3	18	60	5	2	–	8	16	47	7	3	7	6	70	2	**213**
II	69	30	19	5	21	75	8	3	1	20	31	67	9	6	8	8	99	3	**276**
III	86	19	27	4	19	72	8	1	1	19	31	67	10	1	8	9	95	4	**288**
IV	85	18	21	5	21	61	11	3	1	18	31	69	6	5	12	9	101	4	**281**
1957–I	68	15	13	3	17	48	9	2	–	10	20	49	7	4	7	8	76	3	**214**
II	78	18	21	4	18	62	11	3	1	20	35	75	9	6	9	10	109	5	**291**
Total All Countries 1953	501	346	355	213	260	1,174	721	187	243	181	1,332	402	95	294	193	310	1,294	83	**4,383**
1954	457	290	305	206	263	1,063	609	199	227	182	1,218	450	91	234	171	318	1,264	91	**4,093**
1955	489	336	378	246	318	1,278	723	218	273	206	1,420	460	105	326	198	341	1,430	95	**4,712**
1956	563	364	538	268	370	1,539	1,003	250	260	352	1,865	521	115	388	223	384	1,631	108	**5,705**
12 Months ending June 1957	585	361	517	269	362	1,506	1,054	251	261	381	1,946	546	116	351	211	398	1,624	102	**5,764**
1954–IV	127	76	75	54	76	280	125	64	58	41	289	126	22	46	39	82	316	30	**1,042**
1955–I	92	88	64	52	66	270	148	53	59	37	297	93	24	84	41	70	312	19	**991**
II	121	84	91	63	79	317	198	48	74	46	366	123	24	104	52	86	389	26	**1,219**
III	135	77	106	64	77	323	183	54	83	56	375	110	29	68	51	95	354	30	**1,217**
IV	141	87	117	67	96	368	194	63	57	67	382	134	28	70	54	90	375	20	**1,286**
1956–I	110	101	107	62	83	353	227	58	65	66	416	101	27	115	54	80	376	18	**1,272**
II	137	93	151	76	98	418	289	65	74	104	533	135	29	127	63	100	454	31	**1,573**
III	160	78	142	63	86	369	244	60	61	90	456	134	31	53	52	105	375	32	**1,394**
IV	156	92	138	67	103	399	243	67	60	92	460	151	28	93	54	99	426	27	**1,466**
1957–I	122	98	108	66	81	352	264	61	67	94	486	112	28	101	50	90	381	18	**1,359**
II	147	93	129	73	92	386	303	63	73	105	544	149	29	104	55	104	442	25	**1,545**

★ This classification attempts to distinguish between imports for investment and imports for consumption, insofar as this is possible within the limitations of the basic data provided by the trade returns. In the case of most finished goods and many component parts, the end-use is reasonably clear, although a certain amount of rather arbitrary grouping is unavoidable. Finished goods whose end-use cannot easily be determined are included in "Other Manufactured Goods" above. In the case of fuels and lubricants and most crude and semi-manufactured industrial materials, separate categories are provided in the table because imports of these goods enter into both investment and consumption. A complete list of items included in this classification is available from the Research Department on request.

1. Mainly coal, crude petroleum, gasoline, lubricants, natural gas.
2. Mainly textile yarn, fabrics, textile fibres, hides, skins, leather and furs.
3. Includes primary metals and products thereof whose end-use cannot clearly be distinguished.
4. Including synthetic resins, dyes and paints.
5. Oil and fats, rubber, paper and products, crude minerals, wood and cork.
6. Includes tools and agricultural machinery, but excludes electrical machinery.
7. Includes radio apparatus, n.o.p.
8. Includes aircraft and parts, railway rolling stock, trucks, buses and parts. Excludes passenger automobiles and parts.
9. Includes softwood lumber, cement, window glass, hardware and building fixtures.
10. Fruits and vegetables, coffee, tea, cocoa, meats, cereals, alcoholic beverages, tobacco and products.
11. Includes carpets, linoleum and travel goods.
12. Automobile engines and parts for assembly or repair and finished vehicles.
13. Mainly electric household appliances, stoves and heaters, furniture, china and glassware, household utensils, jewellery, clocks and watches.
14. Includes instruments, cameras, duty-free tourist purchases, postal packages, drugs, medicines, cosmetics, toys, books newspapers, etc.
15. Chiefly arms and supplies for use of NATO forces in Canada, settler's effects and Canadian goods returned.

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BANK OF CANADA
MONTH-END AND WEEKLY SERIES

Millions of Dollars

	ASSETS											
	Government of Canada Direct and Guaranteed Securities								Provincial Govt. Securities	Advances to		Foreign Currency Assets
	Treasury Bills	Other Maturities [1]					Total	*Of which held under Purchase and Resale Agreements*		Govt. of Canada	Chartered & Savings Banks	
	1	2 yrs. and under	Over 2 yrs. to 5 yrs.	Over 5 yrs. to 10 yrs.	Over 10 yrs.	Total	1					2
As at Dec. 31												
1951	186.4	955.3	1,049.3			2,004.7	**2,191.1**	–	–	–	–	204.2
1952	282.9	1,176.9	767.2			1,944.1	**2,227.0**	–	–	–	–	84.5
1953	374.5	1,002.1	893.7			1,895.7	**2,270.2**	*19.0*	–	–	–	67.2
1954	168.5	1,193.0	410.8	297.3	152.5	2,053.6	**2,222.0**	–	–	–	–	66.4
1955	262.6	1,021.2	354.5	516.6	212.5	2,104.9	**2,367.5**	–	–	–	2.0	114.7
1956	505.2	519.7 [1]	629.7 [1]	507.2 [1]	232.0 [1]	1,888.7 [1]	**2,393.9** [1]	–	–	–	–	77.7
End of												
1956—Nov.	553.5	467.7	672.7	466.4	222.5	1,829.2	**2,382.8**	–	–	–	–	77.9
Dec.	505.2	519.7 [1]	629.7 [1]	507.2 [1]	232.0 [1]	1,888.7 [1]	**2,393.9** [1]	–	–	–	–	77.7
1957—Jan.	413.5	678.2	438.8	510.3	229.2	1,856.5	**2,270.0**	*2.1*	–	–	–	75.1
Feb.	436.6	616.1	620.4	318.9	224.9	1,780.4	**2,217.0**	*1.2*	–	–	–	84.8
Mar.	477.2	627.9	612.4	314.4	223.5	1,778.4	**2,255.6**	*0.7*	–	–	0.3	75.2
Apr.	498.1	659.9	617.2	321.0	224.8	1,822.8	**2,320.9**	–	–	–	0.1	71.9
May	473.7	692.2	605.3	321.1	228.5	1 847.1	**2,320.9**	–	–	–	3.0	76.3
June	519.0	694.3	607.5	324.9	229.9	1,856 6	**2,375.5**	–	–	–	–	81.1
July	503.2	694.6	607.7	328.4	232.8	1,863.4	**2,366.6**	–	–	–	–	86.9
Aug.	537.6	714.2	609.5	329.7	234.6	1,888.1	**2,425.6**	–	–	–	–	83.8
Sept.	427.6	780.8	615.3	323.2	231.1	1,950.4	**2,378.0**	–	–	–	–	67.5
Oct.	515.6	781.9	612.4	318.1	226.6	1,939.0	**2,454.6**	–	–	–	–	69.7
Nov.	436.3	885.1	588.4	308.4	219.7	2,001.6	**2,437.9**	*54.3*	–	–	–	72.7
Average of Wednesdays												
1956—Nov.	536.9	455.7	1,352.3			1,808.0	**2,344.9**	*3.8*	–	–	21.3	77.0
Dec.	525.9	493.4	1,369.4			1,862.8	**2,388.7**	*0.4*	–	–	13.6	75.9
1957—Jan.	466.4 [1]	687.6 [1]	1,178.3 [1]			1,866.0 [1]	**2,332.4** [1]	*1.2*	–	–	6.0	72.6
Feb.	402.6	646.2	1,174.1			1,820.3	**2,222.9**	*7.0*	–	–	–	73.8
Mar.	484.3	610.9	1,149.4			1,760.3	**2,244.5**	*0.1*	–	–	5.4	75.4
Apr.	479.7	650.8	1,154.5			1,805.3	**2,285.0**	*7.9*	–	–	12.8	75.2
May	495.8	666.9	1,166.7			1,833.6	**2,329.4**	*1.2*	–	–	5.1	79.2
June	502.8	707.5	1,158.4			1,866.0	**2,368.8**	–	–	–	6.0	83.6
July	532.9	701.4	1,166.2			1,867.7	**2,400.6**	*6.6*	–	–	2.4	82.6
Aug.	548.1	709.4	1,171.8			1,881.2	**2,429.3**	*11.5*	–	–	2.8	80.6
Sept.	510.6	754.4	1,172.2			1,926.6	**2,437.2**	–	–	–	–	72.8
Oct.	488.4	781.4	1,169.2			1,950.6	**2,439.0**	*15.9*	–	–	–	71.3
Nov.	487.9	826.8	1,136.4			1,963.2	**2,451.1**	*5.4*	–	–	–	65.4
As at												
1957—June 5	492.0	715.7	1,154.6			1,870.3	**2,362.3**	*31.7*	–	–	–	84.3
12	502.4	708.4	1,157.6			1,866.0	**2,368.4**	–	–	–	–	82.4
19	503.4	711.3	1,160.4			1,871.6	**2,375.0**	*6.0*	–	–	–	84.2
26	513.4	694.7	1,161.3			1,856.0	**2,369.4**	–	–	–	24.0	83.5
July 3	523.1	699.4	1,163.3			1,862.7	**2,385.8**	*7.8*	–	–	12.0	74.6
10	546.4	714.0	1,164.5			1,878.5	**2,424.9**	*25.3*	–	–	–	77.9
17	558.3	702.6	1,165.8			1,868.5	**2,426.7**	–	–	–	–	90.2
24	533.5	696.6	1,168.7			1,865.3	**2,398.8**	–	–	–	–	83.7
31	503.2	694.6	1,168.9			1,863.4	**2,366.6**	–	–	–	–	86.9
Aug. 7	527.4	706.5	1,170.0			1,876.5	**2,403.9**	*42.3*	–	–	11.0	80.4
14	554.1	701.9	1,170.9			1,872.8	**2,426.8**	*3.7*	–	–	–	80.8
21	564.7	714.3	1,172.3			1,886.6	**2,451.3**	–	–	–	–	90.4
28	546.1	715.0	1,174.0			1,889.0	**2,435.0**	–	–	–	–	71.1
Sept. 4	537.0	717.5	1,168.5			1,886.0	**2,423.0**	–	–	–	–	80.0
11	534.9	744.6	1,168.2			1,912.7	**2,447.6**	–	–	–	–	67.9
18	511.9	774.8	1,181.6			1,956.4	**2,468.3**	–	–	–	–	73.4
25	458.7	780.9	1,170.5			1,951.4	**2,410.1**	–	–	–	–	69.6
Oct. 2	419.4	759.8	1,173.2			1,933.0	**2,352.5**	*0.8*	–	–	–	61.9
9	468.0	782.9	1,175.1			1,958.0	**2,426.0**	*15.8*	–	–	–	68.9
10	503.4	778.8	1,172.9			1,951.7	**2,455.1**	*9.0*	–	–	–	71.9
23	515.5	776.7	1,165.7			1,942.4	**2,457.9**	–	–	–	–	70.2
30	535.6	808.7	1,159.4			1,968.1	**2,503.7**	*53.7*	–	–	–	83.6
Nov. 6	515.5	785.6	1,147.7			1,933.3	**2,448.7**	–	–	–	–	70.0
13	491.3	805.6	1,146.1			1,951.7	**2,443.0**	–	–	–	–	68.3
20	486.6	846.9	1,133.3			1,980.2	**2,466.8**	–	–	–	–	67.3
27	458.3	869.1	1,118.6			1,987.7	**2,466.0**	*21.4*	–	–	–	55.9

1. On Dec. 31, 1956, the basis for the valuation of securities held by the Bank of Canada was changed from "not exceeding market values" to amortized values, and for this reason figures for Dec. 31 and later dates are not comparable with those for earlier dates. 2. Foreign exchange and foreign securities. 3. Industrial Development Bank capital stock, bonds and debentures. 4. Bank premises and all other assets. 5. Capital, rest fund and all other liabilities.

NOTE: For 1935–1944 year-end and 1946–1952 month-end data for the majority of these series see pages 4–13 in the "Financial Supplement 1954". For 1945–1956 year-end and all month-end and weekly data back to 1953 see pages 4–15 in the "Financial Supplement 1956".

Millions of Dollars

	Investment in IDB	All Other Accounts	Total Assets or Liabilities	LIABILITIES								
				Notes in Circulation			Canadian Dollar Deposits			Foreign Currency Liabilities	All Other Accounts	
				Held by		Total	Govt. of Canada	Chartered Banks	Other			
				Chartered Banks	Others							
	3	4									5	
As at Dec. 31												
1951	27.8	21.0	**2,444.1**	273.1	1,191.1	**1,464.2**	94.9	619.0	66.1	155.6	44.4	
1952	30.8	39.2	**2,381.4**	272.5	1,288.7	**1,561.2**	16.2	626.6	44.5	82.9	50.0	
1953	36.3	63.5	**2,437.2**	263.8	1,335.3	**1,599.1**	51.5	623.9	29.5	63.8	69.3	
1954	35.6	76.9	**2,400.8**	261.6	1,361.9	**1,623.5**	56.3	529.6	30.5	63.1	97.9	
1955	35.1	100.9	**2,620.2**	289.4	1,449.0	**1,738.5**	89.2	551.0	34.0	98.0	109.5	
1956	48.0	28.1	**2,547.7**	370.9	1,497.8	**1,868.7**	38.8	511.5	31.2	62.2	35.4	
End of												
1956—Nov.	43.7	116.9	**2,621.3**	250.5	1,542.9	**1,793.5**	7.4	624.9	31.7	68.2	95.7	
Dec.	48.0	28.1	**2,547.7**	370.9	1,497.8	**1,868.7**	38.8	511.5	31.2	62.2	35.4	
1957—Jan.	48.9	66.9	**2,460.9**	294.1	1,444.8	**1,738.9**	57.8	524.0	34.3	65.4	40.5	
Feb.	50.1	69.6	**2,421.5**	260.6	1,457.3	**1,717.9**	52.7	497.5	27.2	75.0	51.4	
Mar.	50.9	167.0	**2,548.7**	224.5	1,500.0	**1,724.6**	78.3	519.5	25.1	65.4	135.8	
Apr.	52.2	72.3	**2,517.7**	299.4	1,456.8	**1,756.3**	62.9	546.9	22.5	62.2	67.0	
May	55.1	139.7	**2,592.0**	229.0	1,522.5	**1,751.5**	43.9	526.3	32.0	66.8	171.4	
June	57.0	158.4	**2,675.2**	225.0	1,559.3	**1,784.3**	44.4	545.5	28.9	72.7	199.3	
July	58.4	51.9	**2,563.8**	304.8	1,513.0	**1,817.7**	54.2	490.5	26.9	77.2	97.3	
Aug.	59.6	157.5	**2,726.5**	244.5	1,571.0	**1,815.5**	64.0	542.8	33.3	74.0	196.9	
Sept.	59.6	73.7	**2,578.8**	289.9	1,529.2	**1,819.1**	66.9	480.8	28.7	57.7	125.6	
Oct.	60.0	125.4	**2,709.6**	271.9	1,552.2	**1,824.0**	40.1	623.7	25.8	59.9	136.1	
Nov.	60.6	211.3	**2,782.5**	*	*	**1,828.0**	64.3	543.4	30.7	62.9	253.2	
Average of Wednesdays												
1956—Nov.	42.8	63.6	**2,549.5**	349.9	1,444.1	**1,794.1**	45.0	531.4	30.2	67.3	81.6	
Dec.	43.7	49.3	**2,571.3**	356.7	1,481.5	**1,838.2**	32.6	548.5	30.7	61.6	59.7	
1957—Jan.	48.1	55.3	**2,514.3**	380.2	1,421.9	**1,802.2**	57.5	524.5	27.9	63.0	39.3	
Feb.	49.0	60.6	**2,406.3**	326.7	1,399.4	**1,726.0**	64.3	478.3	28.0	64.1	45.5	
Mar.	50.1	54.0	**2,429.4**	318.0	1,406.6	**1,724.7**	51.0	513.8	28.6	65.3	45.9	
Apr.	51.1	68.1	**2,492.1**	315.2	1,431.7	**1,746.9**	47.5	550.6	25.1	65.5	56.6	
May	52.7	53.0	**2,519.4**	324.6	1,431.1	**1,755.7**	45.3	554.4	25.5	69.5	69.1	
June	55.4	65.8	**2,579.5**	329.4	1,440.2	**1,769.6**	46.8	559.7	25.9	74.0	103.4	
July	57.3	61.2	**2,604.1**	328.8	1,484.1	**1,812.9**	51.8	525.6	27.6	73.1	113.1	
Aug.	58.5	58.2	**2,629.3**	339.6†	1,481.5†	**1,821.0**	53.5	551.0	30.4	71.0	102.5	
Sept.	59.6	62.4	**2,632.0**	341.6†	1,486.3†	**1,827.9**	47.3	547.7	28.6	62.9	117.6	
Oct.	59.6	75.0	**2,644.9**	329.5	1,500.2	**1,829.7**	48.6	532.2	26.8	61.5	146.0	
Nov.	60.0	119.2	**2,695.6**	339.1	1,494.8	**1,833.9**	47.3	543.4	32.3	55.6	183.0	
As at												
1957—June 5	55.1	75.1	**2,576.7**	307.4	1,455.4	**1,762.8**	45.8	526.9	27.3	74.7	139.3	
12	55.4	66.7	**2,572.9**	337.6	1,433.3	**1,770.9**	52.3	566.6	26.1	72.7	84.3	
19	55.5	67.0	**2,581.6**	332.9	1,437.3	**1,770.1**	43.7	571.6	24.9	74.4	96.9	
26	55.5	54.6	**2,586.9**	339.9	1,434.9	**1,774.8**	45.5	573.6	25.4	74.4	93.2	
July 3	57.1	107.5	**2,636.9**	300.4	1,501.5	**1,802.0**	49.3	530.2	30.3	66.5	158.7	
10	57.1	48.1	**2,607.9**	351.6	1,464.9	**1,816.5**	39.0	534.8	26.4	68.0	123.3	
17	57.1	54.5	**2,628.5**	334.5	1,482.8	**1,817.2**	60.0	539.7	28.1	80.0	103.4	
24	57.1	43.7	**2,583.3**	352.8	1,458.1	**1,810.9**	56.6	532.7	26.1	74.0	83.0	
31	58.4	51.9	**2,563.8**	304.8	1,513.0	**1,817.7**	54.2	490.5	26.9	77.2	97.3	
Aug. 7	58.5	47.7	**2,601.5**	327.8	1,498.3	**1,826.1**	45.7	531.5	28.2	70.9	99.2	
14	58.5	56.8	**2,622.9**	340.6	1,485.6	**1,826.3**	49.4	547.9	28.8	70.9	99.5	
21	58.5	58.7	**2,658.8**	343.5	1,474.1	**1,817.6**	51.9	560.8	32.2	80.7	115.6	
28	58.5	69.5	**2,634.1**	346.2†	1,467.8†	**1,814.1**	67.0	563.7	32.4	61.4	95.5	
Sept. 4	59.6	93.1	**2,655.7**	314.8†	1,513.1†	**1,827.9**	50.3	532.8	27.9	70.3	146.5	
11	59.6	52.0	**2,627.1**	350.7†	1,484.1†	**1,834.8**	38.5	559.5	27.9	57.9	108.4	
18	59.6	54.8	**2,656.1**	346.6†	1,482.0†	**1,828.6**	49.9	565.0	30.8	63.7	118.1	
25	59.6	49.7	**2,589.0**	354.2	1,466.0	**1,820.2**	50.4	533.7	27.6	59.9	97.3	
Oct. 2	59.6	134.4	**2,608.4**	304.6	1,517.2	**1,821.9**	45.8	463.5	26.6	52.1	198.6	
9	59.6	53.8	**2,608.3**	336.8	1,494.3	**1,831.0**	49.2	522.8	26.7	59.0	119.5	
10	59.6	66.7	**2,653.4**	322.0	1,517.5	**1,839.6**	49.2	537.2	29.0	62.1	136.2	
23	59.6	56.0	**2,643.7**	353.6	1,477.8	**1,831.4**	48.2	561.7	27.0	60.4	114.9	
30	59.6	63.9	**2,710.8**	330.6	1,494.3	**1,824.8**	50.5	575.9	24.7	74.0	160.9	
Nov. 6	60.0	156.2	**2,734.8**	321.7	1,510.3	**1,832.0**	49.8	536.5	32.7	60.2	223.5	
13	60.0	120.1	**2,691.2**	350.2	1,491.8	**1,842.0**	37.8	531.9	30.3	58.5	190.6	
20	60.0	113.6	**2,707.7**	343.8	1,491.3	**1,835.2**	50.9	545.0	35.7	57.6	183.3	
27	60.0	86.8	**2,648.7**	340.7	1,485.7	**1,826.3**	50.7	560.4	30.6	46.1	134.6	

* Not available. † Revised.

CHARTERED BANKS
MONTHLY SERIES
Bank of Canada

Millions of Dollars

I. CANADIAN CASH RESERVES AND LIQUID ASSETS★

	Cash Reserves: Bank of Canada Deposits	Cash Reserves: Bank of Canada Notes	Cash Reserves: Total	Canadian Dollar Deposit Liabilities	Average Cash Reserve Ratio	Day-to-Day Loans	Treasury Bills	Canadian Liquid Assets	Average Liquid Asset Ratio
Daily Averages									
1954 2nd Half ★	525	286	**811**	9,097	8.9	**	**	**	**
1955	541	293	**834**	9,915	8.4	**	**	**	**
1956	548	325	**873**	10,527	8.3	**	**	**	**
1956–June	560	318	**878**	10,597	8.3	84	757	1,719	16.2
July	544	322	**876**	10,608	8.3	92	735	1,703	16.1
Aug.	563	338	**900**	10,649	8.5	61	786	1,747	16.4
Sept.	549	328	**877**	10,563	8.3	83	794	1,755	16.6
Oct.	544	340	**885**	10,607	8.3	83	773	1,740	16.4
Nov.	539	341	**881**	10,591	8.3	83	774	1,737	16.4
Dec.	553	338	**890**	10,704	8.3	71	746	1,707	15.9
1957–Jan.	523	355	**878**	10,660	8.2	85	763	1,726	16.2
Feb.	475	390	**865**	10,525	8.2	119	812	1,797	17.1
Mar.	514	335	**848**	10,371	8.2	117	813	1,779	17.1
Apr.	542	314	**856**	10,489	8.2	97	787	1,740	16.6
May	553	310	**863**	10,528	8.2	110	773	1,746	16.6
June	556	321	**877**	10,694	8.2	109	795	1,781	16.7
July	535	329	**864**	10,647	8.1	96	780	1,741	16.4
Aug.	546	335	**880**	10,668	8.3	94	781	1,756	16.5
Sept.	544	330	**875**	10,543	8.3	96	870	1,840	17.5
Oct.	537	340	**877**	10,590	8.3	123	836	1,835	17.3
Nov.*	549	329	**878**	10,761	8.2	142	821	1,842	17.1

	Advances from Bank of Canada
As at Dec. 31	
1951	–
1952	–
1953	–
1954	–
1955	2
1956	–
End of	
1956—Aug.	–
Sept.	–
Oct.	–
Nov.	–
Dec.	–
1957—Jan.	–
Feb.	–
Mar.	–
Apr.	–
May	–
June	3
July	–
Aug.	–
Sept.	–
Oct.	–

II. LIABILITIES

Canadian Dollar Deposits: Govt. of Canada	Provincial Governments	Personal Savings	Other Notice	Other Banks 1	Public Demand	Total	Foreign Currency Deposits	Acceptances, Guarantees, & Letters of Credit	All Other Liabilities	Shareholders Equity 2	Total Liabilities	
88	185	4,296	316	95	2,993	**7,973**	878	225	7	375	**9,458**	**As at Dec. 31** 1951
49	214	4,600	325	75	3,373	**8,636**	905	199	7	381	**10,128**	1952
473	166	4,756	278	69	3,368	**9,111**	963	155	8	419	**10,656**	1953
176	190	5,218	397	104	3,597	**9,683**	1,030	155	43	521	**11,433**	1954
517	181	5,633	464	139	3,915	**10,848**	1,056	203	26	567	**12,702**	1955
246	169	6,007	444	116	4,180	**11,162**	1,369	210	34	653	**13,428**	1956
275	123	5,941	477	110	3,731	**10,658**	1,354	226	24	628	**12,889**	**End of** Aug.–1956
281	117	6,020	476	110	3,812	**10,816**	1,315	223	23	631	**13,008**	Sept.
153	154	6,098	453	155	3,846	**10,859**	1,334	216	48	647	**13,104**	Oct.
417	103	5,974	439	123	3,821	**10,877**	1,376	221	38	652	**13,164**	Nov.
246	169	6,007	444	116	4,180	**11,162**	1,369	210	34	653	**13,428**	Dec.
254	138	6,039	438	110	3,499	**10,479**	1,409	209	41	653	**12,791**	Jan.–1957
391	142	6,090	454	103	3,445	**10,625**	1,506	236	36	656	**13,058**	Feb.
377	191	6,153	444	105	3,496	**10,765**	1,450	232	36	667	**13,150**	Mar.
309	217	6,211	442	109	3,716	**11,004**	1,546	235	38	672	**13,494**	Apr.
284	173	6,161	450	106	3,564	**10,738**	1,667	235	35	677	**13,351**	May
186	179	6,196	434	102	3,782	**10,879**	1,650	243	36	684	**13,495**	June
148	154	6,242	424	96	3,581	**10,645**	1,644	256	39	700	**13,284**	July
122	140	6,273	420	106	3,582	**10,642**	1,752	256	38	703	**13,391**	Aug.
131	145	6,352 [3]	413 [3]	102	3,880	**11,025**	1,740	256	42	703	**13,765**	Sept.
79	139	6,365 [3]	411 [3]	156	3,764	**10,915**	1,713	254	53	711	**13,646**	Oct.

III. ASSETS

	Bank of Canada Deposits and Notes	Cdn. Day-to-Day Loans	Treasury Bills 4	Government of Canada Direct and Guaranteed Bonds 4, 5: 2 yrs. and under	Over 2 years	Total	Other Canadian Securities 5: Provincial 6, 7	Municipal 7	Corporate	Total	Ins. Res. Mtges.	Loans 9: Call and Short 9: To Stock-Brokers 8	To Others	Provincial 7	Municipal 7
As at Dec. 31															
1951	892	–	236	499	2,019	2,518	321	167	393	881	–	78	30	68	94
1952	899	–	138	869	1,777	2,647	304	159	370	834	–	73	82	79	97
1953	888	–	244	482	2,034	2,516	280	152	341	773	–	61	92	65	96
1954	791	68	360	636	2,318	2,953	264	177	353	794	74	68	75	61	103
1955	840	81	427	475	2,157	2,632	322	218	482	1,022	294	112	67	83	124
1956	882	74	740	406	1,269	1,675	269	185	510	964	493	90	60 [14]	95	177
End of															
1956–Aug.	830	68	814	522	1,325	1,847	291	200	520	1,010	432	123	37	57	145
Sept.	820	114	786	526	1,322	1,848	286	197	519	1,003	448	110	38	81	167
Sept. (Rev.) [14]													36 [14]		
Oct.	884	85	791	464	1,320	1,784	295	197	516	1,008	471	104	37	83	168
Nov.	875	64	743	485	1,280	1,765	265	192	518	975	489	89	33	124	152
Dec.	882	74	740	406	1,269	1,675	269	185	510	964	493	90	60	95	177
1957–Jan. [15]	818	86	800	503 [4]	1,232 [4]	1,735 [4]	284 [4]	178	501 [15]	963 [4]	500	86	38	60	201
Feb.	758	101	809	545	1,223	1,768	288	178	499	964	507	90	62	74	218
Mar.	744	162	805	538	1,227	1,764	260	178	501	940	508	85	63	40	250
Apr.	846	105	758	520	1,227	1,747	268	175	502	945	509	104	90	23	270
May	755	125	812	489	1,248	1,736	266	172	505	943	512	99	59	20	263
June	770	95	784	493	1,251	1,743	258	170	512	940	503	105	58	25	236
July	795	81	794	452	1,252	1,705	275	167	510	952	509	109	54	23	190
Aug.	787	110	820	455	1,239	1,694	273	165	506	945	519	84	36	23	187
Sept.	771	125	915	479	1,241	1,719	272	166	509	946	532	73	41	33	205
Oct.	896	121	830	509	1,240	1,749	272	167	505	944	552	53	73	54	183

In Canadian Currency: Grain Dealers 8, 10	C.S.B. 8, 11	Sub-Total 8	General Loans 8	Total Loans	Total of Foregoing Assets	Canadian Dollar Items in Transit (Net)	Foreign Cash Items Securities & Loans: Cash Items 12	Foreign Sec.	Loans in Foreign Currencies	Customers' Liability Under Acceptances, Guarantees, & Letters of Credit	All Other Assets 13	Total Assets	
177	137	583	2,588	3,172	**7,699**	512	254	206	409	225	153	**9,458**	**As at Dec. 31** 1951
257	146	734	2,787	3,520	**8,038**	752	283	262	435	199	159	**10,128**	1952
391	165	871	3,236	4,106	**8,527**	751	280	244	540	155	159	**10,656**	1953
404	147	859	3,237	4,096	**9,137**	827	332	322	488	155	172	**11,433**	1954
361	163	910	3,981	3,891	**10,187**	1,002	327	282	518	203	183	**12,702**	1955
372 [14]	169	963 [14]	4,399 [14]	5,363 [14]	**10,191** [14]	1,330	356	375	755 [14]	210	211	**13,428**	1956
358	34	753	4,570	5,323	**10,325**	697	334	355	750	226	203	**12,889**	**End of** Aug.–1956
341	22	759	4,523	5,281	**10,300**	859	313	396	711	223	206	**13,008**	Sept.
		756 [14]	4,485 [14]	5,241 [14]	**10,259** [14]				751 [14]				Sept. (Rev.) [14]
358 [14]	4	753	4,574	5,327	**10,351**	843	381	371	740	216	202	**13,104**	Oct.
361	193	953	4,545	5,498	**10,409**	878	314	395	746	221	201	**13,164**	Nov.
372	169	963	4,399	5,363	**10,191**	1,330	356	375	755	210	211	**13,428**	Dec.
363 [15]	148	897 [15]	4,376 [15]	5,273 [15]	**10,176** [15]	715	311	370	795 [15]	209	215	**12,791**	Jan.–1957
360	132	935	4,392	5,327	**10,234**	814	352	395	812	236	215	**13,058**	Feb.
390	115	944	4,409	5,353	**10,276**	907	330	357	832	232	217	**13,150**	Mar.
377	95	960	4,468	5,428	**10,339**	1,078	347	385	898	235	213	**13,494**	Apr.
373	79	893	4,505	5,397	**10,281**	911	341	387	981	235	216	**13,351**	May
413	63	901	4,567	5,467	**10,303**	1,049	308	411	964	243	217	**13,495**	June
423	47	846	4,581	5,427	**10,263**	829	335	402	974	256	225	**13,284**	July
426	35	791	4,628	5,418	**10,294**	847	365	424	982	256	224	**13,391**	Aug.
418	22	791	4,589	5,380	**10,388**	1,064	338	463	1,033	256	223	**13,765**	Sept.
414	4	779	4,579	5,358	**10,450**	860	406	432	1,016	254	228	**13,646**	Oct.

★ Averages of juridical days except that in accordance with section 71 of the Bank Act of 1954, Bank of Canada notes and Canadian dollar deposit liabilities are averages of the 4 consecutive Wednesdays ending with the second last Wednesday in the previous month.

** Not available on daily average basis prior to June 1956. See table on page 322 for average of Wednesdays' data for earlier months.

1. Mainly deposits of foreign banks.
2. Capital, rest fund, and undivided profits as at the latest fiscal year-end.
3. In order to facilitate comparison with statistics for earlier dates, the September 30, 1957 and subsequent figures for "personal savings deposits" include, and the figures for "other notice deposits" exclude, the amount of $140 million being the deposit balances of religious, educational and welfare institutions and personal accounts used mainly for business purposes, which were reclassified as at September 30, 1957 in the returns of the banks to the Department of Finance.
4. Beginning January 31, 1957, month-end figures for chartered bank holdings of Government of Canada and provincial government securities are based on "amortized value" and are therefore not directly comparable with figures for preceding month-ends, which are based on "not exceeding market value".
5. Including issues payable in foreign currency.
6. Includes securities guaranteed by provincial governments.
7. Securities purchased direct from issuer with a term of less than one year at time of issue are classified as loans.
8. "Call & Short loans to Stockbrokers", "Grain Dealers", "Canada Savings Bonds" and "General Loans", are Research Department estimates.
9. Excluding Canadian day-to-day loans.
10. Loans to grain dealers and exporters.
11. Loans to finance the purchase of Canada Savings Bonds at time of issue.
12. Includes deposits with other banks in foreign currencies, foreign bank notes, gold and coin outside Canada and foreign currency items in transit (net).
13. Includes bank premises, shares of and loans to controlled corporations, gold and coin in Canada, Canadian dollar deposits with other banks and other assets.
14. Figures for September 30th, 1956 and subsequent dates have been revised and are not directly comparable with those for earlier dates owing to a change in the classification of foreign currency loans in the returns of the banks to the Department of Finance. Foreign currency loans on the books of Canadian branches, some of which are made to Canadian customers and some to foreign customers, were previously included in, but have now been excluded from, loans in Canadian currency and are now carried under "Loans in Foreign Currencies". The loans thus reclassified rose by about $60 million between September 30th, 1956 and September 30th, 1957, amounting to approximately $40 million at the former date and $100 million at the latter date. The rise in general loans and in total Canadian loans over this 12 months' period is therefore now shown as about $60 million less than would have been shown under the former method of reporting. Comparison between current statistics and earlier months is also affected by the revision in the allocation of reserves by the chartered banks referred to in footnote 15, which as of January 31st, 1957, the date of such revision, apparently reduced published figures for general loans by roughly $80 million and reduced published figures for certain other categories of Canadian and foreign assets by lesser amounts. Because of this factor the recorded change in these items shows a smaller increase or a larger decrease than actually occurred over any period which includes within it January 31, 1957.
15. Beginning January 31, 1957, figures for certain chartered bank asset items are not strictly comparable with those for earlier dates, owing to the reallocation of inner reserves consequent upon the securities valuation change referred to in footnote 4. Investment reserves which became redundant were reallocated to apply against other asset items, mainly general loans (see footnote 14), loans in foreign currencies and corporate securities.

* Preliminary.

NOTE: For 1946–1952 data see pages 14–21 in the "Financial Supplement 1954" and for 1953–1956 data see pages 16–19 in the "Financial Supplement 1956".

CHARTERED BANKS

ESTIMATED WEEKLY SERIES

Bank of Canada

Millions of Dollars

	Bank of Canada Deposits & Notes ★	Cdn. Day-to-Day Loans	Treasury Bills 1	Govt. of Canada Bonds 2	Other Canadian Securities: Provincial 2, 3, 4	Municipal 4	Corporate	Total	Insured Residential Mortgages	Call & Short 5: To Stock-Brokers	To Others 6	Provincial 4	Municipal 4
Av. of Wednesdays 1955—Dec.	879	57	375	2,721	329	217	482	1,029	281	106	56	94	121
1956—Jan.	921	55	442	2,541	320	214	478	1,012	303	107	53	67	126
Feb.	796	80	542	2,432	312	211	482	1,005	324	114	53	54	147
Mar.	841	61	570	2,352	297	208	482	987	339	116	48	33	179
Apr.	874	17	640	2,184	295	208	480	984	352	119	57	11	213
May	858	59	759	1,994	294	207	489	990	368	126	65	24	216
June	886	78	760	1,932	289	206	504	1,000	385	119	62	39	188
July	871	77	739	1,906	288	202	509	999	400	128	58	25	151
Aug.	878	62	790	1,871	290	200	514	1,004	420	127	41	41	145
Sept.	885	78	798	1,850	289	197	516	1,002	438	120	35	61	153
Oct.	873	76	785	1,826	293	195	517	1,005	459	107	38	69	167
Nov.	881	79	771	1,773	280	191	515	987	480	95	33	108	142
Dec.	905	70	747	1,706	267	186	510	964	493	88	51	124	159
1957—Jan.	905	80	766	1,629	265	179	506	950	496	88	45	67	186
Feb.	805	113	813	1,658 [9]	270 [9]	179	504	952 [9]	502	87	47	72	199
Mar.	832	116	816	1,762	259	176	498	932	507	88	57	60	231
Apr.	866	90	792	1,740	268	173	498	939	505	94	75	26	259
May	879	107	774	1,732	266	171	500	936	508	104	67	24	264
June	889	104	799	1,726	260	168	503	931	501	106	53	24	252
July	854	86	784	1,704	270	166	509	944	504	110	54	22	207
Aug.	891	94	782	1,680	273	165	507	945	511	95	43	25	182
Sept.	889	93	866	1,688	271	164	504	939	523	77	36	27	192
Oct.	862	117	840	1,735	271	163	504	938	539	67	65	45	195
Nov.	883	142	823	1,747	273	162	504	939	560	50	68	73	178
As at 1957—Apr. 3	852	93	819	1,755	268	173	496	938	504	90	84	22	252
10	864	95	806	1,733	268	173	498	939	504	91	80	24	254
17	837	76	778	1,735	268	173	498	939	506	96	69	29	260
24	911	96	766	1,737	268	173	498	939	507	98	66	28	271
May 1	846	105	763	1,740	267	171	498	936	507	104†	84	29	272
8	893	114	757	1,742	266	171	498	935	507	105	69	27	268
15	880	109	756	1,727	266	170	499	935	508	103	67	22	259
22	887	91	782	1,731	265	170	501	936	509	103	61	23	265
29	889	116	811	1,721	264	170	503	937	510	104	54	21	257
June 5	834	105	829	1,727	263	168	502	933	500	105	44†	23	264
12	904	109	789	1,726	263	168	501	932	500	106	59	24	263
19	904	106	785	1,726	256	168	498	922	502	108	54	27	248
26	914	98	792	1,724	257	169	511	937	503	107	56	20	232
July 3	831	93	788	1,723	260	166	508	935	501	110	49	23	229
10	886	89	773	1,705	271	165	507	944	502	109	53	19	223
17	874	98	773	1,695	270	165	509	943	504	108	49	22	201
24	885	70	794	1,693	274	165	509	948	506	112	66	24	192
31	795	81	797	1,705	275	167	510	952	509	108	54	23	190
Aug. 7	859	81	773	1,681	274	165	507	946	507	104	49	25	187
14	889	102	762	1,670	273	165	508	946	510	99	46	26	182
21	904	89	774	1,680	272	165	506	944	512	92	41	25	179
28	910†	106	819	1,687	272	165	506	943	516	86	36	25	183
Sept. 4	848	119	822	1,676	271	163	504	938	518	81	41	23	186
11	910	107	833	1,680	271	164	504	938	519	78	39†	28	186
18	912	72	883	1,686	270	164	504	939	525	77	30	25	191
25	888	73	926	1,709	271	163	505	939	530	73	35	33	203
Oct. 2	768	156	910	1,734	273	162	502	937	530	78	72	33	198
9	860	109	860	1,738	273	163	503	939	533	72	62	52	193
16	859	111	821	1,735	271	163	504	937	537	71	66	49	194
23	915	123	814	1,732	270	163	504	936	544	61	62	41	195
30	906	86	795	1,736	270	164	505	939	549	53	64	52	195
Nov. 6	858	140	823	1,746	270	162	503	934	553	51	65	67	174
13	882	127	839	1,745	269	162	503	934	557	50	60	80	173
20	889	145	824	1,744	274	162	505	940	562	48	68	71	179
27	901	157	808	1,753	279	163	505	947	569	51	80	71	185

Millions of Dollars

	Loans 5 in Canadian Currencies: Grain Dealers 6, 7	C.S.B. 8	Sub-Total 6	General Loans 6	Total Loans 6	Total of Foregoing Assets 6	Estimated Canadian Dollar Items in Transit (net)	Canadian Dollar Deposits: Personal Savings	Govt. of Canada Deposits	All Other	Total	
Av. of Wednesdays Dec.—1955	359	174	909	3,988	4,897	**10,237**	605	5,603	541	4,351	**10,495**	
Jan.—1956	361	153	868	4,015	4,884	**10,157**	562	5,651	510	4,228	**10,390**	
Feb.	358	136	863	4,069	4,932	**10,110**	539	5,693	495	4,130	**10,318**	
Mar.	355	119	852	4,156	5,008	**10,158**	510	5,754	530	4,057	**10,342**	
Apr.	331	103	834	4,287	5,121	**10,172**	591	5,822	367	4,234	**10,423**	
May	313	85	830	4,427	5,256	**10,285**	654	5,859	437	4,298	**10,595**	
June	321	66	794	4,537	5,331	**10,371**	622	5,867	488	4,275	**10,630**	
July	340	53	753	4,552	5,305	**10,297**	721	5,898	296	4,428	**10,623**	
Aug.	355	39	747	4,571	5,319	**10,342**	613	5,918	307	4,338	**10,563**	
Sept.	341	26	737	4,563	5,300	**10,351**	669	5,982	312	4,342	**10,635**	
Oct.	346	11	737	4,534	5,272	**10,296**	698	6,047	184	4,413	**10,644**	
Nov.	356	130	864	4,543	5,407	**10,378**	699	5,992	370	4,299	**10,661**	
Dec.	361	178	961	4,478	5,439	**10,325**	740	5,960	341	4,355	**10,655**	
Jan.—1957	361	157	904	4,451	5,355	**10,181**	705	5,992	242	4,258	**10,492**	
Feb.	355	138	897	4,433	5,331	**10,175**	610	6,063	335	4,010	**10,408**	
Mar.	363	121	921	4,411	5,332	**10,297**	618	6,102	436	3,955	**10,492**	
Apr.	374	105	932	4,467	5,398	**10,330**	676	6,151	311	4,093	**10,556**	
May	372	87	919	4,492	5,410	**10,346**	769	6,167	328	4,180	**10,675**	
June	401	69	905	4,538	5,443	**10,393**	730	6,164	266	4,237	**10,667**	
July	416	54	863	4,580	5,442	**10,320**	795	6,209	180	4,274	**10,663**	
Aug.	430	39	815	4,602	5,417	**10,320**	658	6,245	157	4,112	**10,513**	
Sept.	421	27	780	4,593	5,373	**10,370**	713	6,285	147	4,197	**10,629**	
Oct.	414	11	798	4,573	5,371	**10,401**	755	6,313 [10]	137	4,289 [10]	**10,740**	
Nov.	402	119	890	4,513	5,403	**10,496**	713	6,239 [10]	314	4,234 [10]	**10,787**	
As at 3 Apr.—1957	373	111	932	4,471	5,402	**10,363**	689†	6,163	307	4,101	**10,571**	
10	373	107	928	4,478	5,406	**10,347**	583†	6,144	320	4,022	**10,486**	
17	375	103	931	4,460	5,392	**10,262**	703†	6,149	309	4,074	**10,531**	
24	374	99	937	4,457	5,394	**10,349**	728	6,150	309	4,177	**10,635**	
1 May	374	95	958	4,475	5,433	**10,330**	929†	6,219	309	4,295	**10,823**	
8	373	91	934	4,536	5,470	**10,417**	633†	6,178	343	4,075	**10,596**	
15	373	87	912	4,491	5,403	**10,318**	787†	6,152	356	4,160	**10,668**	
22	370	83	906	4,459	5,365	**10,300**	805†	6,152	336	4,202	**10,691**	
29	370	79	885	4,497	5,382	**10,367**	691	6,132	294	4,168	**10,595**	
6 June	381	75	892	4,553	5,445	**10,372**	705†	6,179	294	4,153	**10,627**	
12	403	71	925	4,534	5,459	**10,420**	662†	6,159	314	4,167	**10,640**	
19	409	67	914	4,515	5,429	**10,374**	795†	6,161	248	4,315	**10,725**	
26	410	63	889	4,550	5,439	**10,406**	757	6,155	207	4,314	**10,676**	
3 July	410	60	882	4,576	5,457	**10,327**	971	6,217	126	4,471	**10,814**	
10	419	57	880	4,604	5,484	**10,383**	727	6,183	247	4,223	**10,653**	
17	412	54	845	4,570	5,415	**10,303**	775†	6,206	187	4,249	**10,643**	
24	416	51	860	4,569	5,429	**10,324**	673	6,197	189	4,174	**10,560**	
31	423	47	846	4,581	5,427	**10,263**	829	6,242	148	4,255	**10,645**	
7 Aug.	427	44	836	4,622	5,458	**10,306**	657†	6,253	188	4,055	**10,495**	
14	437	41	831	4,590	5,421	**10,299**	654†	6,238	159	4,105	**10,502**	
21	431	38	806	4,586	5,392	**10,296**	712†	6,243	154	4,133	**10,531**	
28	423	35	788	4,609	5,397	**10,377†**	610†	6,244	126	4,153†	**10,523†**	
4 Sept.	424	31	787	4,606	5,392	**10,313**	778†	6,299	108	4,202†	**10,610†**	
11	423	28	782	4,603	5,385	**10,373†**	644†	6,282	170	4,096†	**10,549†**	
18	419	25	767	4,592	5,358	**10,375**	744†	6,289	159	4,230†	**10,679†**	
25	417	22	783	4,572	5,354	**10,419**	684	6,270	151	4,259	**10,680**	
2 Oct.	415	18	815	4,575	5,390	**10,426**	973†	6,318 [10]	175	4,479 [10]	**10,971**	
9	416	14	810	4,600	5,410	**10,450**	617†	6,298 [10]	175	4,173 [10]	**10,646**	
16	416	11	807	4,565	5,371	**10,371**	851†	6,312 [10]	135	4,361 [10]	**10,808**	
23	412	7	778	4,551	5,330	**10,394**	629†	6,300 [10]	122	4,203 [10]	**10,625**	
30	413	4	781	4,572	5,353	**10,364**	702	6,339 [10]	80	4,229 [10]	**10,648**	
6 Nov.	408	32	796	4,582	5,379	**10,433**	632	6,320 [10]	110	4,206 [10]	**10,635**	
13	406	63	832	4,509	5,341	**10,424**	744	6,265 [10]	214	4,262 [10]	**10,741**	
20	402	191	958	4,493	5,451	**10,554**	776	6,195 [10]	473	4,252 [10]	**10,921**	
27	393	191	971	4,468	5,439	**10,574**	698	6,176 [10]	458	4,218 [10]	**10,851**	

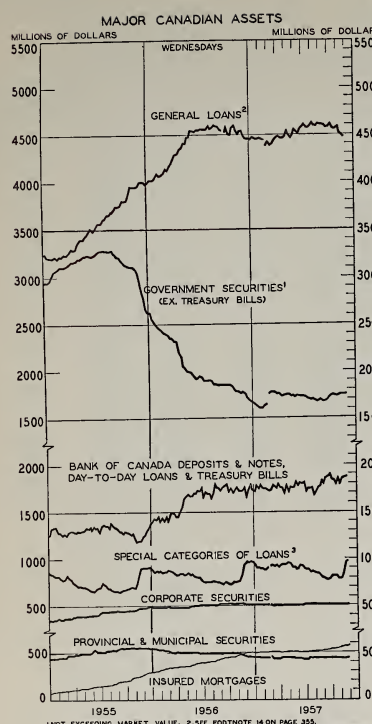
★ For data on cash reserves, see section 1 of table on page 354.
1. Par value throughout.
2. Valued at "not exceeding market value" prior to Feb. 27, 1957. See footnote 9
3. Includes securities guaranteed by provincial governments.
4. Securities purchased direct from issuer with a term of less than 1 year at time of issue are classified as loans.
5. Excluding Canadian day-to-day loans.
6. Figures for October 3, 1956 and subsequent dates which have been revised are not directly comparable with those for earlier dates. For details of the revision see footnote 14 on page 355.
7. Loans to grain dealers and exporters.
8. Loans to finance the purchase of Canada Savings Bonds at time of issue.
9. Beginning with the weekly statistics for Feb. 27 the chartered banks' holdings of Government of Canada and provincial government securities are valued at "amortized value" rather than at "not exceeding market value" as previously. Because of this change in valuation procedure and the consequent reallocation of inner reserves most of the asset figures for Feb. 27 and subsequent dates, particularly holdings of the securities in question and general loans, are not directly comparable with those of previous weeks. (See also footnote 14 on page 355).
10. Adjusted in accordance with footnote 3 on page 354.

† Revised.

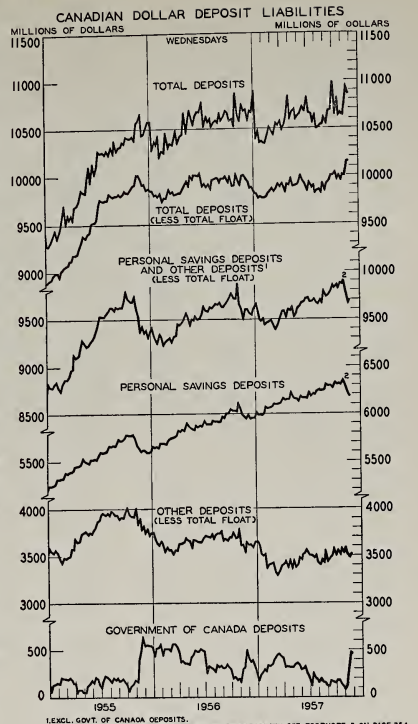
NOTE: FOR DATA BACK TO AUGUST 1953 SEE PAGES 20–27 IN THE "FINANCIAL SUPPLEMENT 1956".

CHARTERED BANKS

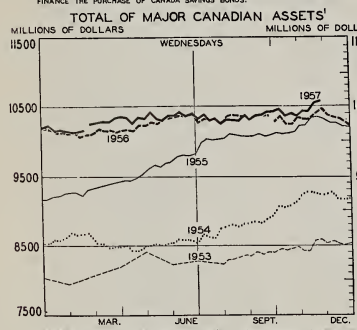
ASSETS AND LIABILITIES



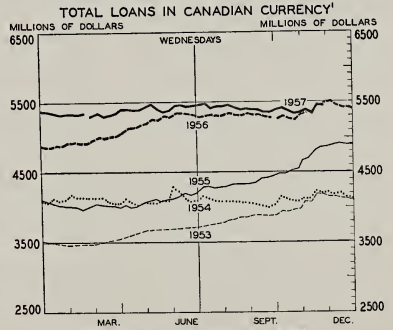
1. NOT EXCEEDING MARKET VALUE. 2. SEE FOOTNOTE 14 ON PAGE 355.
3. LOANS TO PROVINCIAL GOVERNMENTS AND MUNICIPALITIES, SPECIALLY SECURED LOANS TO GRAIN DEALERS, INVESTMENT DEALERS AND STOCKBROKERS AND TO FINANCE THE PURCHASE OF CANADA SAVINGS BONDS.



1. EXCL. GOVT. OF CANADA DEPOSITS.
2. FIGURES SINCE SEPT. 30, 1957 ADJUSTED FOR COMPARABILITY. SEE FOOTNOTE 3 ON PAGE 354.



1. BANK OF CANADA NOTES & DEPOSITS, DAY-TO-DAY LOANS, TREASURY BILLS, GOVT. OF CANADA SECURITIES, OTHER CANADIAN SECURITIES, INSURED MORTGAGES AND LOANS IN CANADIAN CURRENCY. SEE FOOTNOTE 14 ON PAGE 355.

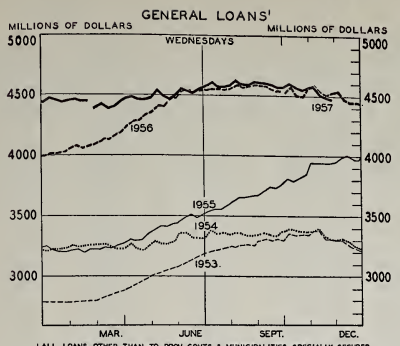


1. EXCL. DAY-TO-DAY LOANS. FOR EXPLANATION OF BREAKS IN SERIES, SEE FOOTNOTE 14 ON PAGE 355.

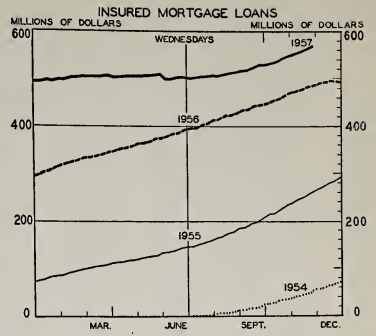
Last weekly data plotted Nov. 27, 1957. For explanation of breaks in series, see footnote 14 on page 355.

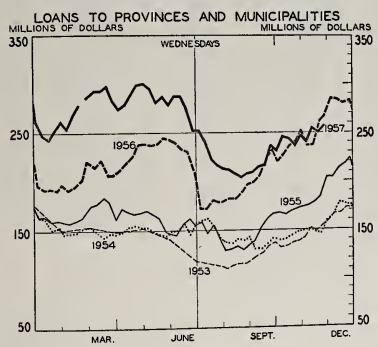
CHARTERED BANKS

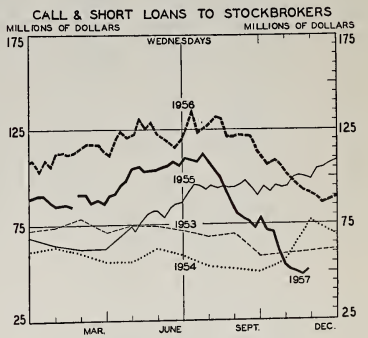
SELECTED ASSETS

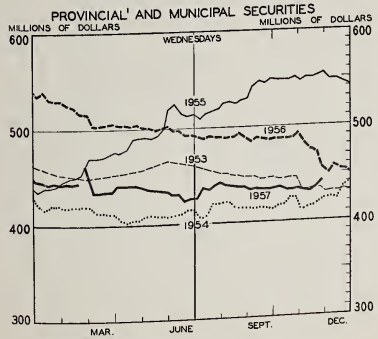


1. ALL LOANS OTHER THAN TO PROV. GOVTS. & MUNICIPALITIES, SPECIALLY SECURED LOANS TO GRAIN DEALERS, INVESTMENTS DEALERS & STOCKBROKERS AND TO FINANCE THE PURCHASE OF CAN. SAVINGS BONDS. SEE FOOTNOTE 14 ON PAGE 355.









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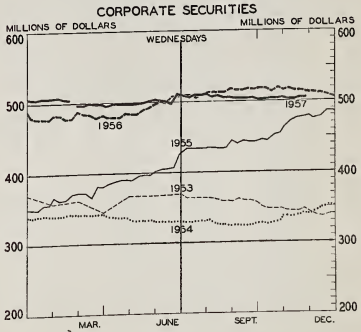

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CANADIAN DOLLAR CURRENCY AND BANK DEPOSITS HELD BY THE GENERAL PUBLIC

Bank of Canada

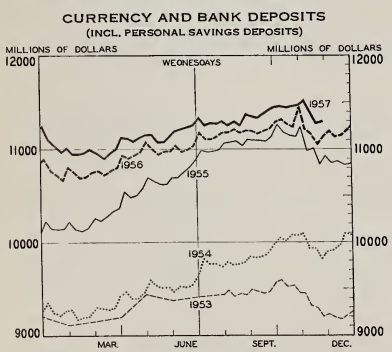
Millions of Dollars

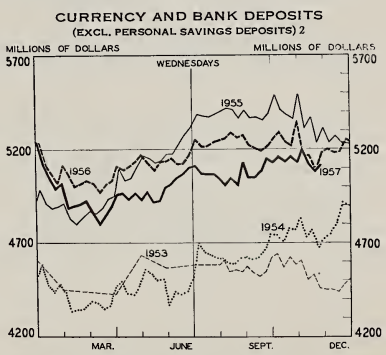
	Currency Outside Banks			Chartered Bank Deposits			Total Currency and Chartered Bank Deposits [1]	
	Notes	Coin	Total	Personal Savings Deposits	Other Deposits [1]	Total [1]	Excluding Personal Savings Deposits	Including Personal Savings Deposits
As at Dec. 31								
1952	1,289	88	1,377	4,600	3,281	7,881	4,658	9,258
1953	1,335	94	1,429	4,756	3,129	7,885	4,558	9,314
1954	1,362	96	1,458	5,218	3,462	8,680	4,920	10,137
1955	1,449	101	1,550	5,633	3,697	9,330	5,248	10,881
1956	1,498	108	1,605	6,007	3,580	9,587	5,185	11,192
End of								
1955—Nov.	1,395	100	1,495	5,615	3,815	9,430	5,310	10,925
Dec.	1,449	101	1,550	5,633	3,697	9,330	5,248	10,881
1956—Jan.	1,358	98	1,457	5,676	3,593	9,269	5,049	10,726
Feb.	1,375	99	1,474	5,721	3,557	9,278	5,031	10,753
Mar.	1,458	102	1,561	5,791	3,501	9,292	5,062	10,853
Apr.	1,415	102	1,517	5,919	3,596	9,514	5,113	11,031
May	1,425	102	1,527	5,844	3,600	9,444	5,127	10,972
June	1,500	104	1,604	5,881	3,646	9,527	5,250	11,131
July	1,458	103	1,561	5,923	3,668	9,591	5,229	11,152
Aug.	1,515	106	1,621	5,941	3,745	9,686	5,366	11,306
Sept.	1,514	106	1,620	6,020	3,656	9,676	5,276	11,295
Oct.	1,472	106	1,578	6,098	3,764	9,862	5,342	11,440
Nov.	1,543	108	1,651	5,974	3,607	9,582	5,258	11,233
Dec.	1,498	108	1,605	6,007	3,580	9,587	5,185	11,192
1957—Jan.	1,445	104	1,549	6,039	3,470	9,509	5,019	11,058
Feb.	1,457	105	1,562	6,090	3,329	9,419	4,892	10,982
Mar.	1,500	107	1,607	6,153	3,328	9,481	4,935	11,088
Apr.	1,457	107	1,564	6,211	3,406	9,617	4,970	11,181
May	1,523	109	1,631	6,161	3,382	9,543	5,014	11,174
June	1,559	110	1,669	6,196	3,448	9,644	5,117	11,313
July	1,510	109	1,618	6,242	3,426	9,668	5,044	11,287
Aug.	1,571	111	1,682	6,273	3,401	9,673	5,082	11,355
Sept.	1,529	110	1,639	6,352 [2]	3,477 [2]	9,829	5,117 [2]	11,469
Oct.	1,552	111	1,663	6,365	3,611	9,976	5,274	11,639

1. Less total float, i.e. cheques and other items in transit (net). Excludes Government of Canada deposits.
2. Adjusted in accordance with footnote 3 on page 354.

NOTE: For data back to 1953 see page 32 in the "Financial Supplement 1956".

CURRENCY AND CHARTERED BANK DEPOSITS[1] HELD BY THE GENERAL PUBLIC





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2. Figures since Sept. 30, 1957 have been adjusted for comparability with earlier figures. See footnote 3 on page 354.

CLASSIFICATION OF GOVERNMENT OF CANADA DIRECT AND GUARANTEED SECURITIES

Millions of Dollars, Par Value — *Bank of Canada*

	Direct Funded Debt Outstanding							Guaranteed Funded Debt	Total Outstanding [2]
	Treasury Bills	Treasury Notes	Deposit Certificates	Other Unmatured Market Issues	Matured and Outstanding Market Issues	Non-market Issues [1]	Total		
As at Dec. 31									
1952	450	750	200	11,995	19	1,250	14,664	522	**15,186**
1953	650	750	–	12,066	19	1,632	15,117	520	**15,637**
1954	780	750	–	10,854	74	2,090	14,547	918	**15,465**
1955	1,225	500	–	10,952	30	2,433	15,140	860	**16,000**
1956	1,575	–	–	10,298	27	2,541	14,441	793	**15,234**
End of									
1956—June	1,690	–	–	10,848	35	2,293	14,866	793	**15,659**
July	1,700	–	–	10,448	34	2,264	14,446	793	**15,238**
Aug.	1,710	–	–	10,448	30	2,237	14,425	793	**15,218**
Sept.	1,730	–	–	10,448	29	2,210	14,417	793	**15,210**
Oct.	1,720	–	–	10,448	28	2,199	14,395	793	**15,188**
Nov.	1,625	–	–	10,448	26	2,593	14,692	793	**15,485**
Dec.	1,575	–	–	10,298	27	2,541	14,441	793	**15,234**
1957—Jan.	1,565	–	–	10,298	23	2,508	14,394	793	**15,187**
Feb.	1,605	–	–	10,298	21	2,475	14,399	793	**15,192**
Mar.	1,625	–	–	10,298	20	2,436	14,379	793	**15,172**
Apr.	1,625	–	–	10,298	20	2,394	14,337	793	**15,130**
May	1,625	–	–	10,298	19	2,350	14,292	793	**15,085**
June	1,625	–	–	10,148	22	2,315	14,109	793	**14,902**
July	1,625	–	–	10,148	17	2,277	14,066	728	**14,794**
Aug.	1,640	–	–	10,148	16	2,245	14,049	728	**14,778**
Sept.	1,655	–	–	10,148	16	2,213	14,031	728	**14,759**
Oct.	1,655	–	–	10,147	15	2,201	14,019	728	**14,748**

For footnotes see table below.

DISTRIBUTION OF GOVERNMENT OF CANADA DIRECT AND GUARANTEED SECURITIES

Millions of Dollars, Par Value — *Bank of Canada*

	Bank of Canada	Chartered Banks [3]	Government of Canada Accounts			General Public			Total Outstanding [2]
			Securities Investment Account [4]	Unemployment Insurance Fund	Other	Market Issues [3]	Non-market Issues [1]	Total [3]	
As at Dec. 31									
1952	2,271	2,905	47	859	195	7,659	1,250	8,909	**15,186**
1953	2,322	2,862	119	919	276	7,507	1,632	9,139	**15,637**
1954	2,267	3,375	–	892	312	6,529	2,090	8,619	**15,465**
1955	2,416	3,132	200	884	407	6,528	2,433	8,961	**16,000**
1956	2,426	2,534	160	924	434	6,215	2,541	8,756	**15,234**
End of									
1956—June	2,374	2,797	341	850	415	6,588	2,293	8,881	**15,659**
July	2,387	2,717	80	862	414	6,514	2,264	8,777	**15,238**
Aug.	2,428	2,751	105	880	418	6,400	2,237	8,636	**15,218**
Sept.	2,453	2,732	105	895	422	6,394	2,210	8,604	**15,210**
Oct.	2,454	2,675	165	909	421	6,363	2,199	8,562	**15,188**
Nov.	2,478	2,624	190	919	430	6,250	2,593	8,844	**15,485**
Dec.	2,426	2,534	160	924	434	6,215	2,541	8,756	**15,234**
1957—Jan.	2,302	2,535	182	917	437	6,305	2,508	8,813	**15,187**
Feb.	2,249	2,580	182	899	442	6,365	2,475	8,840	**15,192**
Mar.	2,288	2,573	182	878	429	6,386	2,436	8,822	**15,172**
Apr.	2,353	2,509	182	858	433	6,400	2,394	8,794	**15,130**
May	2,354	2,549	112	847	530	6,343	2,350	8,693	**15,085**
June	2,410	2,530	–	854	508	6,285	2,315	8,600	**14,902**
July	2,401	2,502	–	865	506	6,243	2,277	8,520	**14,794**
Aug.	2,461	2,517	–	872	504	6,178	2,245	8,423	**14,778**
Sept.	2,412	2,637	–	881	499	6,117	2,213	8,330	**14,759**
Oct.	2,492	2,583	–	888	500	6,085	2,201	8,286	**14,748**

1. Refundable Tax, War Savings Certificates and Canada Savings Bonds, and since May 1, 1954, Canada Savings Bonds only.
2. Foreign pay issues are converted at the rate of £1 = $2.80 U.S. = $2.80 Cdn. Excludes sinking fund and government account "N" holdings of Newfoundland sterling securities assumed by the Government of Canada. For details by issue at Sept. 30, 1957, see table on page 283.
3. Chartered bank holdings are shown at estimated par value; the figures for general public holdings are residuals obtained by deducting all other holdings from the total outstanding.
4. Market issues only, i.e., excludes holdings of Canada Savings Bonds being purchased on the payroll plan by Government employees, which are included under general public holdings of non-market issues.

NOTE: For data back to 1953 see pages 33–34 in the "Financial Supplement 1956".

MONEY MARKET STATISTICS

WEEKLY SERIES

Bank of Canada

	Bank of Canada 1			Chartered Banks					Treasury Bills 2				Distribution of Govt. of Canada Direct and Gtd. Securities 2 (Including Treasury Bills)								
	Outstanding Advances to Chartered and Savings Banks	Can. Govt. Securities Held Under Purchase & Resale Agreements		Cash Ratio Statutory Basis		Day-to-Day Loans			Weekly Tender on Thurs. following Wed. date shown				Distribution								
		At Date	Maximum During Week	At Date	Average: Month to Date	Closing Rate	Wkly. Av. of Daily Closing Rates	Amount Outstanding	Average Yield 3 Month Bills	Average Yield 9 Month Bills	Amount Sold 3 Month Bills	Amount Sold 9 Month Bills	Total	Bank of Canada	Chartered Banks 3	Government Accounts	General Public: Canada Savings Bonds	General Public: Matured & Outstanding Market Issues	General Public: Other Unmatured	General Public: Total	
	Millions of Dollars			*Percent*				*mm. of $*	*Percent*		*Millions of Dollars*		*Par Value in Millions of Dollars*								
Wednesdays																					**Wednesdays**
1955—Sept. 28	–	–	–	8.4	8.2	1 5/8	1.80	41	1.83	2.10	40	15	15,520	2,357	3,611	1,360	1,902	35	6,255	8,192	28 Sept.—1955
Oct. 26	16	4	12	8.4	8.3	2 1/8	2.13	53	2.20	–	60	–	15,582	2,347	3,498	1,434	1,917	33	6,353	8,303	26 Oct.
Nov. 30	4	–	2	8.4	8.3	2 1/4	2.25	54	2.58	–	60	–	15,974	2,422	3,323	1,334	2,461	31	6,403	8,895	30 Nov.
Dec. 28	–	–	–	8.2	8.2	2 3/8	2.38	56	2.56	–	75	–	15,982	2,423	3,108	1,492	2,435	30	6,494	8,959	28 Dec.
1956—Jan. 25	–	–	–	8.3	8.4	2 1/4	2.33	54	2.53	–	100	–	15,989	2,303	3,038	1,604	2,415	35	6,595	9,044	25 Jan.—1956
Feb. 29	–	6	6	8.1	8.2	2 1/2	2.50	82	2.56	–	115	–	16,063	2,246	3,027	1,752	2,405	32	6,601	9,038	29 Feb.
Mar. 28	–	–	3	7.9	8.2	2 5/8	2.58	62	2.64	–	115	–	16,188	2,296	2,957	1,935	2,387	30	6,583	9,000	28 Mar.
Apr. 25	10	–	–	8.3	8.2	2 5/8	2.68	13	2.89	–	125	–	16,229	2,329	2,856	2,067	2,363	30	6,584	8,976	25 Apr.
May 30	26	–	–	8.2	8.2	2 3/4	2.73	63	2.72	–	130	–	15,737	2,302	2,802	1,604	2,323	28	6,678	9,029	30 May
June 27	5	–	–	8.3	8.3	2 3/8	2.48	62	2.52	–	130	–	15,658	2,392	2,795	1,606	2,293	35	6,538	8,865	27 June
July 25	12	–	–	8.1	8.3	2 5/8	2.63	81	2.65	–	130	–	15,236	2,398	2,699	1,352	2,266	35	6,487	8,787	25 July
Aug. 29	–	–	–	8.2	8.4	2 1/4	2.40	32	2.90	–	135	–	15,214	2,422	2,762	1,403	2,237	31	6,360	8,627	29 Aug.
Sept. 26	–	–	–	8.2	8.3	2 3/4	2.88	95	3.16	–	135	–	15,205	2,441	2,739	1,424	2,210	29	6,362	8,601	26 Sept.
Oct. 31	–	–	26	8.6	8.3	2 3/4	2.90	85	3.34	–	115	–	15,187	2,454	2,675	1,496	2,199	28	6,336	8,562	31 Oct.
Nov. 28	50	–	–	8.5	8.2	2 7/8	3.03	97	3.52	–	115	–	15,494	2,451	2,610	1,540	2,582	26	6,285	8,893	28 Nov.
Dec. 26	10	–	–	8.2	8.3	3 1/4	3.25	75	3.67	–	125	–	15,233	2,506	2,530	1,447	2,530	28	6,193	8,750	26 Dec.
1957—Jan. 30	–	–	–	8.2	8.2	3	3.00	86	3.70	–	125	–	15,178	2,312	2,530	1,536	2,500	23	6,278	8,800	30 Jan.—1957
Feb. 27	–	–	12	8.4	8.2	3 1/2	3.55	112	3.76	–	125	–	15,187	2,254	2,570	1,520	2,470	21	6,352	8,844	27 Feb.
Mar. 27	10	–	14	8.2	8.2	3 5/8	3.70	152	3.70	–	125	–	15,169	2,280	2,554	1,501	2,433	20	6,380	8,833	27 Mar.
Apr. 24	21	–	5	8.4	8.1	3 3/4	3.71	96	3.75	–	125	–	15,132	2,353	2,506	1,477	2,396	20	6,380	8,796	24 Apr.
May 29	25	–	–	8.2	8.2	3 3/8	3.53	116	3.76	–	125	–	15,082	2,352	2,535	1,494	2,348	19	6,335	8,701	29 May
June 26	24	–	9	8.4	8.2	3 3/4	3.83	97	3.81	–	125	–	14,900	2,404	2,519	1,397	2,312	22	6,245	8,580	26 June
July 31	–	–	3	7.7	8.1	3 3/4	3.75	81	3.81	–	125	–	14,794	2,401	2,502	1,371	2,277	17	6,227	8,520	31 July
Aug. 28	–	–	–	8.4	8.2	3 1/4	3.55	106	4.03	–	130	–	14,771	2,470	2,506	1,376	2,244	16	6,159	8,420	28 Aug.
Sept. 25	–	–	–	8.2	8.3	2 1/4	2.45	73	3.80	–	125	–	14,760	2,444	2,635	1,384	2,214	16	6,068	8,297	25 Sept.
Oct. 30	–	54	54	8.6	8.2	4	3.60	86	3.80	–	125	–	14,735	2,541	2,531	1,387	2,188	15	6,071	8,275	30 Oct.
Nov. 27	–	21	59	8.3	8.2	3 1/2	3.53	157	3.58	–	125	–	15,199	2,480	2,561	1,384	2,664	15	6,095	8,774	27 Nov.
Weekly																					**Weekly**
1957—June 5	–	32	32	7.9	7.9	3 7/8	3.70	105	3.79	–	125	–	15,078	2,395	2,558	1,482	2,344	19	6,280	8,643	5 June—1957
12	–	–	26	8.3	8.1	3 3/4	3.85	109	3.79	–	125	–	15,064	2,401	2,518	1,480	2,331	18	6,315	8,665	12
19	–	6	23	8.3	8.1	3 7/8	3.83	106	3.80	–	125	–	14,916	2,410	2,514	1,398	2,321	30	6,244	8,595	19
26	24	–	9	8.4	8.2	3 3/4	3.83	97	3.81	–	125	–	14,900	2,404	2,519	1,397	2,312	22	6,245	8,580	26
July 3	12	8	8	8.1	8.1	3 3/4	3.69	93	3.81	–	125	–	14,827	2,421	2,510	1,361	2,306	21	6,210	8,536	3 July
10	–	25	25	8.1	8.1	4	3.85	89	3.81	–	125	–	14,816	2,460	2,478	1,366	2,296	20	6,197	8,512	10
17	–	–	20	8.2	8.2	3 3/4	3.75	98	3.81	–	125	–	14,803	2,462	2,468	1,365	2,283	19	6,206	8,508	17
24	–	–	–	8.1	8.2	3 1/4	3.58	70	3.80	–	125	–	14,793	2,434	2,486	1,369	2,275	18	6,212	8,505	24
31	–	–	3	7.7	8.1	3 3/4	3.75	81	3.81	–	125	–	14,794	2,401	2,502	1,371	2,277	17	6,227	8,520	31
Aug. 7	11	42	44	8.1	7.8	4	3.88	81	3.92	–	125	–	14,786	2,439	2,455	1,372	2,269	17	6,235	8,521	7 Aug.
14	–	4	35	8.3	8.0	4 1/8	4.08	102	4.03	–	130	–	14,774	2,462	2,432	1,370	2,257	17	6,237	8,510	14
21	–	–	6	8.4	8.1	3 7/8	4.00	89	4.08	–	130	–	14,773	2,486	2,455	1,372	2,251	17	6,193	8,461	21
28	–	–	–	8.4	8.2	3 1/4	3.55	106	4.03	–	130	–	14,771	2,470	2,506	1,376	2,244	16	6,159	8,420	28
Sept. 4	–	–	–	8.2	8.2	3 1/4	3.16	119	4.01	–	130	–	14,773	2,457	2,498	1,377	2,241	16	6,184	8,441	4 Sept.
11	–	–	–	8.4	8.2	3 1/4	3.20	107	4.00	–	130	–	14,769	2,482	2,513	1,382	2,232	16	6,144	8,391	11
18	–	–	–	8.5	8.3	2 3/4	3.03	72	3.93	–	130	–	14,762	2,503	2,569	1,383	2,221	16	6,070	8,306	18
25	–	–	–	8.2	8.3	2 1/4	2.45	73	3.80	–	125	–	14,760	2,444	2,635	1,384	2,214	16	6,068	8,297	25
Oct. 2	–	1	8	7.6	7.6	3 1/2	2.95	156	3.84	–	125	–	14,779	2,391	2,644	1,382	2,208	40	6,115	8,362	2 Oct.
9	–	16	38	8.1	7.9	4	3.85	109	3.87	–	125	–	14,749	2,465	2,599	1,385	2,198	20	6,082	8,300	9
16	–	9	9	8.3	8.0	3 3/4	3.81	111	3.88	–	125	–	14,738	2,494	2,556	1,384	2,189	18	6,097	8,304	16
23	–	–	2	8.5	8.1	3 1/2	3.65	123	3.83	–	125	–	14,732	2,496	2,546	1,386†	2,185	16	6,103†	8,305†	23
30	–	54	54	8.6	8.2	4	3.60	86	3.80	–	125	–	14,735	2,541	2,531	1,387	2,188	15	6,071	8,275	30
Nov. 6	–	–	–	8.0	8.3	3 1/2	3.65	140	3.79	–	125	–	14,806	2,485	2,569	1,387	2,260	15	6,090	8,365	6 Nov.
13	–	–	–	8.0	8.2	3 1/2	3.50	127	3.74	–	125	–	14,918	2,479	2,584	1,386	2,372	15	6,082	8,469	13
20	–	–	–	8.1	8.1	3 3/8	3.38	145	3.51	–	125	–	15,220	2,502	2,568	1,384	2,679	15	6,072	8,766	20
27	–	21	59	8.3	8.2	3 1/2	3.53	157	3.58	–	125	–	15,199	2,480	2,561	1,384	2,664	15	6,095	8,774	27

1. Bank Rate, the minimum rate at which the Bank of Canada will make temporary loans or advances, stood at 2% from October 1950 to February 14, 1955 when it was reduced to 1½%. The rate was raised to 2% on August 5, 1955, to 2¼% on October 12, 1955, to 2¾% on November 18, 1955, to 3% on April 4, 1956, to 3¼% on August 9, 1956, and to 3½% on October 17, 1956. Since November 1, 1956, Bank Rate has been ¼ of 1% above the latest weekly average tender rate for 91-day Treasury Bills. 2. This table has been revised to show all holdings of Government of Canada direct and guaranteed securities at par value, and for this reason the figures for Bank of Canada and chartered bank holdings differ from those appearing on pages 352, 354 and 356. Foreign-pay issues are valued at uniform exchange rates of £1 = $2.80 U.S. = $2.80 Cdn. 3. Estimated par value. † Revised.

NOTE: For data back to July 1954 see pages 36–41 in the "Financial Supplement 1956".

TREASURY BILL RATES, GOVERNMENT BOND PRICES[1] AND MARKET YIELDS[2]

SELECTED ISSUES[3]

CANADA, UNITED STATES, UNITED KINGDOM

Bank of Canada

	Weighted Average of Tender Rates on 3 Month Treasury Bills[4]			Canada							
				3% Sept. 1/61–66		2¾% June 15/67–68		3¾% Jan. 15/75–78		3¼% Oct. 1/79	
	Canada	U.S.	U.K.	Price	Yield	Price	Yield	Price	Yield	Price	Yield
				Cdn. $		Cdn. $		Cdn. $		Cdn. $	
Wednesdays											
1955—Nov. 30	2.58	2.45	4.07	97 1/2	3.28	94 3/8	3.30	105	3.39	97 3/4	3.39
Dec. 28	2.56	2.69	4.07	97 1/4	3.31	93 1/2	3.39	103 3/4	3.48	97 3/8	3.41
1956—Jan. 25	2.53	2.25	4.07	98	3.22	94 1/2	3.29	104 1/2	3.43	98 3/8	3.35
Feb. 29	2.56	2.41	5.20	98	3.23	95	3.25	105 1/4	3.37	99 1/8	3.30
Mar. 28	2.64	2.17	5.17	97 1/8	3.33	93 1/2	3.40	103 1/2	3.49	97 3/8	3.41
Apr. 25	2.89	2.79	5.01	94 3/4	3.61	92 1/2	3.51	100 3/4	3.69	94 1/2	3.60
May 30	2.72	2.57	5.01	95 5/8	3.51	92 5/8	3.51	102	3.60	95 7/8	3.51
June 27	2.52	2.54	5.14	96 3/8	3.42	93 5/8	3.40	103 3/4	3.47	98	3.37
July 25	2.65	2.30	4.98	95 3/8	3.55	92 1/2	3.53	101 1/2	3.64	95 1/4	3.55
Aug. 29	2.90	2.83	5.02	93 7/8	3.74	90	3.81	99 1/2	3.78	93 1/8	3.69
Sept. 26	3.16	2.99	5.09	92 7/8	3.87	89 1/2	3.88	98	3.89	91 1/2	3.81
Oct. 31	3.34	2.89	5.00	92 1/4	3.96	89	3.94	98	3.89	91 1/8	3.84
Nov. 28	3.52	3.17	5.02	91 1/8	4.11	88 3/4	3.97	97	3.96	90 3/4	3.86
Dec. 26	3.67	3.22	4.86	90 7/8	4.16	88 3/4	3.98	96 3/4	3.98	90 1/4	3.90
1957—Jan. 30	3.70	3.28	4.54	89 1/2	4.35	86 3/4	4.23	95	4.11	87	4.14
Feb. 27	3.76	3.29	4.00	91 5/8	4.07	88 1/2	4.02	96 1/4	4.02	89 1/2	3.96
Mar. 27	3.70	3.03	4.11	91 1/4	4.13	87 1/2	4.15	96 1/4	4.02	90	3.92
Apr. 24	3.75	3.05	3.91	89 5/8	4.36	86	4.35	96 1/4	4.02	89 1/2	3.96
May 29	3.76	3.25	3.92	89	4.46	85	4.49	94 1/2	4.15	86 3/4	4.17
June 26	3.81	3.23	3.85	88	4.62	84 1/2	4.56	94	4.19	86 3/4	4.17
July 31	3.81	3.36	3.82	87 3/4	4.67	83 1/2	4.71	93 1/4	4.25	85 3/4	4.25
Aug. 28	4.03	3.50	4.12	86 1/2	4.88	82 3/4	4.81	93	4.27	84 1/2	4.35
Sept. 25	3.80	3.54	6.60	88 5/8	4.57	84	4.66	93	4.27	85	4.31
Oct. 30	3.80	3.62	6.59	90 5/8	4.29	87 1/4	4.25	94 3/4	4.13	88 1/4	4.06
Nov. 28	3.58	3.16	6.46	94 5/8	3.73	92	3.67	97 3/4	3.91	92	3.79
Weekly											
1957—June 12	3.79	3.26	3.86	88 7/8	4.48	85	4.49	95 1/8	4.10	86 7/8	4.16
19	3.80	3.40	3.86	88 1/2	4.55	84 3/4	4.53	94 1/2	4.15	86 3/4	4.17
26	3.81	3.23	3.85	88	4.62	84 1/2	4.56	94	4.19	86 3/4	4.17
July 3	3.81	3.24	3.85	88 1/4	4.58	84 3/4	4.53	94 1/4	4.17	86 3/4	4.17
10	3.81	3.17	3.85	88 1/4	4.60	84 1/4	4.56	93 1/2	4.23	86 1/4	4.21
17	3.81	3.09	3.84	87 3/4	4.67	84 1/4	4.60	93 1/4	4.25	86	4.23
24	3.80	3.16	3.85	87 3/4	4.67	84 1/8	4.62	93 1/4	4.25	85 3/4	4.25
31	3.81	3.36	3.82	87 3/4	4.67	83 1/2	4.71	93 1/4	4.25	85 3/4	4.25
Aug. 7	3.92	3.31	3.88	87 1/4	4.74	83 1/4	4.74	93	4.27	85 1/4	4.29
14	4.03	3.50	3.99	86 7/8	4.80	83	4.78	92 3/4	4.29	85	4.31
21	4.08	3.35	4.05	86 1/2	4.88	82 3/4	4.81	92 3/4	4.29	84 1/2	4.35
28	4.03	3.50	4.12	86 1/2	4.88	82 3/4	4.81	93	4.27	84 1/2	4.35
Sept. 4	4.01	3.57	4.22	87 1/4	4.76	83 1/4	4.76	93	4.27	85	4.31
11	4.00	3.58	4.23	87 1/8	4.78	83 1/4	4.76	93	4.27	85	4.31
18	3.93	3.63	6.60	88 3/8	4.60	83 5/8	4.71	93	4.27	84 3/4	4.33
25	3.80	3.54	6.60	88 5/8	4.57	84	4.66	93	4.27	85	4.31
Oct. 2	3.84	3.53	6.61	88 1/2	4.59	84	4.67	93 1/4	4.25	85 3/4	4.25
9	3.87	3.53	6.60	88 5/8	4.57	84 1/2	4.60	93 1/4	4.25	86 1/4	4.22
16	3.88	3.66	6.60	89 1/8	4.50	86	4.41	93 1/2	4.23	87 1/4	4.14
23	3.83	3.62	6.60	90 1/4	4.34	86 1/2	4.35	94	4.19	88	4.08
30	3.80	3.62	6.59	90 5/8	4.29	87 1/4	4.25	94 3/4	4.13	88 1/4	4.06
Nov. 6	3.79	3.57	6.59	91 1/2	4.16	87 7/8	4.18	94 3/4	4.14	88 3/4	4.03
13	3.74	3.47	6.58	92 1/2	4.02	89 1/2	3.98	95	4.12	89	4.01
20	3.51	3.15	6.47	94 5/8	3.73	91 5/8	3.71	97	3.97	90 1/4	3.92
27	3.58	3.16	6.46	94 5/8	3.73	92	3.67	97 3/4	3.91	92	3.79

1. Government bond prices are closing bids at the Wednesday date for Canadian and United States issues. Prices of the United Kingdom Apr. 15/59–60 issue are closing transactions at the Wednesday date and of the United Kingdom Aug. 15/65–75 issue are approximate mid-market transactions at the Wednesday date. All prices exclude accrued interest.
2. Market yields are based on the prices shown and are expressed as per cent per annum to maturity date if at a discount and to earliest call date if at a premium.

NOTE: For 1950–1952 data see pages 52–55 in the "Financial Supplement 1954" and for 1953–1956 data see pages 44–51 in the "Financial Supplement 1956".

United States						United Kingdom				
2½% Dec. 15/63–68		2½% Dec. 15/67–72		3¼% June 15/78–83		3% Apr. 15/59–69		3% Aug. 15/65–75		
Price	Yield	Price	Yield	Price	Yield	Price	Yield	Price	Yield	
U.S. $		U.S. $		U.S. $		£		£		**Wednesdays**
96 3/8	2.83	94 27/32	2.89	105 1/4	2.93	82 15/16	4.74	79	4.64	30 Nov.—1955
95 3/4	2.89	94 13/16	2.89	105 1/32	2.94	82 1/32	4.85	78 3/8	4.69	28 Dec.
96 1/2	2.83	95 3/4	2.82	105 3/4	2.90	80 13/32	5.04	77	4.83	25 Jan.—1956
96 23/32	2.83	95 21/32	2.83	105 1/16	2.90	80 1/2	5.06	76 7/8	4.85	29 Feb.
94 29/32	3.00	93 15/16	2.96	104 3/32	3.00	79 3/32	5.23	75 3/32	5.03	28 Mar.
93 29/32	3.10	92 26/32	3.06	102 1/8	3.12	80 13/32	5.08	75 13/32	4.96	25 Apr.
95 13/16	2.90	95 1/4	2.86	104 1/16	2.98	79	5.27	74 3/4	5.07	30 May
95 9/16	2.96	94 9/16	2.92	104 1/8	2.99	77 19/32	5.45	73 5/32	5.24	27 June
93 31/32	3.09	93 7/32	3.03	102 1/16	3.12	77 27/32	5.43	72 1/16	5.36	25 July
91 15/32	3.35	90 15/16	3.22	100 1/32	3.25	79 1/4	5.28	74 1/4	5.14	29 Aug.
92 5/16	3.27	91 13/16	3.15	100 1/8	3.24	77 17/32	5.51	72 5/32	5.37	26 Sept.
91 11/16	3.34	90 23/32	3.24	99 3/16	3.30	78 3/4	5.37	72 3/8	5.35	31 Oct.
90 31/32	3.42	89 13/32	3.34	98 1/4	3.35	77 3/4	5.49	71 1/4	5.47	28 Nov.
90 15/32	3.48	88 9/16	3.44	97 1/2	3.39	78 13/32	5.43	72 13/32	5.36	26 Dec.
92 9/16	3.26	91 9/16	3.18	99 1/8	3.29	83	4.86	77 5/8	4.84	30 Jan.—1957
91 13/32	3.34	90 9/16	3.27	99 5/16	3.29	82 5/8	4.91	76 31/32	4.91	27 Feb.
92 1/16	3.27	91 1/2	3.19	99 1/8	3.30	81 19/32	5.05	75 17/32	5.06	27 Mar.
91 1/16	3.44	89 7/8	3.33	97 7/16	3.41	81 1/4	5.11	75	5.12	24 Apr.
89 1/2	3.62	88 7/16	3.47	96 1/8	3.48	79 1/16	5.38	72 25/32	5.36	29 May
87 1/4	3.89	86 3/8	3.66	93 7/8	3.61	78 13/32	5.45	70 9/16	5.60	26 June
87 1/2	3.87	86 13/16	3.63	93 1/4	3.66	79 5/16	5.38	70 3/4	5.59	31 July
88 1/4	3.78	87 7/16	3.57	93	3.67	78 29/32	5.30	69 9/32	5.78	28 Aug.
88	3.82	86 7/16	3.67	93 3/8	3.65	77 21/32	5.65	68 5/32	5.89	25 Sept.
87 15/16	3.84	86 1/8	3.70	92 5/8	3.70	77 7/8	5.63	68 5/8	5.86	30 Oct.
92 7/8	3.27	91 3/8	3.23	97 3/16	3.42			67 26/32	5.97	27 Nov.
										Weekly
88 13/16	3.70	88	3.51	95 1/2	3.52	77 29/32	5.57	70 23/32	5.56	12 June—1957
87 1/16	3.91	86 1/4	3.67	93 5/8	3.63	78 11/32	5.52	71 11/32	5.52	19
87 1/4	3.89	86 3/8	3.66	93 7/8	3.61	78 1/32	5.45	70 9/16	5.60	26
87 3/4	3.84	87 3/16	3.59	94 9/16	3.57	78 3/32	5.56	70 1/2	5.62	3 July
87 3/4	3.84	87 1/4	3.58	94 3/8	3.59	77 23/32	5.61	70 1/2	5.62	10
87 5/8	3.85	87	3.61	94 3/16	3.60	77	5.71	69 1/2	5.76	17
86 15/16	3.93	86 6/16	3.66	93 9/16	3.65	78 5/8	5.49	70 1/16	5.64	24
87 1/2	3.87	86 13/16	3.63	93 1/4	3.66	79 9/16	5.38	70 3/4	5.59	31
87 7/8	3.83	87 1/16	3.61	92 7/8	3.68	80 1/16	5.30	71 9/16	5.53	7 Aug.
87 1/2	3.87	86 11/16	3.64	92 15/16	3.71	79 3/4	5.36	70 3/8	5.63	14
88 1/16	3.81	87 3/8	3.57	93 5/16	3.65	78 15/16	5.46	69 15/16	5.78	21
88 1/4	3.78	87 7/16	3.57	93	3.67	78 29/32	5.46	69 3/32	5.78	28
89	3.70	88	3.52	93 11/16	3.63	78 19/32	5.53	68 19/32	5.84	4 Sept.
88 3/4	3.73	87 11/16	3.55	94 1/8	3.60	79 29/32	5.37	69 3/32	5.76	11
88	3.82	86 11/16	3.65	93	3.67	80 3/32	5.32	70 11/32	5.64	18
88	3.82	86 7/16	3.67	93 3/8	3.65	77 21/32	5.65	68 6/32	5.89	25
87 7/8	3.84	86 1/2	3.66	93 5/8	3.63	77 11/32	5.71	68 3/16	5.91	2 Oct.
88 3/16	3.81	86 3/4	3.65	93 3/16	3.66	77 1/32	5.69	68 15/16	5.81	9
87 1/2	3.89	85 13/16	3.73	92 5/8	3.70	78	5.61	68 15/16	5.81	16
87 13/16	3.85	86	3.72	92 5/8	3.70	78 3/16	5.58	68 13/16	5.84	23
87 15/16	3.84	86 1/8	3.70	92 5/8	3.70	77 7/8	5.63	68 5/8	5.86	30
89 1/16	3.71	87 1/2	3.58	93 5/8	3.63	77 3/4	5.73	68 1/16	5.93	6 Nov.
89 5/8	3.65	88	3.53	94 1/4	3.60	77 1/2	5.71	68 1/8	5.92	13
92 1/8	3.36	90 7/16	3.31	96 3/8	3.46	77 19/32	5.70	68 1/8	5.92	20
92 7/8	3.27	91 3/8	3.23	97 3/16	3.42			67 26/32	5.97	27

3. On Jan. 1st, 1957 the amounts outstanding for the four Canadian bond issues were $1,692 million, $350 million, $100 million, and $400 million respectively; for the three United States bond issues, $2,824 million, $3,785 million, and $1,606 million respectively; and for the two United Kingdom bond issues £296 million and £1,073 million respectively.
4. Treasury Bill tender rates are at the date nearest the Wednesday shown. In Canada tenders are received on Thursday, in the United States on Monday, and in the United Kingdom on Friday.

SECURITY ISSUES AND RETIREMENTS★

Bank of Canada

Par Values in Millions of Canadian Dollars

Total Bonds, Debentures and Stocks

	Gross New Issues			Retirements			Net New Issues		
	Canadian Dollars Only	Other Currencies [1]	Total	Canadian Dollars Only	Other Currencies [1]	Total	Canadian Dollars Only	Other Currencies [1]	**Total**
Calendar Years									
1952	1,242	299	1,541	393	55	448	849	244	**1,093**
1953	1,130	354	1,484	385	58	443	745	296	**1,041**
1954	1,569	263	1,832	519	122	641	1,050	141	**1,191**
1955	1,886	96	1,982	639	125	764	1,247	−29	**1,218**
1956	2,176	551	2,727	418	66	484	1,758	485	**2,243**
Quarters									
1956—I	473	119	592	110	12	127	363	107	**470**
II	571	132	703	116	12	128	455	120	**575**
III	542	164	706	87	8	95	455	156	**611**
IV	590	136	726	105	34	139	485	102	**587**
1957—I	522	224	746	145	47	192	377	177	**554**
II	627	236	863	94	69	163	533	167	**700**
III	420	127	547	83	21	104	337	106	**443**

Provincial Direct and Guaranteed Bonds and Debentures

	Gross New Issues			Retirements [2]			Net New Issues		
	Canadian Dollars Only	Other Currencies	Total	Canadian Dollars Only	Other Currencies	Total	Canadian Dollars Only	Other Currencies	**Total**
Calendar Years									
1952	355	93	448	102	35	137	253	58	**311**
1953	251	140	391	91	28	119	160	112	**272**
1954	380	116	496	133	69	202	247	47	**294**
1955	372	–	372	111	50	161	261	−50	**211**
1956	418	214	632	72	23	95	346	191	**537**
Monthly									
1956—Jan.	65	87	152	2	2	4	63	85	**148**
Feb.	–	5	5	2	2	4	−2	3	**1**
Mar.	14	–	14	7	–	7	7	–	**7**
I	**79**	**92**	**171**	**11**	**4**	**15**	**68**	**88**	**156**
Apr.	9	–	9	9	–	9	–	–	–
May	65	50	115	1	2	3	64	48	**112**
June	5	–	5	19	4	23	−14	−4	**−18**
II	**79**	**50**	**129**	**29**	**6**	**35**	**50**	**44**	**94**
July	81	39	120	10	1	11	71	38	**109**
Aug.	9	–	9	2	1	3	7	−1	**6**
Sept.	4	–	4	4	1	5	–	−1	**−1**
III	**94**	**39**	**133**	**16**	**3**	**19**	**78**	**36**	**114**
Oct.	84	–	84	3	–	3	81	–	**81**
Nov.	8	–	8	7	1	8	1	−1	–
Dec.	74	33	107	6	9	15	68	24	**92**
IV	**166**	**33**	**199**	**16**	**10**	**26**	**150**	**23**	**173**
1957—Jan.	36	15	51	8	3	11	28	12	**40**
Feb.	54	48	102	5	2	7	49	46	**95**
Mar.	30	–	30	66	–	66	−36	–	**−36**
I	**120**	**63**	**183**	**79**	**5**	**84**	**41**	**58**	**99**
Apr.	125	3	128	1	2	3	124	1	**125**
May	6	43	49	5	6	11	1	37	**38**
June	10	–	10	4	55	59	6	−55	**−49**
II	**141**	**46**	**187**	**10**	**63**	**73**	**131**	**−17**	**114**
July	83	–	83	17	1	18	66	−1	**65**
Aug.	6	–	6	1	9	10	5	−9	**−4**
Sept.	9	–	9	3	3	6	6	−3	**3**
III	**98**	–	**98**	**21**	**13**	**34**	**77**	**−13**	**64**
Oct.	46	–	46	4	–	4	42	–	**42**

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Details of Government of Canada Direct and Guaranteed Securities are shown on pages 282–283.

1. Includes Canadian stock issues with dividends payable in U.S. dollars.
2. Excludes payments into sinking funds.
3. Excludes issues guaranteed by provinces which are already included in "Provincial Direct and Guaranteed". Also excludes issues sold directly to provinces which are estimated to be as follows:

	Gross New Issues	Retirements	Net New Issues
1952	23	2	21
1953	42	3	39
1954	39	4	35
1955	45	11	34
1956	57	9	48

NOTE: Data for calendar year 1952 and first half of 1955 for most of these series, see pages 56–57 in the "Financial Supplement 1956".

Par Values in Millions of Canadian Dollars

Total Bonds and Debentures

	Gross New Issues			Retirements			Net New Issues		
	Canadian Dollars Only	Other Currencies	Total	Canadian Dollars Only	Other Currencies	Total	Canadian Dollars Only	Other Currencies	**Total**
Calendar Years									
1952	990	299	1,289	380	55	435	610	244	**854**
1953	869	326	1,195	332	58	390	537	268	**805**
1954	1,331	262	1,593	452	122	574	879	140	**1,019**
1955	1,396	51	1,447	567	122	689	829	−71	**758**
1956	1,488	551	2,039	405	66	471	1,083	485	**1,568**
Quarters									
I—1956	357	119	476	108	12	120	249	107	**356**
II	381	132	513	111	12	123	270	120	**390**
III	306	164	470	83	8	91	223	156	**379**
IV	444	136	580	103	34	137	341	102	**443**
I—1957	433	224	657	145	14	159	288	210	**498**
II	491	236	727	93	69	162	398	167	**565**
III	201	127	328	83	21	104	118	106	**224**

Municipal Direct and Guaranteed Bonds and Debentures [3]

	Gross New Issues			Retirements			Net New Issues		
	Canadian Dollars Only	Other Currencies	Total	Canadian Dollars Only [4]	Other Currencies	Total	Canadian Dollars Only	Other Currencies	**Total**
Calendar Years									
1952	189	49	238	81	8	89	108	41	**149**
1953	221	72	293	86	17	103	135	55	**190**
1954	340	31	371	89	20	109	251	11	**262**
1955	291	42	333	98	25	123	193	17	**210**
1956	235	108	343	112	24	136	123	84	**207**
Quarterly									
I—1956	38	5	43	27	3	30	11	2	**13**
II	98	32	130	28	4	32	70	28	**98**
III	32	59	91	28	2	30	4	57	**61**
IV	67	12	79	29	15	44	38	−3	**35**
I—1957	61	32	93	30	3	33	31	29	**60**
II	55	8	63	30	5	35	25	3	**28**
III	46	64	110	31	3	34	15	61	**76**

Corporate and "Other" Bonds, Debentures and Stocks [5]

	Gross New Issues			Retirements			Net New Issues		
	Canadian Dollars Only	Other Currencies [1]	Total	Canadian Dollars Only	Other Currencies [1]	Total	Canadian Dollars Only	Other Currencies [1]	**Total**
Calendar Years									
1952	698	157	855	210	12	222	488	145	**633**
1953	658	142	800	208	13	221	450	129	**579**
1954	849	116	965	297	33	330	552	83	**635**
1955	1,223	54	1,277	430	50	480	793	4	**797**
1956	1,523	229	1,752	234	19	253	1,289	210	**1,499**
Quarterly									
I—1956	356	22	378	72	5	77	284	17	**301**
II	394	50	444	59	2	61	335	48	**383**
III	416	66	482	43	3	46	373	63	**436**
IV	357	91	448	60	9	69	297	82	**379**
I—1957	341	129	470	36	39	75	305	90	**395**
II	431	182	613	54	1	55	377	181	**558**
III	276	63	339	31	5	36	245	58	**303**

4. No information is available on retirements of Canadian dollar municipal bonds on a quarterly basis and annual estimates have been prorated over the four quarters.
5. For details see table on page 368.

CORPORATE AND "OTHER" SECURITY ISSUES AND RETIREMENTS★

Par Values in Millions of Canadian Dollars — *Bank of Canada*

CORPORATE BONDS AND DEBENTURES [1]

	Gross New Issues			Retirements			Net New Issues		
	Canadian Dollars Only	Other Currencies	Total	Canadian Dollars Only	Other Currencies	Total	Canadian Dollars Only	Other Currencies	**Total**
Calendar Years									
1952	419	157	576	191	12	203	228	145	**373**
1953	394	114	508	148	13	161	246	101	**347**
1954	576	115	691	218	33	251	358	82	**440**
1955	681	9	690	331	47	378	350	−38	**312**
1956	819	229	1,048	212	19	231	607	210	**817**
Monthly									
1956—Jan.	90	1	91						
Feb.	56	20	76						
Mar.	90	1	91						
I	236	22	258	68	5†	73†	168	17†	**185†**
Apr.	91	–	91						
May	55	17	72						
June	52	33	85						
II	198	50	248	52†	2	54†	146†	48	**194**
July	65	39	104						
Aug.	24	–	24						
Sept.	90	27	117						
III	179	66	245	37	3	40	142	63	**205**
Oct.	62	5	67						
Nov.	77	57	134						
Dec.	67	29	96						
IV	206	91	297	55	9	64	151	82	**233**
1957—Jan.	48	39	87						
Feb.	130	80	210						
Mar.	65	10	75						
I	243	129	372	34	6	40	209	123	**332**
Apr.	153	140	293						
May	71	13	84						
June	71	29	100						
II	295	182	477	51	1	52	244	181	**425**
July	21	11	32						
Aug.	5	2	7						
Sept.	31	50	81						
III	57	63	120	30	5	35	27	58	**85**
Oct.	43	–	43						

	"OTHER" BONDS AND DEBENTURES [2]			PREFERRED STOCKS			COMMON STOCKS		
	Gross New Issues	Retirements	Net New Issues	Gross New Issues [3]	Retirements [4]	Net New Issues	Gross New Issues [3, 5]	Retirements	Net New Issues
Calendar Years									
1952	27	6	**21**	29	13	**16**	223	–	**223**
1953	3	7	**−4**	83	32	**51**	206	21	**185**
1954	35	12	**23**	92	66	**26**	147	1	**146**
1955	52	27	**25**	170	75	**95**	365†	–	**365†**
1956	13	9	**4**	184	13	**171**	504	–	**504**
Quarters									
1956—I	4	2	**2**	33	2	**31**	83	–	**83**
II	3	2	**1**	83	5	**78**	107†	–	**107†**
III	1	2	**−1**	34	4	**30**	202	–	**202**
IV	5	3	**2**	34	2	**32**	112	–	**112**
1957—I	9	2	**7**	19	33	**−14**	70	–	**70**
II	–	2	**−2**	14	1	**13**	122	–	**122**
III	–	1	**−1**	62	–	**62**	157	–	**157**

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1. Includes issues of Canadian corporations (including CNR issues not guaranteed by the Government of Canada) payable in Canadian dollars or other currencies except in those few cases where issues are sold abroad in foreign currencies and the proceeds are used outside Canada. Also includes Canadian dollar issues of foreign corporations when the proceeds are used in Canada. No liabilities of trust and loan companies are included.
2. Consists of issues of Canadian religious and other institutions and Canadian dollar issues of Australia and I.B.R.D. New issues of Australia amounted to $15 million in 1955 and those of I.B.R.D. amounted to $15 million in 1952, $25 million in 1954, and $15 million in 1955 and retirements to $15 million in 1955. These are all Canadian dollar issues.
3. At offering prices.
4. Includes retirement of $3 million stock in third quarter 1955 and of $33 million stock in first quarter of 1957 having dividends payable in U.S. dollars.
5. Includes stock issues having dividends payable in U.S. dollars of $28 million in 1953, $1 million in 1954, $44 million in the first quarter of 1955 and $1 million in the second quarter of 1955. † Revised.

NOTE: For calendar year 1952 and first half of 1955 data see page 58 in the "Financial Supplement 1956".

GOVERNMENT OF CANADA THEORETICAL BOND YIELDS[1]

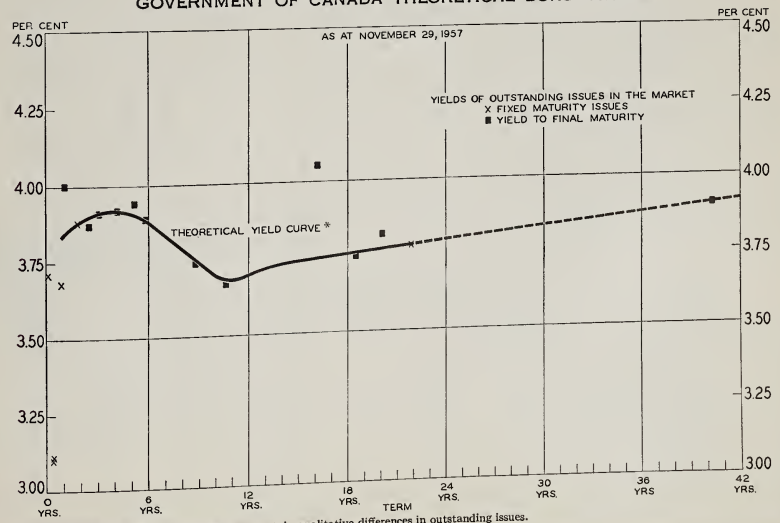
Percent per Annum — *Bank of Canada*

	1 Year	2 Years	3 Years	5 Years	10 Years	15 Years	20 Years	25 Years
1956—Aug. 15	3.69	3.93	3.97	3.95	3.78	3.76	3.75	3.74
31	3.57	3.86	3.89	3.88	3.78	3.77	3.76	3.76
Sept. 15	3.87	3.94	3.96	3.91	3.79	3.78	3.78	3.78
29	3.80	3.95	4.01	4.05	3.87	3.88	3.88	3.88
Oct. 15	3.82	3.97	4.03	4.05	3.86	3.85	3.84	3.84
31	4.03	4.12	4.17	4.19	3.94	3.90	3.87	3.85
Nov. 15	4.11	4.24	4.35	4.41	4.02	3.93	3.90	3.89
30	4.32	4.46	4.50	4.51	4.13	3.98	3.93	3.92
Dec. 14	4.32	4.48	4.51	4.51	4.08	3.97	3.95	3.94
31	4.41	4.56	4.60	4.60	4.10	4.01	4.00	3.99
1957—Jan. 15	4.62	4.84	4.84	4.67	4.23	4.13	4.10	4.08
31	4.74	4.80	4.81	4.79	4.28	4.18	4.16	4.13
Feb. 15	4.43	4.49	4.52	4.54	4.05	4.03	4.02	4.01
28	4.08	4.26	4.38	4.45	4.03	4.00	3.98	3.97
Mar. 15	4.07	4.21	4.29	4.35	4.05	4.01	3.97	3.95
29	4.18	4.29	4.37	4.41	4.13	4.06	3.99	3.95
Apr. 15	4.14	4.34	4.43	4.49	4.20	4.10	4.00	3.94
30	4.18	4.49	4.58	4.61	4.35	4.16	4.01	3.96
May 15	4.25	4.58	4.64	4.64	4.40	4.27	4.15	4.11
31	4.33	4.68	4.74	4.69	4.46	4.31	4.17	4.14
June 15	4.30	4.65	4.73	4.77	4.47	4.30	4.16	4.14
28	4.35	4.72	4.81	4.82	4.56	4.37	4.20	4.18
July 15	4.38	4.70	4.80	4.84	4.61	4.42	4.25	4.22
31	4.23	4.68	4.76	4.79	4.64	4.45	4.26	4.24
Aug. 15	4.77	4.90	4.95	4.95	4.81	4.56	4.30	4.27
30	4.60	4.84	4.89	4.90	4.72	4.52	4.32	4.26
Sept. 13	4.83	4.94	4.97	4.93	4.73	4.54	4.34	4.29
30	4.83	4.86	4.85	4.78	4.57	4.42	4.27	4.27
Oct. 15	4.78	4.80	4.78	4.68	4.43	4.30	4.18	4.17
31	4.45	4.48	4.49	4.44	4.20	4.12	4.05	4.06
Nov. 15	3.83	3.90	3.94	3.97	3.89	3.92	3.96	3.99
29	3.85	3.88	3.91	3.91	3.70	3.74	3.77	3.80

1. Obtained as indicated by chart below.

NOTE: For 1952 data see page 38 in the 'Financial Supplement 1955' and for 1953–1956 data see pages 42–43 in the "Financial Supplement 1956'

GOVERNMENT OF CANADA THEORETICAL BOND YIELDS



* Free-hand curve which takes into account certain qualitative differences in outstanding issues.

INSTALMENT FINANCE COMPANIES: RETAIL AND WHOLESALE FINANCING

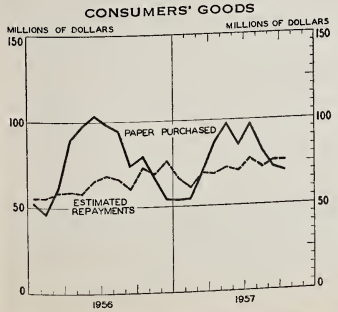
Dominion Bureau of Statistics

Millions of Dollars

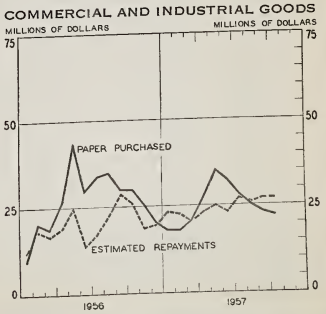
	Consumers' Goods									Commercial and Industrial Goods									Total Retail			
	Paper Purchased			Estimated Repayments [1]			Balances Outstanding (end of period)			Paper Purchased			Estimated Repayments [1]			Balances Outstanding (end of period)			Paper Purchased	Estimated Repayments [1]	Balances Outstanding (end of period)	
	Passenger Cars [2]	Other	Total	Passenger Cars [2]	Other	Total	Passenger Cars [2]	Other	Total	Comm. Vehicles [2]	Other	Total	Comm. Vehicles [2]	Other	Total	Comm. Vehicles [2]	Other	Total				
Calendar Years																						
1951	255	45	300	262	55	317	161	24	185	128	40	168	99	32	131	95	33	128	467	447	313	1951
1952	477	114	591	339	64	403	299	74	373	162	66	228	137	52	189	120	47	167	819	592	540	1952
1953	574	145	719	462	114	576	411	105	516	153	76	229	150	62	212	123	61	184	948	787	701	1953
1954	507	124	631	524	131	655	394	98	492	111	63	174	130	64	194	104	60	164	805	850	656	1954
1955	604	156	759	519	132	652	478	121	599	123	95	218	121	70	190	106	85	192	977	842	791	1955
1956	746	179	925	611	157	768	614	143	756	165	159	324	133	104	236	138	141	279	1,248	1,004	1,035	1956
Quarterly																						**Quarterly**
1955—I	101	33	134	106	27	134	388	103	492	19	15	35	33	17	50	91	58	149	168	184	640	I—1955
II	196	34	229	130	35	165	454	102	555	36	27	63	30	13	43	96	72	169	292	208	724	II
III	185	41	226	141	34	175	498	109	607	38	26	64	29	19	48	105	80	185	290	222	792	III
IV	122	48	170	142	36	178	478	121	599	30	26	56	29	21	50	106	85	192	227	228	791	IV
Monthly																						**Monthly**
1956—Jan.	34	19	53			55			597	8	2	10			12			189	62	67	786	Jan.—1956
Feb.	40	7	47			55			588	8	12	20			18			192	67	73	780	Feb.
Mar.	52	14	66			59	470	127	596	10	9	19	107	86	17	107	86	193	85	76	790	Mar.
I	127	39	166	135	34	169				27	22	49	26	21	47				214	216		I
Apr.	76	14	90			59			627	13	13	27			19			201	116	78	828	Apr.
May	88	9	98			59			666	19	24	43			25			220	141	83	886	May
June	82	21	103			66	572	132	703	18	12	30	124	112	14	124	112	236	133	80	939	June
II	246	45	291	144	40	184				51	49	100	34	24	58				390	241		II
July	85	14	99			68			734	17	17	34			17			252	132	85	986	July
Aug.	79	16	94			67			761	17	18	34			22			265	129	89	1,026	Aug.
Sept.	58	16	74			61	637	137	775	14	16	30	137	129	29	137	129	266	104	90	1,040	Sept.
III	221	46	267	156	40	196				47	51	98	35	33	68				365	264		III
Oct.	61	19	80			73			781	15	15	30			26			270	109	99	1,051	Oct.
Nov.	51	16	67			69			779	14	13	27			19			278	94	88	1,056	Nov.
Dec.	40	14	54			77	614	143	756	11	10	20	138	141	19	138	141	279	75	96	1,035	Dec.
IV	152	49	201	176	43	219				40	37	77	39	25	64				278	283		IV
1957—Jan.	42	11	54			67			743	11	7	18			23			274	72	90	1,017	Jan.—1957
Feb.	44	10	54			61			736	10	8	18			23			269	72	84	1,006	Feb.
Mar.	59	11	69			69	601	135	736	12	9	21	135	134	20	135	134	270	90	90	1,006	Mar.
I	145	32	177	157	40	197				33	24	57	36	31	66				234	263		I
Apr.	75	12	87			67			757	14	13	27			23			274	114	89	1,031	Apr.
May	82	15	97			72			781	19	16	35			25			284	131	98	1,064	May
June	72	13	85			70	660	136	796	16	16	32	146	147	23	146	147	293	117	93	1,088	June
II	229	39	268	171	39	209				49	45	94	38	32	71				362	280		II
July	82	15	97			77			815	14	14	28			27			294	125	104	1,110	July
Aug.	70	12	82			72			825	13	12	25			26			293	107	98	1,119	Aug.
Sept.	59	14	72			76	683	138	821	11	12	23	146	143	27	146	143	289	95	103	1,110	Sept.
III	210	41	251	186	39	225				38	38	76	38	42	80				327	305		III
Oct.	56	13	69			76			814	11	11	22			27			285	91	103	1,099	Oct.

	Wholesale			Total Retail and Wholesale			Average Repayment Terms on Retail Paper Purchased (months)			
							Consumers' Goods		Commercial and Industrial Goods	
	Paper Purchased	Estimated Repayments [1]	Balances Outstanding (end of period)	Paper Purchased	Estimated Repayments [1]	Balances Outstanding (end of period)	Passenger Cars [2]	Other	Comm. Vehicles [2]	Other
Calendar Years										
1956	1,213	*	182	2,461	*	1,217	20.4	18.4	20.1	19.1
Quarterly										
1956—II	447	419	226	837	660	1,165	20.4	18.6	20.0	18.5
III	241	323	144	606	587	1,184	20.6	18.5	20.3	19.3
IV	268	230	182	546	513	1,217	20.2	18.3	20.0	19.0
1957—I	347	268	261	581	531	1,267	19.6	18.0	19.2	19.5
II	380	388	253	742	668	1,341	19.8	18.3	19.5	19.7
III	224	295	182	551	600	1,292	*	*	*	*

1. Repayments are estimated by subtracting the net change in balances outstanding during a period from the paper purchased. The figure therefore also includes cancellations and any other adjustments to the two reported series. 2. New and used vehicles. * Not available. † Revised.



RETAIL FINANCING



FINANCE COMPANY AND RETAIL DEALER CREDIT EXTENDED TO CONSUMERS

BALANCES OUTSTANDING

Millions of Dollars

	Instalment Finance Companies 1	Small Loan Companies 2: Instalment Credit 1	Small Loan Companies 2: Cash Loans 3	Department Stores: Instalment Credit: Conditional Sale Agreements	Department Stores: Instalment Credit: Other Deferred Payment Plans	Department Stores: Charge Accounts	Sub-Total	Other Retail Dealers 4: Instalment Credit	Other Retail Dealers 4: Charge Accounts	Total Finance Companies and Retail Dealers 5
End of Period										
1951—Sept.	215	–	106	26	34		381	96	185	**662**
Dec.	186	–	114	27	51		378	96	232	**706**
1952—Mar.	176	–	120	22	39		357	94	206	**657**
June	265	–	134	36	42		477	127	189	**793**
Sept.	334	–	139	54	42		569	138	199	**906**
Dec.	373	–	148	80	61		662	163	248	**1,073**
1953—Mar.	425	1	151	80	47		704	162	236	**1,102**
June	522	2	164	83	49		820	164	219	**1,203**
Sept.	548	3	166	86	49		852	168	220	**1,240**
Dec.	516	3	173	101	66		859	183	274	**1,316**
1954—Mar.	496	4	177	96	50		823	182	263	**1,268**
June	522	5	190	97	52		866	187	248	**1,301**
Sept.	527	5	196	99	53		880	187	244	**1,311**
Dec.	492	6	209	116	70		893	206	293	**1,392**
1955—Mar.	492	6	214	112	53		877	192	248	**1,317**
June	555	6	236	114	57		968	200	260	**1,428**
Sept.	607	6	249	123	58		1,043	211	272	**1,526**
Dec.	599	6	273	147	80		1,105	230	294	**1,629**
1956—Jan.	597	6	278	144	68		1,093	*	*	*
Feb.	588	7	282	141	62		1,080	*	*	*
Mar.	596	7	290	139	61		1,093	221	271	**1,585**
Apr.	627	8	299	141	62		1,137	*	*	*
May	666	9	308	141	64		1,188	*	*	*
June	703	9	317	142	64		1,235	225	275	**1,735**
July	734	10	324	140	61		1,269	*	*	*
Aug.	761	10	330	141	59		1,301	*	*	*
Sept.	775	11	329	144	66		1,325	233	283	**1,841**
Oct.	781	12	327	147	67		1,334	*	*	*
Nov.	779	12	333	152	70		1,346	*	*	*
Dec.	756	13	343	161	83		1,356	248	306	**1,910**
1957—Jan.	743	14	337	158	75		1,327	*	*	*
Feb.	736	14	335	154	69		1,308	*	*	*
Mar.	736	14	334	149	27	38	1,298	241	277	**1,816**
Apr.	757	14	336	151	28	41	1,327	*	*	*
May	781	14	338	151	28	41	1,353	*	*	*
June	796	14	342	150	29†	42	1,373†	246†	284	**1,903**
July	815	14	343	149	28	36	1,385	*	*	*
Aug.	825	14	346	150	27	37	1,399	*	*	*
Sept.	821	14	343	153	28	42	1,401	*	*	*
Oct.	814	15	340	156	28	44	1,397	*	*	*

SOURCES: Dominion Bureau of Statistics, Department of Insurance, Bank of Canada.

1. Conditional sale agreements held in connection with the financing of retail purchases of consumers' goods.
2. Companies licensed under the Small Loans Act.
3. Cash loans with no conditional sale contract but usually repaid in instalments.
4. Data are based on DBS series. Excluded from these figures are charge accounts and instalment credit of certain categories of dealers whose credit is extended mainly to farmers and other businesses rather than to consumers. From 1951 to 1956 instalment credit includes conditional sale agreements only. Commencing March 1957 it also includes other deferred payment plans which previously had been included in charge accounts.
5. In addition to the items shown here, quarterly figures are available on the use of oil companies' credit cards from Dec. 1955 on. Balances were as follows:

Dec. 1955	20	Sept. 1956	28
Mar. 1956	19	Dec. 1956	26
June 1956	23	Mar. 1957	25
		June 1957	27

* Not available. † Revised.

SELECTED LOANS EXTENDED MAINLY TO INDIVIDUALS FOR NON-BUSINESS PURPOSES BY CERTAIN FINANCIAL INSTITUTIONS★

BALANCES OUTSTANDING

Millions of Dollars

	Chartered Banks Personal Loans: Fully Secured By Marketable Bonds & Stocks 1	Chartered Banks Personal Loans: Home Improvement Loans	Chartered Banks Personal Loans: Other	Quebec Savings Banks	Credit Unions	Life Insurance Companies' Policy Loans 2
End of Period						
1951—Sept.	240	–	211	4	*	*
Dec.	226	–	204	5	76	199
1952—Mar.	228	–	197	5	*	203
June	242	–	218	5	*	208
Sept.	256	–	228	5	*	211
Dec.	258	–	242	6	94	213
1953—Mar.	265	–	253	6	*	216
June	275	–	283	6	*	220
Sept.	280	–	298	6	*	223
Dec.	269	–	308	8	129	225
1954—Mar.	270	–	311	8	*	229
June	271	–	332	7	*	234
Sept.	263	–	343	7	*	237
Dec.	253	–	352	7	151	240
1955—Mar.	263	2	357	7	*	243
June	294	9	399	7	*	246
Sept.	331	18	418	7	*	248
Dec.	339	24	441	8	174	250
1956—Jan.	*	*	*	8	*	251
Feb.	*	*	*	10	*	252
Mar.	363	26	443	9	*	253
Apr.	*	*	*	8	*	255
May	*	*	*	8	*	257
June	368	31	455	8	*	260
July	*	*	*	8	*	262
Aug.	*	*	*	9	*	264
Sept.	355	36	444	9	*	266
Oct.	*	*	*	10	*	268
Nov.	*	*	*	12	*	269
Dec.	324	38	435	11	230**	270
1957—Jan.	*	*	*	12	*	272
Feb.	*	*	*	13	*	274
Mar.	300	39	416	14	*	277
Apr.	*	*	*	13	*	279
May	*	*	*	11	*	282
June	303	41	429	11	*	283
July	*	*	*	11	*	285
Aug.	*	*	*	11	*	287
Sept.	282	46	420	11	*	289
Oct.	*	*	*	10	*	291

SOURCES: Dept. of Finance, Dept. of Agriculture, Bank of Canada.

★ The table does not include loans of finance companies (which are shown on pages 370–372) nor of trust and loan companies, mortgage loans on residential real estate and loans of some other financial institutions for which similar data are not available.

1. Excludes loans to finance purchase of Canada Savings Bonds.
2. Figures for dates other than year ends are estimated on the basis of the loans made by twelve companies (see page 374).

* Not available.
** Preliminary.

CANADIAN INVESTMENT TRANSACTIONS OF TWELVE LIFE INSURANCE COMPANIES[1]

Millions of Dollars

Net Investment in:—		Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	Apr.	May	June	July	Aug.	Sept.	Oct.	10 Month Total*	Nov.	Dec.	Annual Total*
Govt. of Canada Bonds[2]	1954	−6.2	8.0	−14.6	−10.6	−30.0	−1.1	−11.4	−0.6	−10.4	7.6	−69.2	−12.3	−15.2	−96.7
	1955	7.4	−2.6	−11.4	15.8	−10.4	−15.1	−8.4	1.3	3.8	5.0	−14.6	−2.7	−22.2	−39.4
	1956	−10.7	−11.4	−17.9	−26.7	−9.1	−24.7	−21.5	−7.6	5.3	−6.3	−130.5	−6.3	−11.1	−147.8
	1957	−10.1	3.2	−5.2	−11.7	−1.3	1.3	1.1	3.3	−10.2	−8.2	−37.8			
Provincial Bonds[2]	1954	2.7	3.7	4.1	1.1	18.3	−2.5	2.9	−6.4	−3.8	1.2	21.3	−4.0	−2.2	15.1
	1955	−4.6	−2.0	16.2	−1.1	−0.6	−1.0	2.4	−6.3†	−1.2	−0.9	0.9	−1.6	−0.3	−2.7
	1956	13.6	0.1	−8.5	0.4	12.0	−5.4	5.9	−3.6	−1.6	3.9	16.8	−1.2	2.1	17.7
	1957	1.7	4.5	0.3	13.0	−9.5	−8.6	1.1	−4.0	−1.8	1.0	−2.5			
Municipal Bonds[2]	1954	0.3	0.9	3.0	2.9	1.1	0.9	3.1	1.2	1.3	1.1	15.8	0.6	0.4	16.8
	1955	2.6	2.1	0.9	−1.4	1.0	2.4	−0.7	3.2	0.7	1.4	12.3	2.1	8.1	22.6
	1956	1.7	3.7	0.7	2.8	1.9	9.7	3.1	0.7	−0.3	1.4	25.5	1.3	1.5	28.2
	1957	2.8	4.3	1.8	−0.2	−1.7	0.1	−1.0	1.4	0.5	1.4	9.4			
Corporate & Other Bonds	1954	9.4	5.8	18.7	17.3	3.6	7.9	6.1	0.2	10.8	−4.7	75.0	15.9	1.6	92.5
	1955	1.3	−2.3	8.0	−6.3	23.0	8.6	−1.1	−4.2	−8.8	−2.2	16.0	7.6	11.0	34.7
	1956	31.2	17.2	30.9	21.2	2.3	6.9	−1.7	8.1	−5.9	3.4	113.6	2.6	12.4	128.4
	1957	15.0	7.9	7.7	19.7	3.0	1.8	4.1	1.3	2.2	4.7	67.4			
Pref. & Com. Stocks	1954	−0.5	−0.5	−0.5	−0.4	−0.3	−0.1	−0.6	−0.7	−1.1	0.4	−4.2	0.2	0.9	−3.2
	1955	0.3	0.3	0.4	0.5	−0.2	−1.5	−1.5	−0.6	−0.5	−0.5	−3.4	0.2	4.3	1.1
	1956	0.1	0.5	–	0.1	0.2	1.3	0.7	−1.0	–	−0.3	1.3	−0.2	0.2	1.3
	1957	−0.2	0.7	0.9	0.7	0.1	−0.9	−1.1	0.2	0.3	0.6	1.3			
Mortgage Loans (Gross)[3]	1954	22.2	19.0	22.0	21.3	24.8	29.4	32.6	34.4	38.7	33.0	277.4	42.2	37.5	357.1
	1955	33.8	26.8	28.0	23.8	33.7	38.3	45.5	44.0	46.8	41.0	361.7	40.4	39.3	441.3
	1956	35.9	27.6	27.5	27.4	34.5	46.6	45.7	50.7	45.1	52.5	393.4	45.0	40.2	478.6
	1957	37.5	25.6	25.6	24.1	33.8	39.9	48.0	34.5	31.4	34.0	334.5			
Real Estate[4]	1954	1.0	1.2	0.8	1.8	2.0	3.4	3.0	1.7	2.6	2.5	19.9	2.5	4.7	27.1
	1955	0.7	4.6	5.0	1.2	1.9	1.9	2.6	3.7	0.9	0.1	22.5	2.0	0.4	24.8
	1956	2.5	0.4	1.9	0.5	6.5	0.9	1.1	1.2	1.5	1.5	17.9	1.0	5.1	24.0
	1957	1.2	1.2	1.6	1.8	8.1	4.2	2.0	3.0	1.6	6.1	30.7			
Policy Loans	1954	1.0	0.8	1.2	1.3	1.2	1.3	1.0	0.9	1.1	1.0	10.8	0.7	0.6	12.1
	1955	0.8	0.6	1.0	0.9	0.8	0.9	0.7	0.5	0.7	0.6	7.5	0.3	0.3	8.1
	1956	0.8	0.9	1.0	1.2	2.0	2.2	1.5	1.6	1.7	1.8	14.6	1.3	0.5	16.5
	1957	1.7	1.9	1.9	2.1	2.0	1.6	1.4	1.6	1.9	1.7	17.6			
Total[5]	1954	29.9	38.9	34.7	34.7	20.7	39.2	36.7	30.7	39.2	42.1	346.8	45.8	28.3	420.8
	1955	42.3	27.5	48.1	33.4	49.2	34.5	39.5	41.6†	42.4	44.5	403.0	48.3	40.9	490.5
	1956	75.1	39.0	35.6	26.9	50.3	37.5	34.8	50.1	45.8	57.9	452.7	43.5	50.9	546.9
	1957	49.6	49.2	34.7	49.5	34.5	39.4	55.6	41.3	25.9	41.3	420.5			
Net Source of Funds:—															
Mortgage Repayments (Gross)[3]	1954	11.3	10.3	11.8	10.4	11.7	10.8	12.1	11.5	12.1	12.1	113.9	12.7	10.1	136.7
	1955	14.2	11.0	13.1	11.7	14.1	13.6	13.0	13.5	13.2	14.3	131.7	14.4	12.4	158.5
	1956	15.6	12.5	13.2	14.4	17.2	15.3	17.2	15.0	14.1	22.6	157.2	14.9	13.5	185.6
	1957	16.0	12.9	14.1	14.9	15.8	14.7	19.0	15.3	16.5	15.8	154.9			
Funds Transferred From Abroad	1954	−2.5	–	2.6	−0.7	2.1	2.4	3.2	2.3	2.6	3.9	15.9	2.6	4.4	22.8
	1955	1.6	0.1	3.4	−0.1	4.0	1.6	4.8	1.4	0.4	6.6	23.9	−1.1	12.7	35.5
	1956	17.0	7.2	3.3	−8.5	5.8	2.0	3.0	9.2	8.1	19.4	66.4	7.3	8.9	82.5
	1957	2.3	6.0	4.3	4.3	−0.2	3.2	7.7	4.2	−11.0	−1.4	19.3			
Balancing Item★	1954	21.1	28.6	20.3	25.0	6.9	26.0	21.4	16.9	24.5	26.1	217.0	30.5	13.8	261.3
	1955	26.5	16.4	31.6	21.8	31.1	19.3	21.7	26.8†	28.8	23.6	247.4	35.0	15.8	296.5
	1956	42.5	19.3	19.1	21.0	27.3	20.2	14.6	25.9	23.6	15.9	229.1	21.3	28.5	278.8
	1957	31.3	30.3	16.3	30.3	18.9	21.5	28.9	21.8	20.4	26.9	246.3			

1. Data are based on cash transactions affecting ledger assets and taking place in Canadian dollars, by 12 companies whose net premium income in Canada in 1956 was 77.6% of the total for all companies registered under the federal Insurance Acts. Total Canadian assets of these 12 companies at December 31, 1950 to 1956 are shown on page 87. 2. Includes guaranteed bonds. 3. Includes sale agreements. 4. Includes real estate for the production of income. 5. Includes gross mortgage loans. * Figures rounded to the nearest $100,000. Due to rounding, totals may not equal the sum of the monthly components. ★ Represents mainly Canadian dollars available from insurance operations *plus* any reduction or *minus* any increase in Canadian dollar cash balances. † Revised.

NOTE: For 1952 data see page 56 in the "Financial Supplement 1955" and for 1953–1956 data see page 63 in the "Financial Supplement 1956".

STOCK MARKET STATISTICS

Toronto, Montreal and Canadian Stock Exchanges; Dominion Bureau of Statistics

	Brokers' Loans[1] (Millions of Dollars)	Market Transactions[1] Volume (Millions of Shares)	Market Transactions[1] Value (Millions of Dollars)	Index Numbers of Common Stock Prices[2] (1935–39 = 100) Investors' Total	Industrials Total	Industrials Pulp & Paper	Industrials Oils	Total Utilities	Golds	Base Metals
1955—Sept.	98.8	144.3	333.6	255.9	265.9	1,098.2	174.1	211.2	75.3	252.0
Oct.	102.2	104.8	287.4	239.9	248.9	1,044.9	164.1	200.6	71.0	224.2
Nov.	107.6	94.0	264.5	245.6	255.3	1,062.5	168.8	201.4	71.2	230.2
Dec.	120.3	101.0	256.9	247.6	257.0	1,073.3	170.8	204.2	72.6	233.0
1956—Jan.	121.5	139.3	247.1	248.5	257.0	1,070.0	175.5	206.5	75.8	238.1
Feb.	123.2	219.1	304.4	249.2	258.1	1,077.3	182.6	204.1	76.7	235.8
Mar.	117.1	212.9	439.3	267.9	280.3	1,153.0	205.2	210.2	79.4	260.2
Apr.	131.3	258.1	479.6	273.0	286.2	1,123.9	210.0	209.3	78.8	269.7
May	129.6	148.1	399.6	268.5	282.9	1,192.5	211.7	204.2	78.8	268.5
June	133.4	103.3	259.4	267.0	283.0	1,146.0	219.4	199.8	76.7	273.1
July	139.3	104.6	309.0	282.4	299.0	1,185.8	234.9	207.9	79.5	291.5
Aug.	136.1	106.0	324.3	291.8	308.9	1,175.3	250.1	215.7	79.5	301.9
Sept.	123.7	81.6	213.3	278.9	294.4	1,077.2	243.7	209.2	74.1	282.2
Oct.	118.3	94.0	239.7	270.3	284.8	1,024.9	236.2	205.1	72.5	273.3
Nov.	103.6	80.4	255.4	262.3	276.0	994.2	239.2	200.3	68.6	262.2
Dec.	102.2	78.4	199.0	267.8	281.7	998.9	244.8	203.6	68.9	267.8
1957—Jan.	97.3	136.8	275.0	273.7	287.3	1,005.3	251.6	207.5	70.6	265.7
Feb.	100.7	108.3	200.3	263.2	276.0	946.4	244.8	203.6	69.3	243.2
Mar.	95.5	128.7	242.3	267.5	281.0	966.4	246.2	209.2	68.1	249.6
Apr.	114.0	124.6	310.9	278.8	294.2	997.0	262.9	212.5	72.4	255.4
May	109.6	117.5	324.4	287.6	304.8	996.4	278.8	216.1	76.2	234.2
June	115.1	100.7	280.6	286.9	303.5	998.9	275.6	216.8	80.6	227.7
July	119.5	76.9	247.2	284.7	301.6	991.9	274.2	213.8	79.3	222.2
Aug.	94.3	70.1	221.5	259.0	272.4	915.9	245.9	200.6	73.2	192.6
Sept.	81.9	56.3	173.7	242.2	252.8	861.3	225.5	191.2	71.4	180.7
Oct.	59.1	70.8	199.1	219.6	228.0	813.4	195.7	176.7	63.4	167.2
Nov.*		42.8		218.6	226.2	792.7	195.6	176.2	61.2	167.0

1. Toronto, Montreal and Canadian Stock Exchanges. Brokers' loan data are for the last business day of the month and include borrowings from chartered banks, trust companies and other sources. Customers' free credit balances are not included. 2. Calculated by the Dominion Bureau of Statistics from Montreal and Toronto exchange quotations. Monthly series is an average of Thursday closing prices during the month. * Preliminary.

NOTE: For data back to 1953 see page 55 in the "Financial Supplement 1956".

PRICE INDEXES

"Prices and Price Indexes", Dominion Bureau of Statistics

	Wholesale Prices: General: Total Index (Mid-Month)	General: Raw and Partly Manufactured	General: Fully & Chiefly Manufactured	Construction: Non-Residential Building Materials	Farm[1]: Grains	Farm[1]: Livestock	Consumer Prices[2]: Total Index	Food	Shelter	Clothing	Household Operation	Other Commodities & Services
							100	32	15	11	17	25
	1935–39 = 100			1949 = 100	1935–39 = 100		1949 = 100					
Average of Mths.												
1951	**240.2**	237.9	242.4	118.6	217.3	407.8	**113.7**	117.0	114.4	109.8	113.1	111.5
1952	**226.0**	218.7	230.7	132.2	206.2	316.4	**116.5**	116.8	120.2	111.8	116.2	116.0
1953	**220.7**	207.0	228.8	124.4	201.0	288.1	**115.5**	112.6	123.6	110.1	117.0	115.8
1954	**217.0**	204.8	224.2	121.8	187.2	283.3	**116.2**	112.2	126.5	109.4	117.4	117.4
1955	**218.9**	209.7	224.5	123.4	188.0	263.2	**116.4**	112.1	129.4	108.0	116.4	118.1
1956	**225.6**	215.8	231.5	128.0	188.4	265.6	**118.1**	113.4	132.5	108.6	117.1	120.9
Monthly												
1956—June	**226.5**	219.2	231.3	127.5	190.8	272.8	**117.8**	112.5	132.6	108.6	116.7	120.6
July	**226.6**	219.0	231.6	127.2	188.4	278.4	**118.5**	114.4	132.7	108.6	116.7	121.1
Aug.	**227.0**	217.0	233.2	129.4	188.9	280.8	**119.1**	115.9	133.0	108.4	116.8	121.3
Sept.	**227.4**	216.2	234.4	129.2	188.8	284.2	**119.0**	115.5	133.1	108.4	117.1	121.4
Oct.	**227.0**	214.3	234.7	129.8	187.6	277.3	**119.8**	117.4	133.3	108.5	117.7	121.6
Nov.	**226.6**	213.3	234.6	129.5	185.9	281.0	**120.3**	117.9	133.4	108.4	118.1	122.8
Dec.	**228.0**	216.4	235.1	129.7	184.9	284.3	**120.4**	117.5	133.5	108.6	118.6	122.9
1957—Jan.	**229.4**	217.8	236.5	130.0	184.6	287.7	**120.3**	117.1	133.6	107.6	119.0	123.1
Feb.	**228.4**	214.9	236.8	130.1	182.3	287.6	**120.5**	117.2	133.8	107.4	119.1	123.8
Mar.	**228.4**	212.5	237.8	130.1	180.3	278.3	**120.5**	116.4	134.0	108.2	119.5	124.2
Apr.	**228.4**	211.7	238.3	130.1	178.5	281.8	**120.9**	116.7	134.0	108.5	119.4	125.1
May	**228.0**	209.6	238.8	130.2	174.5	283.5	**121.1**	116.7	134.2	108.5	119.2	126.3
June	**228.0**	209.8	238.8	129.5	171.9	292.9	**121.6**	117.7	134.8	108.4	119.1	126.5
July	**228.2**	209.1	239.5	130.6	170.6	300.3	**121.9**	118.2	135.1	108.4	119.6	126.5
Aug.	**227.6**	207.9	239.2	130.4	170.3	299.7	**122.6**	120.2	135.3	108.2	119.7	126.9
Sept.	**226.7**	206.4	238.6	130.2	171.8†	285.7	**123.3**	121.9	135.6	108.3	119.8	127.1
Oct.	**224.8**	203.5	237.2	130.2	170.6	258.2	**123.4**	121.7	135.9	108.7	120.1	127.4
Nov.							**123.3**	120.2	136.3	109.8	120.5	127.7

1. Two sub-groups of the General Wholesale Price Index.
2. Components were selected and weighted on the basis of 1948 urban family incomes ranging from $1,650 to $4,050 with incomes between $2,000 and $3,000 most common. † Revised.

NOTE: For 1952 data see page 86 in the "Financial Supplement 1955" and for 1953–1956 see page 117 in the "Financial Supplement 1956".

FOREIGN EXCHANGE RATES[1]

Canadian cents per unit — *Bank of Canada*

Business Days	U.S. Dollar					£ Sterling				
	Spot Rates			Average Noon Rates[2]		Spot Rates			Average Noon Rates[2]	
	High	Low	Close	Spot	90-Day Forward Rate[2]	High	Low	Close	Spot	90-Day Forward Rate[2]
1951	107 5/16	101 3/16	101 3/16	105.28	104.92	300 1/2	281 3/8	281 3/8	294.68	294.71
1952	101 1/8	95 7/8	97 3/32	97.89	98.09	281 1/4	266 3/4	272 9/16	273.40	272.26
1953	99 25/32	96 3/4	97 3/4	98.34	98.66	280 15/16	272 3/8	273 5/8	276.66	277.02
1954	98 3/4	96 11/32	96 19/32	97.32	97.65	278 1/16	269	269	273.39	274.19
1955	100 1/16	96 15/32	99 29/32	98.63	98.62	280 7/16	268 3/4	280 3/32	275.35	274.23
1956	99 31/32	95 21/32	95 31/32	98.41	98.64	280 11/16	266 3/16	267 7/16	275.16	274.13
1956—Sept.	98 1/16	97 7/16	97 15/32	97.77	98.10	272 7/8	271 3/16	271 1/4	272.14	271.43
Oct.	97 5/8	96 23/32	97 1/4	97.32	97.69	271 7/8	268 31/32	270 5/8	271.06	270.54
Nov.	97 3/16	95 21/32	96 1/4	96.44	96.81	270 1/16	266 3/16	267 7/16	268.36	267.56
Dec.	96 15/32	95 25/32	95 31/32	96.05	96.66	268 5/8	266 13/16	267 7/16	267.54	266.62
1957—Jan.	96 11/32	95 27/32	95 7/8	96.07	96.57	269 1/4	267 11/16	268 1/4	268.63	268.65
Feb.	95 15/16	95 3/4	95 3/4	95.83	96.24	268 1/2	267 13/16	267 13/16	268.21	268.39
Mar.	95 13/16	95 1/2	95 21/32	95.61	96.06	267 27/32	266 1/2	266 31/32	267.10	267.47
Apr.	96 7/32	95 11/16	95 25/32	95.97	96.21	268 11/32	266 5/8	267 13/32	267.71	267.58
May	95 25/32	95 5/16	95 17/32	95.56	95.84	267 17/32	266 1/8	266 1/8	266.76	266.59
June	95 1/2	95 7/32	95 11/32	95.32	95.66	266 1/2	265 15/32	266 3/32	266.02	266.07
July	95 5/16	94 25/32	94 13/16	95.09	95.34	266 1/8	263 31/32	264 1/32	265.12	264.85
Aug.	95 3/8	94 7/32	95 3/16	94.80	95.21	265 3/32	262 11/32	264 27/32	263.83	262.95
Sept.	96 1/8	95 3/32	96 1/16	95.92	96.33	270	264 11/16	269 11/16	267.19	265.14
Oct.	97 3/32	95 11/16	96 3/32	96.47	96.94	271 7/8	267 11/16	268 1/2	270.13	268.80
Nov.	96 31/32	95 15/16	96 29/32	96.24	96.53	272 1/32	268 5/8	271 31/32	269.76	268.29

1. Rates are as reported on transactions between banks in the exchange market. Noon rates prior to May 6, 1954 are not available and closing rates have been used.
2. The 90-day forward rates are the averages of approximate rates at noon.

NOTE: For 1939–1952 data see page 59 in the "Financial Supplement 1954" and for 1953–1956 data see page 65 in the "Financial Supplement 1956".

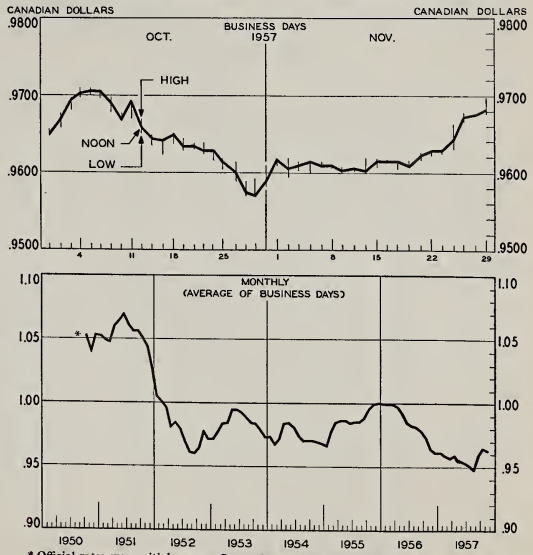
OFFICIAL HOLDINGS OF GOLD AND U.S. DOLLARS[1]

$ mm. U.S. — *Minister of Finance & Bank of Canada*

End of Period	Gold	U.S. Dollars	Total
1951	841.7	936.9	**1,778.6**
1952	885.0	975.2	**1,860.2**
1953	986.1	832.4	**1,818.5**
1954	1,072.7	869.9	**1,942.6**
1955	1,133.9	766.9	**1,900.8**
1956	1,103.3	832.9	**1,936.2**
1956—Apr.	1,106.1	759.0	**1,865.1**
May	1,100.4	785.0	**1,885.4**
June	1,100.6	798.9	**1,899.5**
July	1,104.8	788.5	**1,893.3**
Aug.	1,105.9	777.8	**1,883.7**
Sept.	1,105.5	798.0	**1,903.5**
Oct.	1,109.8	803.2	**1,913.0**
Nov.	1,114.2	818.4	**1,932.6**
Dec.	1,103.3	832.9	**1,936.2**
1957—Jan.	1,105.9	824.7	**1,930.6**
Feb.	1,101.5	818.2	**1,919.7**
Mar.	1,101.2	822.4	**1,923.6**
Apr.	1,105.7	796.1	**1,901.8**
May	1,109.0	823.6	**1,932.6**
June	1,102.8	839.0	**1,941.8**
July	1,104.6	868.4	**1,973.0**
Aug.	1,104.7	838.2	**1,942.9**
Sept.	1,101.8	788.1	**1,889.9**
Oct.	1,105.4	818.3	**1,923.7**
Nov.	1,104.5	790.0	**1,894.5**

1. Gold, U.S. dollars and short-term securities of the U.S. Gov't. held by the Exchange Fund Account, other Gov't. accounts, and the net holdings of the Bank of Canada.

UNITED STATES DOLLAR IN CANADIAN FUNDS



* Official rates were withdrawn on September 30 and the exchange market re-opened on October 2.

NOTE: For 1945–1954 data see pages 60–61 in the "Financial Supplement 1954". For data on an expanded series back to September 1950 see pages 52–53 and for 1951–1956 see pages 66–67 in the "Financial Supplements" 1955 and 1956 respectively

LABOUR FORCE STATUS OF THE POPULATION[1]

Thousands of Persons — *"The Labour Force", Dominion Bureau of Statistics; Department of National Defence*

Survey Week Ending	Persons With Jobs				Without Jobs and Seeking Work[3]		Total Civilian Labour Force	Civilian Non-Institutional Population (14 years of age and over)	Armed Forces	Civilian Labour Force Participation Ratio[4]		
	Agriculture	Non-Agricultural Industries	Total	Of Which On Temporary Lay-off and Short-time[2]	Thousands	Percentage of Labour Force				Total	Male	Female
1956—Jan. 21	688	4,543	5,231	74	286	5.2	5,517	10,626	116	51.9	80.2	23.9
Feb. 18	678	4,538	5,216	73	308	5.6	5,524	10,635	117	51.9	80.3	23.9
Mar. 24	679	4,562	5,241	66	295	5.3	5,536	10,646	117	52.0	80.1	24.1
Apr. 21	764	4,562	5,326	51	257	4.6	5,583	10,663	117	52.4	80.7	24.3
May 19	817	4,682	5,499	37	165	2.9	5,664	10,680	116	53.0	81.9	24.4
June 23	804	4,843	5,647	35	117	2.0	5,764	10,699	116	53.9	83.1	24.9
July 21	897	4,892	5,789	33	102	1.7	5,891	10,714	116	55.0	85.3	25.0
Aug. 18	946	4,877	5,823	36	103	1.7	5,926	10,733	116	55.2	85.5	25.2
Sept. 22	841	4,835	5,676	45	97	1.7	5,773	10,752	117	53.7	82.7	25.0
Oct. 20	794	4,880	5,674	39	98	1.7	5,772	10,771	117	53.6	82.3	25.2
Nov. 17	693	4,937	5,630	47	135	2.3	5,765	10,791	117	53.4	81.7	25.5
Dec. 15	680	4,875	5,555	59	186	3.2	5,741	10,815	117	53.1	81.0	25.5
1957—Jan. 19	671	4,722	5,393	74	303	5.3	5,696	10,842	117	52.5	80.4	25.0
Feb. 16	654	4,708	5,362	80	323	5.7	5,685	10,861	117	52.3	80.4	24.6
Mar. 16	671	4,702	5,373	87	343	6.0	5,716	10,884	117	52.5	80.5	24.9
Apr. 20	706	4,736	5,442	71	306	5.3	5,748	10,926	117	52.6	80.7	24.9
May 18	773	4,914	5,687	57	194	3.3	5,881	10,968	116	53.6	82.1	25.5
June 22	774	5,060	5,834	55	162	2.7	5,996	11,012	116	54.4	83.2	26.0
July 20	880	5,069	5,949	62	163	2.7	6,112	11,043	117	55.3	85.4	25.6
Aug. 24	900	5,057	5,957	63	174	2.8	6,131	11,074	117	55.4	85.3	25.8
Sept. 21	812	5,042	5,854	59	194	3.2	6,048	11,094	119	54.5	82.8	26.5
Oct. 19	746	5,051	5,797	60	208	3.5	6,005	11,114	119	54.0	82.3	26.1

1. The estimates are based on a sample of about 30,000 households and are therefore subject to sampling error which is relatively larger the smaller the estimate. Data not seasonally adjusted.
2. Includes those laid off for part of the week or on lay-off during the entire week, with definite instructions to return to their jobs within 30 days of the date on which lay-off began, provided they did not look for work during the survey week.
3. Includes persons who, though having jobs, did not work during the entire week and looked for work or would have looked for work only they were temporarily ill, on indefinite or prolonged lay-off or believed no work was available.
4. Civilian labour force as a percentage of civilian non institutional population 14 years of age and over.

NOTE: For 1945–1952 data see pages 84–85 in the "Financial Supplement 1955". For 1952–1956 data and for years 1921–1952 see pages 114–115 in the "Financial Supplement 1956".

EMPLOYMENT AND LABOUR INCOME

"Employment and Payrolls", "Man-Hours and Hourly Earnings" and "Estimates of Labour Income", Dominion Bureau of Statistics

	Employment Indexes[1,2]		Average Hours Worked[1,3]		Average Hourly Earnings[1,3,4]		Monthly Labour Income[4]			
	Manufacturing	Mining	Manufacturing	Mining	Manufacturing	Mining	Total[5]	Manufacturing	Construction	All Other[6]
	Index 1949 = 100		Hours per week		Cents		Millions of Dollars			
Monthly Average										
1951	108.0	110.6	41.8	43.1	116.8	133.4	810	272	52	486
1952	109.3	116.8	41.5	42.7	129.2	147.1	906	303	63	540
1953	113.3	111.7	41.3	42.7	135.8	153.8	976	329	70	577
1954	107.7	109.8	40.6	42.6	140.8	157.3	1,000	323	69	608
1955	109.3	113.4	41.0	43.2	144.5	161.1	1,068	342	78	648
1956	115.4	122.0	41.1	42.9	151.5	171.4	1,190	379	93	718
1956—May	114.1	116.9	41.4	42.7	151.1	169.0	1,169	377	92	700
June	115.4	123.0	40.9	42.8	151.9	170.5	1,215	381	105	729
July	118.0	126.1	41.2	42.4	152.7	172.0	1,223	382	105	736
Aug.	117.9	128.2	40.8	42.6	152.4	172.7	1,236	382	108	746
Sept.	118.0	128.6	41.1	42.7	152.1	173.8	1,268	392	110	766
Oct.	118.6	126.5	41.5	43.6	153.3	176.2	1,273	394	114	765
Nov.	118.6	126.9	41.6	42.5	154.7	177.3	1,265	397	101	767
Dec.	118.0	125.4	41.5	43.1	155.5	179.0	1,248	397	90	761
1957—Jan.	114.8	122.7	37.9	40.7	158.0	181.6	1,197	384	76	737
Feb.	115.1	124.1	40.9	42.9	157.5	181.6	1,205	389	74	742
Mar.	115.0	124.7	40.9	43.1	157.6	182.7	1,205	393	73	739
Apr.	115.4	123.4	41.1	42.3	158.7	184.3	1,218	393	83	742
May	115.8	120.8	40.6	41.7	160.0	186.2	1,270	397	97	776
June	116.7	126.3	40.5	42.3	160.7	185.2	1,322	405	110	807
July	118.4	129.5	40.6	42.8	161.0	187.4	1,312	402	109	801
Aug.	118.1	131.1	40.5	42.0	160.4	187.9	1,335	403	110	822
Sept.	118.5	132.5	40.6	42.4	159.5	188.0	1,348*	405*	114*	829*
Oct.*	118.0	129.9	40.7	43.0	160.5	189.2				

1. As reported by employers usually having 15 or more employees. Dated first of month and covering the last pay period in the previous month.
2. Coverage, including salaried and part time workers at Sept. 1, 1957, was Manufacturing, 1,237,773; Mining, 117,940.
3. Include hourly rated wage earners only.
4. Gross earnings before deductions for taxes, unemployment insurance, etc.
5. Wages and salaries and includes bonuses and commissions, food, clothing, shelter and contributions to insurance, pensions, etc. provided by employer.
6. Includes all supplementary labour income. † Revised. * Preliminary.

NOTE: For 1952 data see page 83 in the "Financial Supplement 1955" and for 1953–1956 data see page 113 in the "Financial Supplement 1956".

SELECTED SEASONALLY ADJUSTED STATISTICS★

Dominion Bureau of Statistics

	Gross National Production		Personal Income and Expenditure				Change in Business Inventories	Corporation Profits before Taxes 1	Expenditure on Construction 2	External Trade Value Indexes		Labour Force Survey			Industrial Production Index	Manufacturing						
					Expenditure on Goods											Total		Durable Goods		Non-Durable Goods		
	Total	Ex. Farm	Labour Income	Disposable Income	Durable	Non-Dur.				Exports of Goods	Imports of Goods	Without Jobs	Non-Agric. Employment	Employment in Construction		Production Index	Employment Index	Employment Index	Hrs. Worked per Week	Employment Index	Hrs. Worked per Week	
	Millions of Dollars									*1949 = 100*		*1956 = 100*	*Thousands of Persons*		*1935–39 = 100*	*1949 = 100*			*Average*	*1949 = 100*	*Average*	
1955—Oct.			13,140							154	197	122	4,624		273	278	112	119	41.4	104	40.8	Oct.—1955
Nov.	27,912	26,468	13,236	18,664	2,032	9,996	488	3,188	3,556	145	183	113	4,622	382	277	280	113	121	41.5	105	40.9	Nov.
Dec.			13,320							146	184	113	4,638		275	278	113	122	41.2	105	40.8	Dec.
1956—Jan.			13,476							157	197	112	4,659		276	279	113	121	41.2	106	41.1	Jan.—1956
Feb.	28,884	27,308	13,644	19,284	1,948	10,196	992	3,244	3,812	156	196	113	4,669	391	275	278	114	121	41.2	106	41.1	Feb.
Mar.			13,788							156	213	108	4,713		281	284	114	123	41.1	106	40.9	Mar.
Apr.			13,992							160	219	106	4,703		280	282	115	124	41.0	106	40.3	Apr.
May	29,528	27,944	14,100	19,760	2,100	10,272	856	3,260	4,088	151	203	104	4,715	419	280	282	115	124	41.4	106	40.7	May
June			14,232							165	206	98	4,743		287	291	116	126	41.1	106	40.9	June
July			14,484							166	207	89	4,796		289	292	117	127	41.3	107	41.0	July
Aug.	30,136	28,568	14,496	20,208	2,112	10,668	396	3,248	4,212	164	197	97	4,763	416	287	287	117	127	41.5	108	40.8	Aug.
Sept.			14,700							170	213	91	4,773		287	286	116	125	41.3	106	40.7	Sept.
Oct.			14,760							167	214	85	4,798		289	289	117	127	41.3	107	40.9	Oct.
Nov.	30,916	29,212	14,832	20,692	2,084	10,916	724	3,208	4,308	159	220	98	4,854	416	290	291	119	131	41.5	107	40.7	Nov.
Dec.			14,904							164	203	100	4,836		290	290	119	131	41.2	108	40.7	Dec.
1957—Jan.			14,964							165	213	117	4,843		291	289	119	130	40.2	108	39.7	Jan.—1957
Feb.	30,712	29,420	15,072	20,640	2,172	11,036	568	3,116	4,228	160	219	118	4,849	430	292	291	119	130	40.8	108	40.9	Feb.
Mar.			15,192							165	210	124	4,847		291	290	117	126	40.6	108	40.6	Mar.
Apr.			15,156							151	215	126	4,882		288	281	117	126	40.9	108	40.6	Apr.
May	30,728	29,492	15,288	20,904	2,008	11,108	312	3,088	4,400	155	205	121	4,949	448	287	283	117	126	40.6	108	40.0	May
June			15,420							160	201	138	4,961		284	282	117	126	40.8	109	40.3	June
July			15,540							165	198	149†	4,965		285	281	117	126	40.7	108	40.6	July
Aug.			15,660†							174	206	161†	4,934	435	283	280†	118†	126	41.1†	109	40.7†	Aug.
Sept.			15,648*							166	208*	186†	4,982		282	278	116	124	40.6	108	40.4	Sept.
Oct.												196	4,967									Oct.

★ Note: All dollar series are expressed at annual rates. 1. As per survey of corporate earnings: profits before payment of dividends abroad and including earnings of Canadian corporations abroad. 2. As per National Accounts: expenditure on private residential and non-residential construction. † Revised. * Preliminary

NOTE: For 1952 data for most of this series, see page 87 in the "Financial Supplement 1955" and for 1953–1956 data see page 118 in the "Financial Supplement 1956".

MANUFACTURING: SHIPMENTS, ORDERS AND INVENTORIES

ESTIMATES FOR ALL ITEMS IN ALL INDUSTRIES

Millions of Dollars — *"Inventories, Shipments and Orders in Manufacturing Industries", DBS*

	Shipments During Month 1	Orders: New Orders Received During Month 2	Orders: Unfilled Orders at end of Month 3	Inventories at End of Month: Owned 4	All Inventories Held: Total 5	Raw Materials	Goods in Process	Finished Products
1956—Jan.	1,539	1,752	2,997	3,706	4,138	1,788	1,106	1,244
Feb.	1,621	1,672	3,048	3,790	4,233	1,816	1,142	1,276
Mar.	1,761	1,759	3,046	3,833	4,262	1,823	1,150	1,289
Apr.	1,752	1,779	3,074	3,845	4,281	1,817	1,158	1,306
May	1,888	1,852	3,037	3,883	4,342	1,838	1,184	1,320
June	1,867	1,760	2,930	3,933	4,397	1,854	1,191	1,352
July	1,764	1,739	2,905	3,937	4,392	1,882	1,164	1,346
Aug.	1,810	1,831	2,926	3,938	4,399	1,897	1,170	1,332
Sept.	1,798	1,812	2,940	3,970	4,441	1,903	1,189	1,349
Oct.	1,911	1,858	2,886	3,989	4,464	1,926	1,205	1,333
Nov.	1,849	1,846	2,883	4,059	4,545	1,954	1,229	1,362
Dec.	1,717	1,966	3,133	4,119	4,608	1,995	1,236	1,377
1957—Jan.	1,690	1,796	3,239	4,166	4,668	1,992	1,257	1,419
Feb.	1,654	1,645	3,230	4,265	4,777	2,012	1,283	1,482
Mar.	1,861	1,796	3,165	4,262	4,793	2,022	1,285	1,485
Apr.	1,810	1,732	3,086	4,250	4,788	2,006	1,300	1,482
May	1,913	1,813	2,986	4,279	4,818	2,004	1,318	1,496
June	1,811	1,754	2,930	4,288	4,839	1,992	1,327	1,519
July	1,805	1,746	2,849	4,294	4,856	2,015	1,323	1,517
Aug.*	1,763	1,707	2,793	4,291	4,850	2,012	1,310	1,707
Sept.*	1,763	1,688	2,718	4,300	4,867	2,004	1,325	1,688
Oct.*	1,803	1,749	2,663	4,328	4,883	2,017	1,327	1,749

1. Represent an estimated projection, on a monthly basis, of the latest available Census of Industry values. The value level used being the factory selling value. 2. Indicates the rate at which new business is being received. These are new orders received during the period at estimated selling value. 3. Estimated selling value of orders received but not yet shipped, irrespective of work done on them. 4. Estimated book value of inventory owned by manufacturers in connection with manufacturing operations. Excludes value of goods purchased for re-sale. 5. Estimated total value of manufacturers' inventory holdings in connection with manufacturing operations, regardless of ownership. Includes progress payments inventory. * Preliminary.

NOTE: For data back to 1952 see page 109 in the "Financial Supplement 1956".

U.S.A. ECONOMIC STATISTICS

U.S. Department of Commerce — *U.S. Dept. of Labor* — *Federal Reserve*

	Gross National Product	Change in Business Inventories	Govt. Expenditure on National Security 1	Personal Savings as a Percentage of Disposable Income	Total Personal Income	Construction 3	Unemployment	Retail Sales 4	Consumer Price Index	Wholesale Prices: All Commodities	Average Hourly Earnings in Manufacturing 5	Total Industrial Production 4
	Billions of Dollars 2				Billions of $ 2	Billions of $	Millions	Billions of $	1947–49 = 100		Dollars	1947–49 = 100
Annual Averages 6												
1951	328.2	10.4	37.3	7.8	255.3	31.2	1.9	156.5	111.0	114.8	1.59	120
1952	345.4	3.0	48.8	8.0	271.8	34.8	1.7	162.4	113.5	111.6	1.67	124
1953	363.2	0.3	51.5	7.9	286.0	37.1	1.6	169.1	114.4	110.1	1.77	134
1954	361.2	−1.9	43.1	7.0	287.4	39.6	3.2	169.1	114.8	110.3	1.81	125
1955	391.7	4.2	41.3	5.8	305.9	44.6	2.7	183.9	114.5	110.7	1.88	139
1956	414.7	4.6	42.4	7.0	326.9	46.1	2.6	189.7	116.2	114.3	1.98	143
Monthly												
1956—May	410.8	4.6	41.6	7.3	325.2	4.0	2.6	15.7	115.4	114.4	1.96	141
June					326.8	4.3	2.9	15.9	116.2	114.2	1.97	141
July					325.6	4.4	2.8	15.9	117.0	114.0	1.96	136
Aug.	416.7	3.3	42.7	7.0	329.3	4.5	2.2	16.1	116.8	114.7	1.98	143
Sept.					331.1	4.4	2.0	15.9	117.1	115.5	2.01	144
Oct.					334.1	4.3	1.9	15.9	117.7	115.6	2.02	146
Nov.	426.0	5.1	44.2	7.4	334.9	4.0	2.5	16.2	117.8	115.9	2.03	146
Dec.					334.8	3.5	2.5	16.3†	118.0	116.3	2.05	147
1957—Jan.					335.9	3.2	3.2 7	16.3	118.2	116.9	2.05	146
Feb.	429.1	−0.8	45.5	6.4	337.9	3.0	3.1	16.4	118.7	117.0	2.05	146
Mar.					339.5	3.3	2.9	16.3	118.9	116.9	2.05	145
Apr.					340.6	3.6	2.7	16.4	119.3	117.2	2.05	143
May	434.3	1.7	46.3	7.0	342.9	4.0	2.7	16.6	119.6	117.1	2.06	143
June					344.8	4.3	3.3	16.8	120.2	117.4	2.07	144
July					346.2	4.4	3.0	17.0	120.8	118.2	2.07	144
Aug.	439.0	2.0	45.8†	6.4†	346.8	4.6	2.6	17.0	121.0	118.4	2.07	145
Sept.					346.6†	4.6	2.6	16.9†	121.1	118.0	2.08	144
Oct.					345.6	4.5	2.5	16.7	121.1	117.7	2.08	142

1. Includes stockpiling, atomic energy, and Mutual Defence Assistance in addition to strictly military programmes.
2. Seasonally adjusted annual rates.
3. Value of new work put in place.
4. Seasonally adjusted.
5. Production workers.
6. Quarterly averages for first four columns. Calendar year totals in the case of "Construction" and "Retail Sales".
7. New series starting Jan. 1957; not strictly comparable with earlier figures. Includes persons temporarily laid-off who were classed as employed prior to 1957.

† Revised.

SELECTED HOUSING STATISTICS

Central Mortgage and Housing Corporation and Dominion Bureau of Statistics

	Dwellings in New Structures 1				Composite Indexes of Residential Building Costs			Residential Construction Expenditures 3, 6		
	Areas of 5,000 Population and over 2		All Areas 3		Residential Building Materials 4	Wage Rates of All Construction Workers 5	Residential Building Materials and Wage Rates 4	New Dwellings and Major Improvements	Repair and Maintenance	Total
	Starts	Completions	Starts	Completions						
	thousands of units				*1949 = 100*			*millions of dollars*		
Calendar Years										
1951	47.4	61.2	68.6	81.3	125.5	119.2	123.1	821.6	221.0	1,042.6
1952	63.4	54.3	83.2	73.1	124.9	129.5	126.6	825.6	203.2	1,028.8
1953	80.3	73.4	102.4	96.8	123.9	137.2	128.9	1,083.7	213.6	1,297.3
1954	89.8	80.6	113.5	102.0	121.7	141.1	129.0	1,178.0	221.8	1,399.8
1955	97.4	93.9	138.3	127.9	124.3	146.6	132.7	1,499.3	238.0	1,737.3
1956	87.3	95.2	127.3	135.7	128.5	152.4	137.5	1,574.2	255.5	1,829.7
Monthly										
1956—May	11.1	7.9	15.9	9.7	129.1	148.5	136.4	425.0	63.3	488.3
June	11.0	7.8	19.4	13.6	129.0	148.5	136.3			
July	11.1	7.4	15.9	9.7	129.0	148.9	136.5			
Aug.	9.0	7.4	14.0	10.7	129.0	150.5	137.1	442.4	64.4	506.8
Sept.	8.9	7.7	13.3	12.2	128.7	151.1	137.1			
Oct.	7.8	10.7	11.8	18.5	128.8	152.4	137.7			
Nov.	5.7	10.1	8.0	14.1	128.7	151.9	137.4	407.7	65.4	473.1
Dec.	3.2	8.7	4.1	12.5	128.4	153.0	137.6			
1957—Jan.	1.4	7.1	1.9	10.2	128.6	153.3	137.9			
Feb.	1.7	6.0	2.1	7.5	128.7	153.4	138.0	268.2	66.2	334.4
Mar.	3.4	5.2	4.4	6.9	128.9	153.6	138.2			
Apr.	6.1	5.5	8.7	7.0	128.8	156.7	139.3			
May	8.4	5.6	13.6	7.6	129.2	157.5	139.8	361.9	67.1	429.0
June	9.6	5.5	18.1†	11.2	129.1	158.3	140.1			
July	9.0	6.4	13.5†	8.7	129.0	158.3	140.0			
Aug.	8.8	5.6	13.6†	8.5	128.6	160.0	140.4			
Sept.	7.9	7.1	12.6	11.2	128.3	160.7	140.5			
Oct.*	8.8	8.3	13.7	16.0	127.9	161.2	140.4			

1. Excludes conversions. From 1951 to 1956 these are estimated to have totalled approximately 3.5, 3.2, 3.8, 4.4, 4.3 and 3.6 thousand respectively. 2. Based on a complete enumeration. 3. In areas outside the centres of 5,000 population and over, information relating to starts and completions is based on a sample survey. In the latter part of 1954 the sample was redesigned and enlarged and some discontinuity with previous years resulted. There is probably an understatement of total starts and completions and of expenditures in 1954 and earlier years. 4. Calendar year figures are the average of 12 months. 5. Index of average hourly wage rates including holiday pay allowances. Annual data refer to the month of October each year. 6. Expenditures on work put in place.
† Revised. * Preliminary.
NOTE: For 1952 data see page 78 in the "Financial Supplement 1955" and for 1953–1956 data see page 108 in the "Financial Supplement 1956".

VOLUME OF INDUSTRIAL PRODUCTION

INDEXES NOT SEASONALLY ADJUSTED

1935–39 = 100 *"Canadian Statistical Review", Dominion Bureau of Statistics*

	Total	Mining	Manufacturing			Electricity and Manufactured Gas
			Total	Non-Durables	Durables	
Weighting	**100.0**	16.8	75.6	46.1	29.5	7.6
Annual Average						
1951	**226.5**	161.8	242.1	214.0	285.9	214.2
1952	**233.0**	174.7	246.3	215.2	294.8	228.8
1953	**248.4**	185.8	263.0	224.1	323.9	241.9
1954	**244.6**	209.7	251.4	221.7	297.7	254.6
1955	**265.8**	242.0	270.1	235.2	324.8	275.7
1956	**284.4**	272.5	285.6	245.6	248.9	295.2
Monthly						
1956—Jan.	**257.7**	239.8	259.5	223.5	315.8	278.8
Feb.	**266.4**	243.6	269.7	232.8	327.5	283.2
Mar.	**277.5**	250.5	282.5	240.9	347.5	286.9
Apr.	**277.4**	234.5	286.6	244.1	353.0	279.8
May	**283.3**	257.5	288.0	244.3	356.3	293.2
June	**298.7**	279.5	303.3	260.1	370.8	295.3
July	**285.5**	284.3	286.1	240.2	358.0	282.7
Aug.	**288.6**	294.3	287.3	252.5	341.8	289.1
Sept.	**298.8**	308.6	296.5	260.2	353.2	300.6
Oct.	**300.7**	308.4	297.1	256.4	360.8	319.5
Nov.	**298.2**	298.4	296.2	254.4	361.6	317.1
Dec.	**279.4**	270.4	277.7	237.7	340.3	316.3
1957—Jan.	**272.0**	262.7	269.8	227.3	336.2	314.6
Feb.	**281.9**	264.7	282.3	242.5	344.5	315.4
Mar.	**283.0**	258.2	286.2	245.4	349.9	306.4
Apr.	**285.3**	274.0	285.1	247.1	344.5	312.2
May	**289.9**	295.1	288.1	251.6	345.2	296.0
June	**297.0†**	306.9†	296.2	263.3	347.7	283.5
July	**283.7**	309.0	277.4	244.9	328.4	290.1
Aug.	**286.6***	307.3*	282.8*	257.8*	321.9*	278.4
Sept.	**292.3***	323.4*	285.7*	263.0*	321.3*	289.5

† Revised. * Preliminary.
NOTE: For 1952 data see page 82 in the "Financial Supplement 1955" and for 1953–1956 see page 116 in the "Financial Supplement 1956".

EXTERNAL TRADE AND TRADE INDEXES

Millions of Dollars *Compiled from "Trade of Canada", Dominion Bureau of Statistics*

TOTAL EXPORTS (EXCLUDING GOLD) TO 1

	U.S.A.	U.K.	Other Sterling Area 2	Western Europe & Colonies 3	Central and South America	All Other	Total All Countries	New Gold Production Available for Export ‡	Export Indexes 4 1948 = 100: Total Value	Price	Physical Volume
Calendar Yrs.											
1951	2,334	636	267	364	217	145	**3,963**	150	127.3	123.0	103.5
1952	2,349	751	291	468	281	216	**4,356**	150	139.9	121.8	114.9
1953	2,463	669	252	367	207	215	**4,173**	144	133.9	118.3	113.2
1954	2,367	658	208	349	196	169	**3,947**	155	126.2	115.1	109.6
1955	2,612	774	254	379	172	160	**4,351**	155	139.2	117.7	118.3
1956	2,879	818	257	465	188	256	**4,863**	150	155.7	121.3	128.4
12 Mths. ending Sept. 1957	2,944	775	238	517	236	224	**4,934**	132			
Monthly											
1956–Mar.	208.4	49.2	21.0	28.6	12.0	14.0	**333.2**	12.4	127.8	120.8	105.8
Apr.	236.6	65.6	19.9	30.7	15.0	20.4	**388.2**	12.5	149.3	121.4	123.0
May	261.8	59.3	25.4	40.3	16.3	32.2	**435.3**	14.0	167.1	122.0	137.0
June	233.6	65.7	28.5	47.0	17.0	37.3	**429.1**	12.9	165.3	122.1	135.4
July	237.5	75.9	22.1	44.8	16.4	33.6	**430.3**	11.1	165.6	121.7	136.1
Aug.	267.5	69.1	19.2	37.0	13.6	20.8	**427.1**	14.5	164.1	121.9	134.6
Sept.	235.8	75.7	19.9	42.0	15.3	20.6	**409.3**	12.2	157.5	122.0	129.1
Oct.	285.5	67.4	17.9	47.0	21.2	17.1	**456.1**	12.3	175.2	122.4	143.1
Nov.	243.2	83.9	22.7	44.9	16.4	14.6	**425.7**	12.3	163.4	122.5	133.4
Dec.	235.9	75.0	20.8	45.1	18.4	15.4	**410.6**	10.4	157.5	122.2	128.9
1957–Jan.	219.0	63.8	23.1	51.3	22.6	23.6	**403.4**	13.9	154.8	122.5	126.4
Feb.	214.2	52.3	18.5	33.6	14.8	13.5	**346.9**	12.5	132.7	122.0	108.8
Mar.	227.6	45.5	15.2	44.2	21.4	14.3	**368.2**	12.1	140.9	122.8	114.7
Apr.	228.6	54.3	17.9	38.0	18.6	15.2	**372.6**	10.8	142.7	122.7	116.3
May	266.8	68.7	23.9	38.9	23.7	23.4	**445.4**	15.4	170.7	121.9	140.0
June	235.0	56.4	21.1	46.4	17.5	17.7	**394.1**	5.2	151.0	122.5	123.3
July	255.3	69.3	21.3	49.6	23.8	30.0	**449.3**	12.7	170.9	121.7	140.4
Aug.	276.4	69.9	17.4	34.3	20.2	19.2	**437.4**	3.9	167.3	121.3	137.9
Sept.	256.9	68.2	18.1	44.0	16.9	20.1	**424.2**	10.2	162.4	121.4*	133.8*
Oct.*	258.7	55.8					**405.0**	16.3			

TOTAL IMPORTS (EXCLUDING GOLD) FROM

	U.S.A.	U.K.	Other Sterling Area 2	Western Europe & Colonies 3	Central and South America	All Other	Total All Countries	Excess of Merchandise Exports over Merchandise Imports	Import Indexes 4 1948 = 100: Total Value	Price	Physical Volume
Calendar Yrs.											
1951	2,813	421	309	181	275	86	**4,085**	−122	154.8	126.2	122.7
1952	2,977	360	186	157	285	65	**4,030**	326	152.3	110.4	138.0
1953	3,221	453	172	179	291	67	**4,383**	−210	165.2	109.4	151.0
1954	2,961	392	183	199	286	72	**4,093**	−146	154.4	109.5	141.0
1955	3,452	401	211	234	320	94	**4,712**	−361	177.1	110.5	160.3
1956	4,162	485	222	328	363	145	**5,705**	−842	214.9	113.1	190.0
12 Mths. ending Aug. 1957	4,166	510	231	343	379	131	**5,760**	−840			
Monthly											
1956–Mar.	361.7	33.8	13.2	17.4	27.9	9.5	**463.5**	−130.3	210.0	114.4	183.6
Apr.	400.3	50.0	14.0	27.6	30.8	9.7	**532.4**	−144.2	240.0	113.8	210.9
May	397.7	49.5	26.5	32.9	32.4	11.0	**550.0**	−114.7	248.0	113.1	219.3
June	357.8	41.4	18.4	29.4	28.2	15.4	**490.6**	−61.5	221.6	113.5	195.2
July	341.7	45.9	22.5	28.8	29.8	13.9	**482.6**	−52.3	218.1	112.4	194.0
Aug.	329.7	42.8	21.6	30.9	35.1	13.6	**473.7**	−46.6	212.9	112.4	189.4
Sept.	309.9	35.8	21.2	29.0	28.4	13.4	**437.7**	−28.4	196.2	112.0	175.2
Oct.	394.6	43.7	21.6	38.5	27.9	16.5	**542.8**	−86.7	245.3	112.8	217.5
Nov.	368.7	48.5	26.4	35.8	30.7	11.4	**521.5**	−95.8	236.3	113.0	209.1
Dec.	299.9	29.3	11.2	22.7	28.1	10.7	**401.9**	+8.7	181.0	113.5	159.5
1957–Jan.	346.7	35.7	16.1	20.9	30.5	9.1	**459.0**	−55.6	208.2	115.0	181.0
Feb.	330.0	34.8	10.1	18.4	29.9	8.2	**431.4**	−84.5	195.5	116.1	168.4
Mar.	354.6	43.2	14.5	21.5	27.8	7.3	**468.9**	−100.7	212.7	116.7	182.3
Apr.	393.2	52.3	19.7	32.3	30.6	9.1	**537.2**	−164.6	243.8	117.4	207.7
May	395.1	50.7	29.5	33.4	36.0	9.4	**554.1**	−108.7	251.4	116.7	215.4
June	320.1	43.4	18.8	29.2	32.0	10.5	**454.0**	−59.9	206.1	116.7	176.6
July	331.8	45.5	21.1	31.3	37.2	12.6	**479.5**	−30.2	217.4	115.8	187.7
Aug.	321.3	47.2	20.7	29.5	39.9	12.7	**471.3**	−33.9	213.1	116.0*	183.7*
Sept.*	310.9	40.6					**447.0**	−22.8			
Oct. *	327.7	44.3					**481.2**	−76.2			

1. Includes exports of foreign produce. Excludes defence equipment transferred by Canada to North Atlantic Treaty countries which in 1951, 1952, 1953, 1954, 1955 and 1956 amounted to 109.1, 100.9, 182.0, 202.4, 165.9 and 96.8 respectively.
2. Consists of U.K. Dependencies, Union of South Africa, Ireland, India, Pakistan, Burma, Australia, New Zealand, Iceland, Jordan, Libya, Ceylon and Iraq.
3. Excludes Spain, but includes Greece and Turkey.
4. Excludes exports of foreign produce. Price indexes are based largely on unit values derived from the Customs' entries.
‡ See footnote ‡ to "Canadian Gold Statistics" table on page 341.
* Preliminary.
NOTE: For 1952 data see pages 76–77 in the "Financial Supplement 1955" and for 1953–1956 see pages 102–103 in the "Financial Supplement 1956".

MERCHANDISE EXPORTS: COMMODITY CLASSIFICATION BY DESTINATION★

Compiled from "Trade of Canada" Dominion Bureau of Statistics

Millions of Dollars

Destination, Calendar Years and Quarters	Farm and Fish Products: Wheat and Wheat Flour	Barley, Oats and Rye	Other Farm and Fish [1]	Total Farm and Fish	Forest Products: Softwood Lumber	Wood Pulp	Newsprint	Other Forest Products [2]	Total Forest Products	Metals and Minerals: Iron Ore	Primary Iron and Steel	Aluminum and Products	Copper, Nickel and Products	Lead, Zinc and Products	Crude Petroleum	Uranium Ores and Concentrates [3]	Other Metal and Mineral Materials [4]	Total Metal and Mineral Materials	Chemicals and Fertilizers	Total Manufactured and Miscellaneous Goods [5]	Exports of Foreign Produce	Total Exports
To U.S.A. 1953	24	115	244	383	189	202	564	128	1,083	14	56	91	178	68	6	*	153	565	85	303	44	**2,463**
1954	13	70	246	330	212	206	559	122	1,099	26	26	77	183	63	6	*	141	522	86	280	50	**2,367**
1955	12	32	234	277	256	234	578	142	1,210	80	49	84	228	64	36	*	168	710	112	250	53	**2,612**
1956	20	49	234	303	236	245	616	140	1,237	114	51	97	246	67	103	*	187	865	131	282	60	**2,879**
1955–II	5	8	56	68	67	60	145	31	303	17	11	26	54	16	7	*	43	174	23	69	13	**649**
III	2	4	58	65	76	59	145	39	319	38	14	23	58	15	10	*	43	201	22	55	14	**676**
IV	3	18	63	84	59	62	154	39	314	24	18	18	65	18	14	*	47	203	30	63	13	**708**
1956–I	4	3	59	66	56	60	147	35	298	–	10	17	60	16	20	*	43	166	34	65	13	**642**
II	10	12	57	79	60	66	153	30	308	26	13	24	66	14	27	*	49	218	35	77	15	**732**
III	2	16	59	77	68	58	155	35	317	54	13	28	60	16	26	*	45	243	27	63	15	**742**
IV	4	18	59	82	53	61	161	40	314	34	16	28	60	21	31	*	49	239	34	78	17	**764**
1957–I	4	3	53	59	40	60	152	32	284	–	8	28	54	16	39	19	45	209	23	69	18	**661**
II	6	13	47	66	50	59	156	29	293	26	9	26	69	13	41	26	49	259	20	76	18	**730**
III	3	11	70	84	55	60	156	35	306	61	15	19	56	13	37	36	50	286	17	73	21	**789**
To U.K. 1953	240	35	43	318	49	28	18	15	110	7	18	66	68	20	–	*	28	208	9	22	4	**669**
1954	162	34	47	242	68	34	29	14	145	6	7	75	82	27	–	*	36	234	16	16	5	**658**
1955	167	47	59	273	69	35	33	20	156	9	19	99	93	33	–	*	39	292	20	28	5	**774**
1956	198	38	72	307	39	30	42	23	133	19	15	108	99	29	–	*	45	315	21	37	6	**818**
1955–II	43	13	14	70	20	10	8	4	42	1	5	23	26	9	–	*	11	76	7	7	1	**203**
III	50	12	7	69	17	9	10	7	41	3	5	26	23	7	–	*	11	76	4	6	1	**198**
IV	34	8	17	58	15	9	8	6	38	4	6	27	24	7	–	*	10	77	5	9	1	**189**
1956–I	45	2	22	69	11	6	9	4	30	1	3	22	25	4	–	*	12	68	4	9	1	**181**
II	52	6	10	68	10	7	13	4	34	3	3	25	22	8	–	*	12	73	6	9	1	**190**
III	53	13	15	81	9	10	11	9	40	10	5	23	25	10	–	*	12	84	7	7	2	**220**
IV	48	17	24	89	8	7	8	6	29	5	4	38	27	7	–	*	9	90	4	12	2	**227**
1957–I	34	5	23	62	6	5	6	5	22	1	3	19	25	8	–	–	8	65	4	8	1	**162**
II	28	5	17	50	9	9	15	7	40	3	4	23	24	9	–	–	9	73	6	9	1	**179**
III	45	6	13	64	11	9	15	10	44	14	4	16	28	6	–	–	13	81	9	8	1	**207**
To All Other 1953	406	68	83	559	27	18	36	8	91	10	13	21	41	7	–	*	38	131	45	209	7	**1,040**
1954	289	26	97	412	31	30	48	11	121	8	11	32	52	9	–	*	41	153	60	166	10	**921**
1955	234	20	113	367	42	29	55	13	138	11	30	29	70	10	–	*	48	198	78	172	12	**965**
1956	367	32	112	510	34	30	51	12	127	12	41	31	84	13	1	*	65	246	77	199	7	**1,166**
1955–II	59	10	25	94	13	10	17	3	42	2	6	10	17	1	–	*	14	49	21	36	2	**245**
III	58	5	23	86	10	7	14	4	36	5	9	7	19	5	–	*	13	58	19	56	5	**260**
IV	60	3	39	102	10	6	13	4	33	4	7	6	17	3	–	*	17	55	23	42	3	**257**
1956–I	60	5	33	97	7	7	9	2	25	1	6	5	22	–	–	*	8	42	16	46	2	**229**
II	124	12	21	157	10	8	14	2	34	2	11	6	20	1	–	*	19	60	20	58	1	**330**
III	104	7	20	131	8	9	13	4	34	6	10	7	21	7	–	*	17	68	20	49	2	**305**
IV	79	7	38	125	9	7	15	3	34	4	14	13	21	4	1	*	20	76	20	45	2	**302**
1957–I	59	12	45	116	9	9	11	3	32	1	15	17	22	2	–	–	12	69	21	57	2	**296**
II	62	7	30	99	10	9	15	3	37	2	15	13	21	3	–	–	22	76	26	61	3	**302**
III	80	3	25	108	8	7	20	6	40	10	22	11	21	4	–	–	18	86	23	51	6	**315**
Total All Countries 1953	670	217	371	1,258	265	249	619	150	1,283	31	88	178	287	96	6	*	219	904	138	534	55	**4,173**
1954	463	131	390	984	311	271	636	146	1,365	40	44	185	317	99	6	*	218	909	161	462	66	**3,947**
1955	413	99	406	917	367	297	666	175	1,505	100	97	213	390	108	36	*	256	1,200	210	450	70	**4,351**
1956	585	119	417	1,121	309	305	708	174	1,496	144	107	236	428	109	104	*	297	1,426	229	518	73	**4,863**
12 Months ending Sept. 1957	454	105	444	1,004	269	300	730	178	1,476	161	129	251	426	105	148	*	304	1,607	156	545	92	**4,934**
1955–II	107	30	95	232	99	79	170	38	387	20	22	59	97	26	7	*	67	299	50	112	16	**1,097**
III	110	22	88	220	102	75	169	50	396	46	29	56	101	26	10	*	67	335	46	117	20	**1,134**
IV	97	28	119	245	84	77	175	50	385	31	32	51	105	28	14	*	73	335	58	113	18	**1,154**
1956–I	108	9	114	232	74	72	166	41	353	3	19	44	107	21	20	*	64	276	55	120	16	**1,052**
II	186	31	88	304	80	80	179	36	375	30	26	56	108	24	27	*	81	351	61	143	18	**1,252**
III	158	36	94	289	85	77	180	48	390	69	28	58	106	33	26	*	75	395	54	120	19	**1,267**
IV	132	42	121	296	71	75	183	49	378	43	34	79	107	31	31	*	78	404	58	135	21	**1,293**
1957–I	98	19	121	237	56	73	169	40	337	2	26	64	101	26	39	19	65	342	48	133	21	**1,118**
II	97	24	94	215	68	77	186	39	370	31	28	62	113	25	41	26	80	407	52	145	22	**1,212**
III	127	20	108	256	74	75	192	50	391	85	41	46	105	23	37	36	81	454	50	132	28	**1,311**

★ A complete list of items included in this classification is available from the Research Department on request. 1. Mainly fishery products, cattle and beef, pork and products, flaxseed, furs and dairy products. 2. Mainly pulpwood, plywoods, veneers, hardwood lumber, logs, pit props, poles and paper products.
3. Prior to January 1957 this item was included in "Chemicals and Fertilizers". 4. Largely asbestos, silver and products, platinum and abrasives. 5. Mainly machinery (both farm and non-farm) and parts, whiskey, beer, automobiles, trucks and parts, electrical apparatus, textiles, aircraft and parts. Also includes a small amount of non-commercial items, e.g., settlers' effects, postal packages and donations. * Not available separately.

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	ASSETS																							
	Government of Canada Direct and Guaranteed Securities																							
	Treasury Bills	Other Maturities [1]					Total	Of which held under Purchase and Resale Agreements	Provincial Govt. Securities	Advances to		Foreign Currency Assets	Invest-ment in IDB	All Other Accounts	Total Assets or Liabilities	LIABILITIES								
																Notes in Circulation			Canadian Dollar Deposits			Foreign Currency Liabilities	All Other Accounts	
										Govt. of Canada	Chartered & Savings Banks					Held by		Total						
		2 yrs. and under	Over 2 yrs. to 5 yrs.	Over 5 yrs. to 10 yrs.	Over 10 yrs.											Chartered Banks	Others		Govt. of Canada	Chartered Banks	Other			
	1						1					2	3	4									5	
As at Dec. 31																								As at Dec. 31
1951	186.4	955.3		1,049.3		2,004.7	2,191.1	–	–	–	–	204.2	27.8	21.0	2,444.1	273.1	1,191.1	1,464.2	94.9	619.0	66.1	155.6	44.4	1951
1952	282.9	1,176.9		767.2		1,944.1	2,227.0	–	–	–	–	84.5	30.8	39.2	2,381.4	272.5	1,288.7	1,561.2	16.2	626.6	44.5	82.9	50.0	1952
1953	374.5	1,002.1		893.7		1,895.7	2,270.2	19.0	–	–	–	67.2	36.3	63.5	2,437.2	263.8	1,335.3	1,599.1	51.5	623.9	29.5	63.8	69.3	1953
1954	168.5	1,193.0	410.8	297.3	152.5	2,053.6	2,222.0	–	–	–	–	66.4	35.6	76.9	2,400.8	261.6	1,361.9	1,623.5	56.3	529.6	30.5	63.1	97.9	1954
1955	262.6	1,021.2	354.5	516.6	212.5	2,104.9	2,367.5	–	–	–	2.0	114.7	35.1	100.9	2,620.2	289.4	1,449.0	1,738.5	89.2	551.0	34.0	98.0	109.5	1955
1956	505.2	519.7 [1]	629.7 [1]	507.2 [1]	232.0 [1]	1,888.7 [1]	2,393.9 [1]	–	–	–	–	77.7	48.0	28.1	2,547.7	370.9	1,497.8	1,868.7	38.8	511.5	31.2	62.2	35.4	1956
1957	467.1	779.2	666.6	301.4	213.3	1,960.4	2,427.5	–	–	–	–	80.3	61.2	89.7	2,658.7	*	*	1,903.7	35.4	517.6	31.2	70.0	100.8	1957
End of																								End of
1957—Jan.	413.5	678.2	438.8	510.3	229.2	1,856.5	2,270.0	2.1	–	–	–	75.1	48.9	66.9	2,460.9	294.1	1,444.8	1,738.9	57.8	524.0	34.3	65.4	40.5	Jan.—1957
Feb.	436.6	616.1	620.4	318.9	224.9	1,780.4	2,217.0	1.2	–	–	–	84.8	50.1	69.6	2,421.5	260.6	1,457.3	1,717.9	52.7	497.5	27.2	75.0	51.4	Feb.
Mar.	477.2	627.9	612.4	314.4	223.5	1,778.4	2,255.6	0.7	–	–	–	75.2	50.9	167.0	2,548.7	224.5	1,500.0	1,724.6	78.3	519.5	25.1	65.4	135.8	Mar.
Apr.	498.1	659.9	617.2	321.0	224.8	1,822.8	2,320.9	–	–	–	0.3	71.9	52.2	72.3	2,517.7	299.4	1,456.8	1,756.3	62.9	546.9	22.5	62.2	67.0	Apr.
May	473.7	692.2	605.3	321.1	228.5	1 847.1	2,320.9	–	–	–	0.1	76.3	55.1	139.7	2,592.0	229.0	1,522.5	1,751.5	43.9	526.3	32.0	66.8	171.4	May
June	519.0	694.3	607.5	324.9	229.9	1,856 6	2,375.5	–	–	–	3.0	81.1	57.0	158.4	2,675.2	225.0	1,559.3	1,784.3	44.4	545.5	28.9	72.7	199.3	June
July	503.2	694.6	607.7	328.4	232.8	1,863.4	2,366.6	–	–	–	–	86.9	58.4	51.9	2,563.8	304.8	1,513.0	1,817.7	54.2	490.5	26.9	77.2	97.3	July
Aug.	537.6	714.2	609.5	329.7	234.6	1,888.1	2,425.6	–	–	–	–	83.8	59.6	157.5	2,726.5	244.5	1,571.0	1,815.5	64.0	542.8	33.3	74.0	196.9	Aug.
Sept.	427.6	780.8	615.3	323.2	231.1	1,950.4	2,378.0	–	–	–	–	67.5	59.6	73.7	2,578.8	289.9	1,529.2	1,819.1	66.9	480.8	28.7	57.7	125.6	Sept.
Oct.	515.6	781.9	612.4	318.1	226.6	1,939.0	2,454.6	–	–	–	–	69.7	60.0	125.4	2,709.6	271.9	1,552.2	1,824.0	40.1	623.7	25.8	59.9	136.1	Oct.
Nov.	436.3	885.1	588.4	308.4	219.7	2,001.6	2,437.9	54.3	–	–	–	72.7	60.6	211.3	2,782.5	223.4	1,604.6	1,828.0	64.3	543.4	30.7	62.9	253.2	Nov.
Dec.	467.1	779.2	666.6	301.4	213.3	1,960.4	2,427.5	–	–	–	–	80.3	61.2	89.7	2,658.7	*	*	1,903.7	35.4	517.6	31.2	70.0	100.8	Dec.
Average of Wednesdays																								Average of Wednesdays
1956—Dec.	525.9	493.4		1,369.4		1,862.8	2,388.7	0.4	–	–	13.6	75.9	43.7	49.3	2,571.3	356.7	1,481.5	1,838.2	32.6	548.5	30.7	61.6	59.7	Dec.—1956
1957—Jan.	466.4 [1]	687.6 [1]		1,178.3 [1]		1,866.0 [1]	2,332.4 [1]	1.2	–	–	6.0	72.6	48.1	55.3	2,514.3	380.2	1,421.9	1,802.2	57.5	524.5	27.9	63.0	39.3	Jan.—1957
Feb.	402.6	646.2		1,174.1		1,820.3	2,222.9	7.0	–	–	–	73.8	49.0	60.6	2,406.3	326.7	1,399.4	1,726.0	64.3	478.3	28.0	64.1	45.5	Feb.
Mar.	484.3	610.9		1,149.4		1,760.3	2,244.5	0.1	–	–	5.4	75.4	50.1	54.0	2,429.4	318.0	1,406.6	1,724.7	51.0	513.8	28.6	65.3	45.9	Mar.
Apr.	479.7	650.8		1,154.5		1,805.3	2,285.0	7.9	–	–	12.8	75.2	51.1	68.1	2,492.1	315.2	1,431.7	1,746.9	47.5	550.6	25.1	65.5	56.6	Apr.
May	495.8	666.9		1,166.7		1,833.6	2,329.4	1.2	–	–	5.1	79.2	52.7	53.0	2,519.4	324.6	1,431.1	1,755.7	45.3	554.4	25.5	69.5	69.1	May
June	502.8	707.5		1,158.4		1,866.0	2,368.8	–	–	–	6.0	83.6	55.4	65.8	2,579.5	329.4	1,440.2	1,769.6	46.8	559.7	25.9	74.0	103.4	June
July	532.9	701.4		1,166.2		1,867.7	2,400.6	6.6	–	–	2.4	82.6	57.3	61.2	2,604.1	328.8	1,484.1	1,812.9	51.8	525.6	27.6	73.1	113.1	July
Aug.	548.1	709.4		1,171.8		1,881.2	2,429.3	11.5	–	–	2.8	80.6	58.5	58.2	2,629.3	339.6	1,481.5	1,821.0	53.5	551.0	30.4	71.0	102.5	Aug.
Sept.	510.6	754.4		1,172.2		1,926.6	2,437.2	–	–	–	–	72.8	59.6	62.4	2,632.0	341.6	1,486.3	1,827.9	47.3	547.7	28.6	62.9	117.6	Sept.
Oct.	488.4	781.4		1,169.2		1,950.6	2,439.0	15.9	–	–	–	71.3	59.6	75.0	2,644.9	329.8†	1,499.9†	1,829.7	48.6	532.2	26.8	61.5	146.0	Oct.
Nov.	487.9	826.8		1,136.4		1,963.2	2,451.1	5.4	–	–	–	65.4	60.0	119.2	2,695.6	339.1	1,494.8	1,833.9	47.3	543.4	32.3	55.6	183.0	Nov.
Dec.	464.4	836.3		1,160.7		1,997.0	2,461.4	7.8	–	–	–	80.1	60.6	67.7	2,669.8	337.4	1,536.8	1,874.2	50.1	542.9	26.3	70.3	105.9	Dec.
As at																								As at
1957—July 3	523.1	699.4		1,163.3		1,862.7	2,385.8	7.8	–	–	12.0	74.6	57.1	107.5	2,636.9	300.4	1,501.5	1,802.0	49.3	530.2	30.3	66.5	158.7	3 July—1957
10	546.4	714.0		1,164.5		1,878.5	2,424.9	25.3	–	–	–	77.9	57.1	48.1	2,607.9	351.6	1,464.9	1,816.5	39.0	534.8	26.4	68.0	123.3	10
17	558.3	702.6		1,165.8		1,868.5	2,426.7	–	–	–	–	90.2	57.1	54.5	2,628.5	334.5	1,482.8	1,817.2	60.0	539.7	28.1	80.0	103.4	17
24	533.5	696.6		1,168.7		1,865.3	2,398.8	–	–	–	–	83.7	57.1	43.7	2,583.3	352.8	1,458.1	1,810.9	56.6	532.7	26.1	74.0	83.0	24
31	503.2	694.6		1,168.9		1,863.4	2,366.6	–	–	–	–	86.9	58.4	51.9	2,563.8	304.8	1,513.0	1,817.7	54.2	490.5	26.9	77.2	97.3	31
Aug. 7	527.4	706.5		1,170.0		1,876.5	2,403.9	42.3	–	–	11.0	80.4	58.5	47.7	2,601.5	327.8	1,498.3	1,826.1	45.7	531.5	28.2	70.9	99.2	7 Aug.
14	554.1	701.9		1,170.9		1,872.8	2,426.8	3.7	–	–	–	80.8	58.5	56.8	2,622.9	340.6	1,485.6	1,826.3	49.4	547.9	28.8	70.9	99.5	14
21	564.7	714.3		1,172.3		1,886.6	2,451.3	–	–	–	–	90.4	58.5	58.7	2,658.8	343.5	1,474.1	1,817.6	51.9	560.8	32.2	80.7	115.6	21
28	546.1	715.0		1,174.0		1,889.0	2,435.0	–	–	–	–	71.1	58.5	69.5	2,634.1	346.2	1,467.8	1,814.1	67.0	563.7	32.4	61.4	95.5	28
Sept. 4	537.0	717.5		1,168.5		1,886.0	2,423.0	–	–	–	–	80.0	59.6	93.1	2,655.7	314.8	1,513.1	1,827.9	50.3	532.8	27.9	70.3	146.5	4 Sept.
11	534.9	744.6		1,168.2		1,912.7	2,447.6	–	–	–	–	67.9	59.6	52.0	2,627.1	350.7	1,484.1	1,834.8	38.5	559.5	27.9	57.9	108.4	11
18	511.9	774.8		1,181.6		1,956.4	2,468.3	–	–	–	–	73.4	59.6	54.8	2,656.1	346.6	1,482.0	1,828.6	49.9	565.0	30.8	63.7	118.1	18
25	458.7	780.9		1,170.5		1,951.4	2,410.1	–	–	–	–	69.6	59.6	49.7	2,589.0	354.2	1,466.0	1,820.2	50.4	533.7	27.6	59.9	97.3	25
Oct. 2	419.4	759.8		1,173.2		1,933.0	2,352.5	0.8	–	–	–	61.9	59.6	134.4	2,608.4	303.6†	1,518.3†	1,821.9	45.8	463.5	26.6	52.1	198.6	2 Oct.
9	468.0	782.9		1,175.1		1,958.0	2,426.0	15.8	–	–	–	68.9	59.6	53.8	2,608.3	338.1†	1,493.0†	1,831.0	49.2	522.8	26.7	59.0	119.5	9
10	503.4	778.8		1,172.9		1,951.7	2,455.1	9.0	–	–	–	71.9	59.6	66.7	2,653.4	322.5†	1,517.1†	1,839.6	49.2	537.2	29.0	62.1	136.2	16
23	515.5	776.7		1,165.7		1,942.4	2,457.9	–	–	–	–	70.2	59.6	56.0	2,643.7	354.4†	1,477.0†	1,831.4	48.2	561.7	27.0	60.4	114.9	23
30	535.6	808.7		1,159.4		1,968.1	2,503.7	53.7	–	–	–	83.6	59.6	63.9	2,710.8	330.6	1,494.3	1,824.8	50.5	575.9	24.7	74.0	160.9	30
Nov. 6	515.5	785.6		1,147.7		1,933.3	2,448.7	–	–	–	–	70.0	60.0	156.2	2,734.8	321.7	1,510.3	1,832.0	49.8	536.5	32.7	60.2	223.5	6 Nov.
13	491.3	805.6		1,146.1		1,951.7	2,443.0	–	–	–	–	68.3	60.0	120.1	2,691.2	350.2	1,491.8	1,842.0	37.8	531.9	30.3	58.5	190.6	13
20	486.6	846.9		1,133.3		1,980.2	2,466.8	–	–	–	–	67.3	60.0	113.6	2,707.7	343.8	1,491.3	1,835.2	50.9	545.0	35.7	57.6	183.3	20
27	458.3	869.1		1,118.6		1,987.7	2,446.0†	21.4	–	–	–	55.9	60.0	86.8	2,648.7	340.7	1,485.7	1,826.3	50.7	560.4	30.6	46.1	134.6	27
Dec. 4	440.9	887.9		1,114.6		2,002.5	2,443.4	27.7	–	–	–	75.0	60.6	103.4	2,682.3	306.9	1,539.8	1,846.7	50.1	522.9	28.8	64.9	169.0	4 Dec.
11	467.7	899.2		1,120.9		2,020.1	2,487.9	3.6	–	–	–	79.4	60.6	52.4	2,680.3	350.3	1,513.1	1,863.4	50.5	561.7	28.2	69.4	107.1	11
18	478.6	777.2		1,215.4		1,992.7	2,471.2	–	–	–	–	80.2	60.6	69.6	2,681.7	345.9	1,538.2	1,884.1	54.3	558.5	24.3	71.0	89.4	18
25	470.3	780.9		1,191.9		1,972.8	2,443.2	–	–	–	–	85.7	60.6	45.3	2,634.7	346.3	1,556.2	1,902.4	45.6	528.6	23.9	75.9	58.3	25

1. On Dec. 31, 1956, the basis for the valuation of securities held by the Bank of Canada was changed from "not exceeding market values" to amortized values, and for this reason figures for Dec. 31 and later dates are not comparable with those for earlier dates. 2. Foreign exchange and foreign securities. 3. Industrial Development Bank capital stock, bonds and debentures. 4. Bank premises and all other assets. 5. Capital, rest fund and all other liabilities.

* Not available. † Revised.

NOTE: For 1935–1944 year-end and 1946–1952 month-end data for the majority of these series see pages 4–13 in the "Financial Supplement 1954". For 1945–1956 year-end and all month-end and weekly data back to 1953 see pages 4–15 in the "Financial Supplement 1956".

CHARTERED BANKS

MONTHLY SERIES

Bank of Canada

Millions of Dollars

I. CANADIAN CASH RESERVES AND LIQUID ASSETS★

	Cash Reserves: Bank of Canada Deposits	Cash Reserves: Bank of Canada Notes	Cash Reserves: Total	Canadian Dollar Deposit Liabilities	Average Cash Reserve Ratio	Day-to-Day Loans	Treasury Bills	Canadian Liquid Assets	Average Liquid Asset Ratio
Daily Averages									
1954 2nd Half★	525	286	**811**	9,097	8.9	**	**	**	**
1955	541	293	**834**	9,915	8.4	**	**	**	**
1956	548	325	**873**	10,527	8.3	**	**	**	**
1957*	535	335	**870**	10,601	8.2	113	802	1,786	16.9
1956–Aug.	563	338	**900**	10,649	8.5	61	786	1,747	16.4
Sept.	549	328	**877**	10,563	8.3	83	794	1,755	16.6
Oct.	544	340	**885**	10,607	8.3	83	773	1,740	16.4
Nov.	539	341	**881**	10,591	8.3	83	774	1,737	16.4
Dec.	553	338	**890**	10,704	8.3	71	746	1,707	15.9
1957–Jan.	523	355	**878**	10,660	8.2	85	763	1,726	16.2
Feb.	475	390	**865**	10,525	8.2	119	812	1,797	17.1
Mar.	514	335	**848**	10,371	8.2	117	813	1,779	17.1
Apr.	542	314	**856**	10,489	8.2	97	787	1,740	16.6
May	553	310	**863**	10,528	8.2	110	773	1,746	16.6
June	556	321	**877**	10,694	8.2	109	795	1,781	16.7
July	535	329	**864**	10,647	8.1	96	780	1,741	16.4
Aug.	546	335	**880**	10,668	8.3	94	781	1,756	16.5
Sept.	544	330	**875**	10,543	8.3	96	870	1,840	17.5
Oct.	537	340	**877**	10,590	8.3	123	836	1,835	17.3
Nov.	549	330	**878**	10,763	8.2	142	821	1,842	17.1
Dec.*	542	337	**879**	10,736	8.2	172	797	1,848	17.2

II. LIABILITIES

	Advances from Bank of Canada	Canadian Dollar Deposits: Govt. of Canada	Canadian Dollar Deposits: Provincial Governments	Canadian Dollar Deposits: Personal Savings	Canadian Dollar Deposits: Other Notice	Canadian Dollar Deposits: Other Banks 1	Canadian Dollar Deposits: Public Demand	Canadian Dollar Deposits: Total	Foreign Currency Deposits	Acceptances, Guarantees, & Letters of Credit	All Other Liabilities	Shareholders Equity 2	Total Liabilities
As at Dec. 31													
1951	–	88	185	4,296	316	95	2,993	**7,973**	878	225	7	375	**9,458**
1952	–	49	214	4,600	325	75	3,373	**8,636**	905	199	7	381	**10,128**
1953	–	473	166	4,756	278	69	3,368	**9,111**	963	155	8	419	**10,656**
1954	–	176	190	5,218	397	104	3,597	**9,683**	1,030	155	43	521	**11,433**
1955	2	517	181	5,633	464	139	3,915	**10,848**	1,056	203	26	567	**12,702**
1956	–	246	169	6,007	444	116	4,180	**11,162**	1,369	210	34	653	**13,428**
End of													
1956—Sept.	–	281	117	6,020	476	110	3,812	**10,816**	1,315	223	23	631	**13,008**
Oct.	–	153	154	6,098	453	155	3,846	**10,859**	1,334	216	48	647	**13,104**
Nov.	–	417	103	5,974	439	123	3,821	**10,877**	1,376	221	38	652	**13,164**
Dec.	–	246	169	6,007	444	116	4,180	**11,162**	1,369	210	34	653	**13,428**
1957—Jan.	–	254	138	6,039	438	110	3,499	**10,479**	1,409	209	41	653	**12,791**
Feb.	–	391	142	6,090	454	103	3,445	**10,625**	1,506	236	36	656	**13,058**
Mar.	–	377	191	6,153	444	105	3,496	**10,765**	1,450	232	36	667	**13,150**
Apr.	–	309	217	6,211	442	109	3,716	**11,004**	1,546	235	38	672	**13,494**
May	–	284	173	6,161	450	106	3,564	**10,738**	1,667	235	35	677	**13,351**
June	3	186	179	6,196	434	102	3,782	**10,879**	1,650	243	36	684	**13,495**
July	–	148	154	6,242	424	96	3,581	**10,645**	1,644	256	39	700	**13,284**
Aug.	–	122	140	6,273	420	106	3,582	**10,642**	1,752	256	38	703	**13,391**
Sept.	–	131	145	6,352 [3]	413 [3]	102	3,880	**11,025**	1,740	256	42	703	**13,765**
Oct.	–	79	139	6,365 [3]	411 [3]	156	3,764	**10,915**	1,713	254	53	711	**13,646**
Nov.	–	448	121	6,203 [3]	403 [3]	109	3,706	**10,990**	1,794	247	58	732	**13,822**

III. ASSETS

	Bank of Canada Deposits and Notes	Cdn. Day-to-Day Loans	Treasury Bills 4	Government of Canada Direct and Guaranteed Bonds 4, 5: 2 yrs. and under	Government of Canada: Over 2 years	Government of Canada: Total	Other Canadian Securities 5: Provincial 6, 7	Other Canadian Securities: Municipal 7	Other Canadian Securities: Corporate	Other Canadian Securities: Total	Ins. Res. Mtges.	Loans 9: Call and Short 9: To Stock-Brokers 8	Loans: Call and Short: To Others	Loans: Provincial 7	Loans: Municipal 7
As at Dec. 31															
1951	892	–	236	499	2,019	2,518	321	167	393	881	–	78	30	68	94
1952	899	–	138	869	1,777	2,647	304	159	370	834	–	73	82	79	97
1953	888	–	244	482	2,034	2,516	280	152	341	773	–	61	92	65	96
1954	791	68	360	636	2,318	2,953	264	177	353	794	74	68	75	61	103
1955	840	81	427	475	2,157	2,632	322	218	482	1,022	294	112	67	83	124
1956	882	74	740	406	1,269	1,675	269	185	510	964	493	90	60 [14]	95	177
End of															
1956–Sept.	820	114	786	526	1,322	1,848	286	197	519	1,003	448	110	38	81	167
Sept. (Rev.) [14]													36 [14]		
Oct.	884	85	791	464	1,320	1,784	295	197	516	1,008	471	104	37	83	168
Nov.	875	64	743	485	1,280	1,765	265	192	518	975	489	89	33	124	152
Dec.	882	74	740	406	1,269	1,675	269	185	510	964	493	90	60	95	177
1957–Jan. [15]	818	86	800	503 [4]	1,232 [4]	1,735 [4]	284 [4]	178	501 [15]	963 [4]	500	86	38	60	201
Feb.	758	101	809	545	1,223	1,768	288	178	499	964	507	90	62	74	218
Mar.	744	162	805	538	1,227	1,764	260	178	501	940	508	85	63	40	250
Apr.	846	105	758	520	1,227	1,747	268	175	502	945	509	104	90	23	270
May	755	125	812	489	1,248	1,736	266	172	505	943	512	99	59	20	263
June	770	95	784	493	1,251	1,743	258	170	512	940	503	105	58	25	236
July	795	81	794	452	1,252	1,705	275	167	510	952	509	109	54	23	190
Aug.	787	110	820	455	1,239	1,694	273	165	506	945	519	84	36	23	187
Sept.	771	125	915	479	1,241	1,719	272	166	509	946	532	73	41	33	205
Oct.	896	121	830	509	1,240	1,749	272	167	505	944	552	53	73	54	183
Nov.	767	176	813	505	1,266	1,771	282	166	511	959	571	50	73	75	191

	Loans: In Canadian Currency: Grain Dealers 8, 10	Loans: C.S.B. 8, 11	Loans: Sub-Total 8	Loans: General Loans 8	Loans: Total Loans	Total of Foregoing Assets	Canadian Dollar Items in Transit (Net)	Foreign Cash Items Securities & Loans: Cash Items 12	Foreign Cash Items: Foreign Sec.	Foreign Cash Items: Loans in Foreign Currencies	Customers' Liability Under Acceptances, Guarantees, & Letters of Credit	All Other Assets 13	Total Assets
As at Dec. 31													
1951	177	137	583	2,588	3,172	**7,699**	512	254	206	409	225	153	**9,458**
1952	257	146	734	2,787	3,520	**8,038**	752	283	262	435	199	159	**10,128**
1953	391	165	871	3,236	4,106	**8,527**	751	280	244	540	155	159	**10,656**
1954	404	147	859	3,237	4,096	**9,137**	827	332	322	488	155	172	**11,433**
1955	361	163	910	3,981	3,891	**10,187**	1,002	327	282	518	203	183	**12,702**
1956	372 [14]	169	963 [14]	4,399 [14]	5,363 [14]	**10,191** [14]	1,330	356	375	755 [14]	210	211	**13,428**
End of													
1956–Sept.	341	22	759	4,523	5,281	**10,300**	859	313	396	711	223	206	**13,008**
Sept. (Rev.) [14]			756 [14]	4,485 [14]	5,241 [14]	**10,259** [14]				751 [14]			
Oct.	358 [14]	4	753	4,574	5,327	**10,351**	843	381	371	740	216	202	**13,104**
Nov.	361	193	953	4,545	5,498	**10,409**	878	314	395	746	221	201	**13,164**
Dec.	372	169	963	4,399	5,363	**10,191**	1,330	356	375	755	210	211	**13,428**
1957–Jan. [15]	363 [15]	148	897 [15]	4,376 [15]	5,273 [15]	**10,176** [15]	715	311	370	795 [15]	209	215	**12,791**
Feb.	360	132	935	4,384†	5,319†	**10,227**†	814	352	395	820†	236	215	**13,058**
Mar.	390	115	944	4,409	5,353	**10,276**	907	330	357	832	232	217	**13,150**
Apr.	377	95	960	4,468	5,428	**10,339**	1,078	347	385	898	235	213	**13,494**
May	373	79	893	4,505	5,397	**10,281**	911	341	387	981	235	216	**13,351**
June	413	63	901	4,567	5,467	**10,303**	1,049	308	411	964	243	217	**13,495**
July	423	47	846	4,581	5,427	**10,263**	829	335	402	974	256	225	**13,284**
Aug.	426	35	791	4,628	5,418	**10,294**	847	365	424	982	256	224	**13,391**
Sept.	418	22	791	4,589	5,380	**10,388**	1,064	338	463	1,033	256	223	**13,765**
Oct.	414	4	779	4,579	5,358	**10,450**	860	406	432	1,016	254	228	**13,646**
Nov.	394	191	974	4,483	5,457	**10,513**	938	368	456	1,075	247	226	**13,822**

★ Averages of juridical days except that in accordance with section 71 of the Bank Act of 1954, Bank of Canada notes and Canadian dollar deposit liabilities are averages of the 4 consecutive Wednesdays ending with the second last Wednesday in the previous month.

** Not available on daily average basis prior to June 1956. See table on page 322 for average of Wednesdays' data for earlier months.

1. Mainly deposits of foreign banks.
2. Capital, rest fund, and undivided profits as at the latest fiscal year-end.
3. In order to facilitate comparison with statistics for earlier dates, the September 30, 1957 and subsequent figures for "personal savings deposits" include, and the figures for "other notice deposits" exclude, the amount of $140 million being the deposit balances of religious, educational and welfare institutions and personal accounts used mainly for business purposes, which were reclassified as at September 30, 1957 in the returns of the banks to the Department of Finance.
4. Beginning January 31, 1957, month-end figures for chartered bank holdings of Government of Canada and provincial government securities are based on "amortized value" and are therefore not directly comparable with figures for preceding month-ends, which are based on "not exceeding market value".
5. Including issues payable in foreign currency.
6. Includes securities guaranteed by provincial governments.
7. Securities purchased direct from issuer with a term of less than one year at time of issue are classified as loans.
8. "Call & Short loans to Stockbrokers", "Grain Dealers", "Canada Savings Bonds" and "General Loans", are Research Department estimates.
9. Excluding Canadian day-to-day loans.
10. Loans to grain dealers and exporters.
11. Loans to finance the purchase of Canada Savings Bonds at time of issue.
12. Includes deposits with other banks in foreign currencies, foreign bank notes, gold and coin outside Canada and foreign currency items in transit (net).
13. Includes bank premises, shares of and loans to controlled corporations, gold and coin in Canada, Canadian dollar deposits with other banks and other assets.
14. Figures for September 30th, 1956 and subsequent dates have been revised and are not directly comparable with those for earlier dates owing to a change in the classification of foreign currency loans in the returns of the banks to the Department of Finance. Foreign currency loans on the books of Canadian branches, some of which are made to Canadian customers and some to foreign customers, were previously included in, but have now been excluded from, loans in Canadian currency and are now carried under "Loans in Foreign Currencies". The loans thus reclassified rose by about $60 million between September 30th, 1956 and September 30th, 1957, amounting to approximately $40 million at the former date and $100 million at the latter date. The rise in general loans and in total Canadian loans over this 12 months' period is therefore now shown as about $60 million less than would have been shown under the former method of reporting. Comparison between current statistics and earlier months is also affected by the revision in the allocation of reserves by the chartered banks referred to in footnote 15, which as of January 31st, 1957, the date of such revision, apparently reduced published figures for general loans by roughly $80 million and reduced published figures for certain other categories of Canadian and foreign assets by lesser amounts. Because of this factor the recorded change in these items shows a smaller increase or a larger decrease than actually occurred over any period which includes within it January 31, 1957.
15. Beginning January 31, 1957, figures for certain chartered bank asset items are not strictly comparable with those for earlier dates, owing to the reallocation of inner reserves consequent upon the securities valuation change referred to in footnote 4. Investment reserves which became redundant were reallocated to apply against other asset items, mainly general loans (see footnote 14), loans in foreign currencies and corporate securities.

* Preliminary.
† Revised.

NOTE: For 1946–1952 data see pages 14–21 in the "Financial Supplement 1954" and for 1953–1956 data see pages 16–19 in the "Financial Supplement 1956".

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	Bank of Canada Deposits & Notes ★	Cdn. Day-to-Day Loans	Treasury Bills 1	Govt. of Canada Bonds 2	Other Canadian Securities: Provincial 2, 3, 4	Municipal 4	Corporate	Total	Insured Residential Mortgages	Call & Short 5: To Stock-Brokers	To Others 6	Provincial 4	Municipal 4
Av. of Wednesdays													
1956—Jan.	921	55	442	2,541	320	214	478	1,012	303	107	53	67	126
Feb.	796	80	542	2,432	312	211	482	1,005	324	114	53	54	147
Mar.	841	61	570	2,352	297	208	482	987	339	116	48	33	179
Apr.	874	17	640	2,184	295	208	480	984	352	119	57	11	213
May	858	59	759	1,994	294	207	489	990	368	126	65	24	216
June	886	78	760	1,932	289	206	504	1,000	385	119	62	39	188
July	871	77	739	1,906	288	202	509	999	400	128	58	25	151
Aug.	878	62	790	1,871	290	200	514	1,004	420	127	41	41	145
Sept.	885	78	798	1,850	289	197	516	1,002	438	120	35	61	158
Oct.	873	76	785	1,826	293	195	517	1,005	459	107	38 6	69	167
Nov.	881	79	771	1,773	280	191	515	987	480	95	33	108	142
Dec.	905	70	747	1,706	267	186	510	964	493	88	51	124	159
1957—Jan.	905	80	766	1,629	265	179	506	950	496	88	45	67	186
Feb.	805	113	813	1,658 9	270 9	179	504	952 9	502	87	47	72	199
Mar.	832	116	816	1,762	259	176	498	932	507	88	57	60	231
Apr.	866	90	792	1,740	268	173	498	939	505	94	75	26	259
May	879	107	774	1,732	266	171	500	936	508	104	67	24	264
June	889	104	799	1,726	260	168	503	931	501	106	53	24	252
July	854	86	784	1,704	270	166	509	944	504	110	54	22	207
Aug.	891	94	782	1,680	273	165	507	945	511	95	43	25	182
Sept.	889	93	866	1,688	271	164	504	939	523	77	36	27	192
Oct.	862	117	840	1,735	271	163	504	938	539	67	65	45	195
Nov.	883	142	823	1,747	273	162	504	939	560	50	68	73	178
Dec.	880	165	799	1,776	284	163	502	950	579	53	109	96	186
As at													
1957—May 1	846	105	763	1,740	267	171	498	936	507	104	84	29	272
8	893	114	757	1,742	266	171	498	935	507	105	69	27	268
15	880	109	756	1,727	266	170	499	935	508	103	67	22	259
22	887	91	782	1,731	265	170	501	936	509	103	61	23	265
29	889	116	811	1,721	264	170	503	937	510	104	54	21	257
June 5	834	105	829	1,727	263	168	502	933	500	105	44	23	264
12	904	109	789	1,726	263	168	501	932	500	106	59	24	263
19	904	106	785	1,726	256	168	498	922	502	108	54	27	248
26	914	98	792	1,724	257	169	511	937	503	107	56	20	232
July 3	831	93	788	1,723	260	166	508	935	501	110	49	23	229
10	886	89	773	1,705	271	165	507	944	502	109	53	19	223
17	874	98	773	1,695	270	165	509	943	504	108	49	22	201
24	885	70	794	1,693	274	165	509	948	506	112	66	24	192
31	795	81	797	1,705	275	167	510	952	509	108	54	23	190
Aug. 7	859	81	773	1,681	274	165	507	946	507	104	49	25	187
14	889	102	762	1,670	273	165	508	946	510	99	46	26	182
21	904	89	774	1,680	272	165	506	944	512	92	41	25	179
28	910	106	819	1,687	272	165	506	943	516	86	36	25	183
Sept. 4	848	119	822	1,676	271	163	504	938	518	81	41	23	186
11	910	107	833	1,680	271	164	504	938	519	78	39	28	186
18	912	72	883	1,686	270	164	504	939	525	77	30	25	191
25	888	73	926	1,709	271	163	505	939	530	73	35	33	203
Oct. 2	767†	156	910	1,734	273	162	502	937	530	78	72	33	198
9	861†	109	860	1,738	273	163	503	939	533	72	62	52	193
16	860†	111	821	1,735	271	163	504	937	537	71	66	49	194
23	916†	123	814	1,732	270	163	504	936	544	61	62	41	195
30	906	86	795	1,736	270	164	505	939	549	53	64	52	195
Nov. 6	858	140	823	1,746	270	162	503	934	553	51	65	67	174
13	882	127	839	1,745	269	162	503	934	557	50	60	80	173
20	889	145	824	1,744	274	162	505	940	562	48	68	71	179
27	901	157	808	1,753	279	163	505	947	569	51	80	71	185
Dec. 4	830	155	820	1,767	282	160	502	944	574	50	98	91	193
11	912	156	796	1,760	285	161	502	948	577	52	88	100	187
18	904	175	782	1,778	284	165	500	949	582	53	124	97	182
25	875	173	798	1,802	285	168	503	957	585	57	126	98	183

★ For data on cash reserves, see section 1 of table on page 386.
1. Par value throughout.
2. Valued at "not exceeding market value" prior to Feb. 27, 1957. See footnote 9
3. Includes securities guaranteed by provincial governments.
4. Securities purchased direct from issuer with a term of less than 1 year at time of issue are classified as loans.
5. Excluding Canadian day-to-day loans.
6. Figures for October 3, 1956 and subsequent dates which have been revised are not directly comparable with those for earlier dates. For details of the revision see footnote 14 on page 387.
7. Loans to grain dealers and exporters.

NOTE: For data back to August 1953 see pages 20–27 in the "Financial Supplement 1956". For revised

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Loans 5 in Canadian Currencies: Grain Dealers 6, 7	C.S.B. 8	Sub-Total 6	General Loans 6	Total Loans 6	Total of Foregoing Assets 6	Estimated Canadian Dollar Items in Transit (net)	Canadian Dollar Deposits: Personal Savings	Govt. of Canada Deposits	All Other	Total	
361	153	868	4,015	4,884	**10,157**	562	5,651	510	4,228	**10,390**	**Av. of Wednesdays** Jan.—1956
358	136	863	4,069	4,932	**10,110**	539	5,693	495	4,130	**10,318**	Feb.
355	119	852	4,156	5,008	**10,158**	510	5,754	530	4,057	**10,342**	Mar.
331	103	834	4,287	5,121	**10,172**	591	5,822	367	4,234	**10,423**	Apr.
313	85	830	4,427	5,256	**10,285**	654	5,859	437	4,298	**10,595**	May
321	66	794	4,537	5,331	**10,371**	622	5,867	488	4,275	**10,630**	June
340	53	753	4,552	5,305	**10,297**	721	5,898	296	4,428	**10,623**	July
355	39	747	4,571	5,319	**10,342**	613	5,918	307	4,338	**10,563**	Aug.
341	26	737	4,563	5,300	**10,351**	669	5,982	312	4,342	**10,635**	Sept.
346 6	11	737 6	4,534 6	5,272 6	**10,296** 6	698	6,047	184	4,413	**10,644**	Oct.
356	130	864	4,543	5,407	**10,378**	699	5,992	370	4,299	**10,661**	Nov.
361	178	961	4,478	5,439	**10,325**	740	5,960	341	4,355	**10,655**	Dec.
361	157	904	4,451	5,355	**10,181**	705	5,992	242	4,258	**10,492**	Jan.—1957
355 9	138	897 9	4,431† 9	5,329† 9	**10,173**†	612†	6,063	335	4,010	**10,408**	Feb.
363	121	921	4,409†	5,330†	**10,295**†	620†	6,102	436	3,955	**10,492**	Mar.
374	105	932	4,467	5,398	**10,330**	676	6,151	311	4,093	**10,556**	Apr.
372	87	919	4,492	5,410	**10,346**	769	6,167	328	4,180	**10,675**	May
401	69	905	4,538	5,443	**10,393**	730	6,164	266	4,237	**10,667**	June
416	54	863	4,580	5,442	**10,320**	795	6,209	180	4,274	**10,663**	July
430	39	815	4,602	5,417	**10,320**	658	6,245	157	4,112	**10,513**	Aug.
421	27	780	4,593	5,373	**10,370**	713	6,285	147	4,197	**10,629**	Sept.
414	11	798	4,573	5,371	**10,401**	755	6,313 10	137	4,289 10	**10,740**	Oct.
402	119	890	4,513	5,403	**10,496**	713	6,239 10	314	4,234 10	**10,787**	Nov.
402	179	1,025	4,412	5,437	**10,586**	747	6,183 10	445	4,290 10	**10,918**	Dec.
374	95	958	4,475	5,433	**10,330**	929	6,219	309	4,295	**10,823**	**As at** 1 May—1957
373	91	934	4,536	5,470	**10,417**	633	6,178	343	4,075	**10,596**	8
373	87	912	4,491	5,403	**10,318**	787	6,152	356	4,160	**10,668**	15
370	83	906	4,459	5,365	**10,300**	805	6,152	336	4,202	**10,691**	22
370	79	885	4,497	5,382	**10,367**	691	6,132	294	4,168	**10,595**	29
381	75	892	4,553	5,445	**10,372**	705	6,179	294	4,153	**10,627**	6 June
403	71	925	4,534	5,459	**10,420**	662	6,159	314	4,167	**10,640**	12
409	67	914	4,515	5,429	**10,374**	795	6,161	248	4,315	**10,725**	19
410	63	889	4,550	5,439	**10,406**	757	6,155	207	4,314	**10,676**	26
410	60	882	4,576	5,457	**10,327**	971	6,217	126	4,471	**10,814**	3 July
419	57	880	4,604	5,484	**10,383**	727	6,183	247	4,223	**10,653**	10
412	54	845	4,570	5,415	**10,303**	775	6,206	187	4,249	**10,643**	17
416	51	860	4,569	5,429	**10,324**	673	6,197	189	4,174	**10,560**	24
423	47	846	4,581	5,427	**10,263**	829	6,242	148	4,255	**10,645**	31
427	44	836	4,622	5,458	**10,306**	657	6,253	188	4,055	**10,495**	7 Aug.
437	41	831	4,590	5,421	**10,299**	654	6,238	159	4,105	**10,502**	14
431	38	806	4,586	5,392	**10,296**	712	6,243	154	4,133	**10,531**	21
423	35	788	4,609	5,397	**10,377**	610	6,244	126	4,153	**10,523**	28
424	31	787	4,606	5,392	**10,313**	778	6,299	108	4,202	**10,610**	4 Sept.
423	28	782	4,603	5,385	**10,373**	644	6,282	170	4,096	**10,549**	11
419	25	767	4,592	5,358	**10,375**	744	6,289	159	4,230	**10,679**	18
417	22	783	4,572	5,354	**10,419**	684	6,270	151	4,259	**10,680**	25
415	18	815	4,575	5,390	**10,425**†	978†	6,318 10	175	4,483† 10	**10,975**†	2 Oct.
416	14	810	4,600	5,410	**10,451**†	613†	6,298 10	175	4,170† 10	**10,644**†	9
416	11	807	4,565	5,371	**10,372**†	853†	6,312 10	135	4,363† 10	**10,810**†	16
412	7	778	4,551	5,330	**10,395**†	627†	6,300 10	122	4,201† 10	**10,623**†	23
413	4	781	4,572	5,353	**10,364**	702	6,339 10	80	4,229 10	**10,648**	30
408	32	796	4,582	5,379	**10,433**	632	6,320 10	110	4,206 10	**10,635**	6 Nov.
406	63	832	4,509	5,341	**10,424**	744	6,265 10	214	4,262 10	**10,741**	13
402	191	958	4,493	5,451	**10,554**	776	6,195 10	473	4,252 10	**10,921**	20
393	191	971	4,468	5,439	**10,574**	698	6,176 10	458	4,218 10	**10,851**	27
394	186	1,011	4,447	5,458	**10,546**	728	6,209 10	437	4,196 10	**10,842**	4 Dec.
401	181	1,009	4,424	5,433	**10,583**	572	6,171 10	436	4,136 10	**10,743**	11
404	176	1,037	4,415	5,452	**10,621**	760	6,165 10	447	4,366 10	**10,978**	18
407	172	1,042	4,362	5,404	**10,594**	928	6,186 10	458	4,465 10	**11,109**	25

8. Loans to finance the purchase of Canada Savings Bonds at time of issue.
9. Beginning with the weekly statistics for Feb. 27 the chartered banks' holdings of Government of Canada and provincial government securities are valued at "amortized value" rather than at "not exceeding market value" as previously. Because of this change in valuation procedure and the consequent reallocation of inner reserves most of the asset figures for Feb. 27 and subsequent dates, particularly holdings of the securities in question and general loans, are not directly comparable with those of previous weeks. (See also footnote 14 on page 387).
10. Adjusted in accordance with footnote 3 on page 386.

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WEEKLY FIGURES BACK TO OCTOBER 3, 1956 SEE PAGES 318–319 IN THE "STATISTICAL SUMMARY" FOR OCTOBER 1957.

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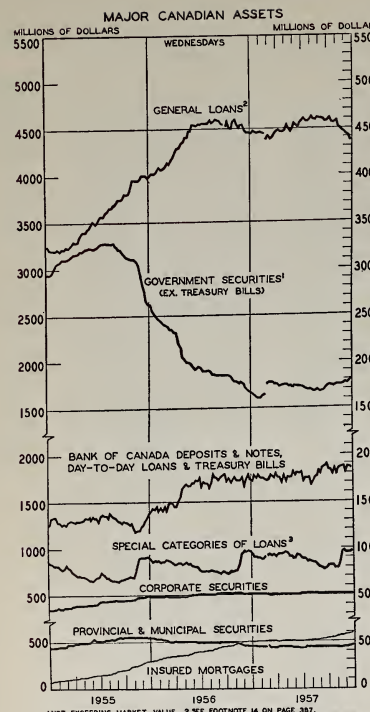
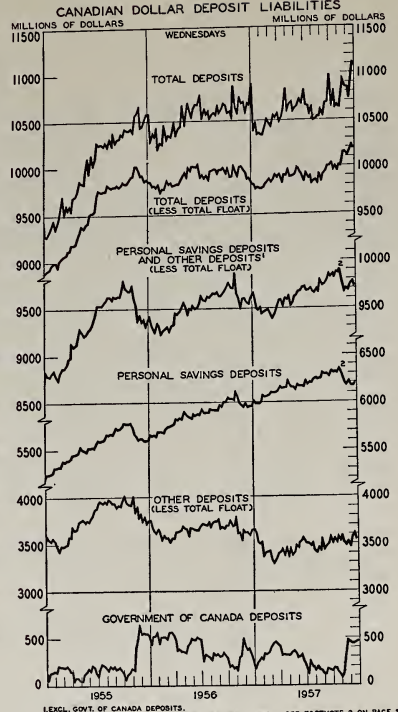


1. NOT EXCEEDING MARKET VALUE. 2. SEE FOOTNOTE 14 ON PAGE 387.
3. LOANS TO PROVINCIAL GOVERNMENTS AND MUNICIPALITIES, SPECIALLY SECURED LOANS TO GRAIN DEALERS, INVESTMENT DEALERS AND STOCKBROKERS AND TO FINANCE THE PURCHASE OF CANADA SAVINGS BONDS.



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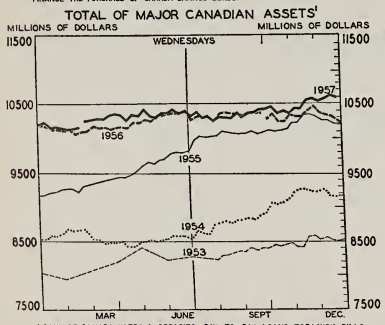

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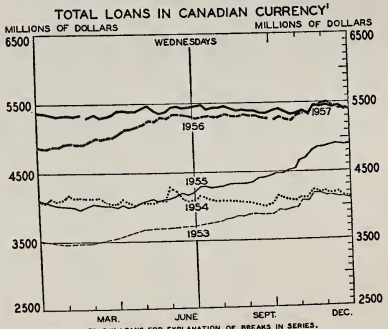
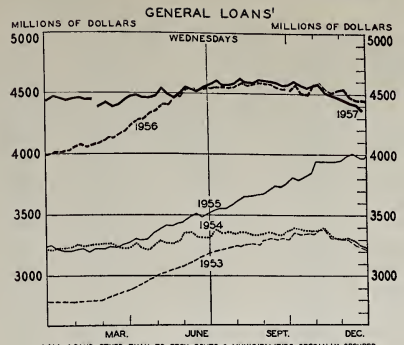


1. EXCL. DAY-TO-DAY LOANS. FOR EXPLANATION OF BREAKS IN SERIES. SEE FOOTNOTE 14 ON PAGE 387

Last weekly data plotted Dec. 25, 1957. For explanation of breaks in series, see footnote 14 on page 387.

CHARTERED BANKS

SELECTED ASSETS



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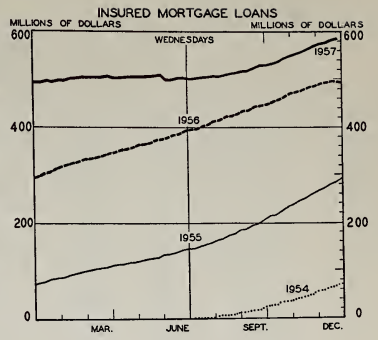

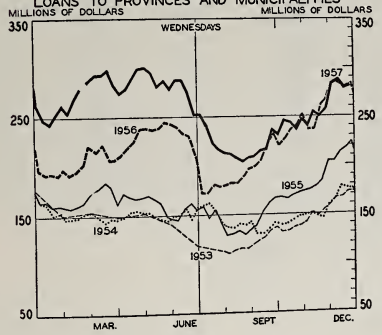

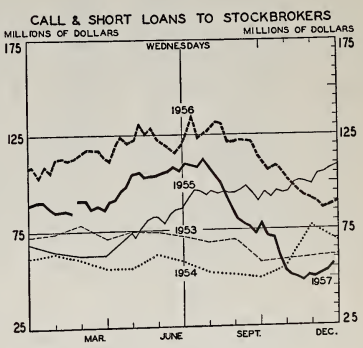

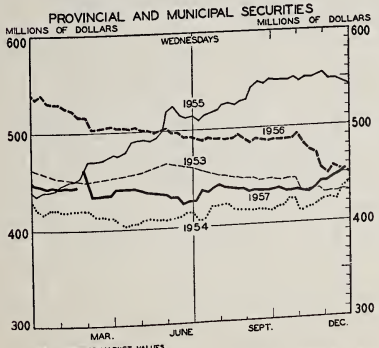

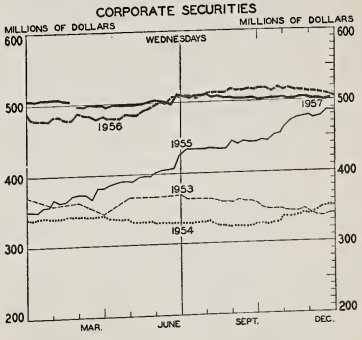

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Last weekly data plotted Dec. 25, 1957. For explanation of breaks in series, see footnote 14 on pages 387.

CANADIAN DOLLAR CURRENCY AND BANK DEPOSITS HELD BY THE GENERAL PUBLIC

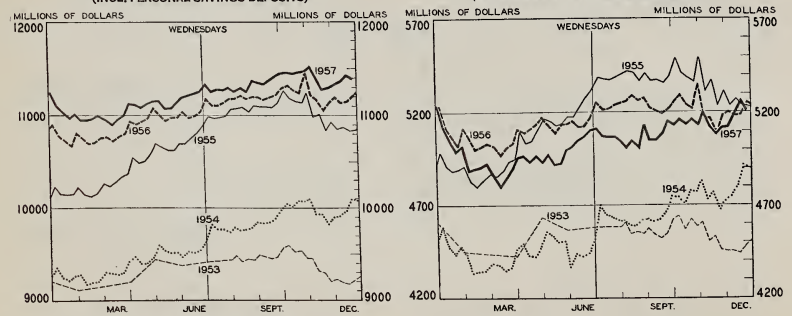
Millions of Dollars — *Bank of Canada*

	Currency Outside Banks			Chartered Bank Deposits			Total Currency and Chartered Bank Deposits [1]	
	Notes	Coin	Total	Personal Savings Deposits	Other Deposits [1]	Total [1]	Excluding Personal Savings Deposits	Including Personal Savings Deposits
As at Dec. 31								
1952	1,289	88	1,377	4,600	3,281	7,881	4,658	9,258
1953	1,335	94	1,429	4,756	3,129	7,885	4,558	9,314
1954	1,362	96	1,458	5,218	3,462	8,680	4,920	10,137
1955	1,449	101	1,550	5,633	3,697	9,330	5,248	10,881
1956	1,498	108	1,605	6,007	3,580	9,587	5,185	11,192
End of								
1955—Dec.	1,449	101	1,550	5,633	3,697	9,330	5,248	10,881
1956—Jan.	1,358	98	1,457	5,676	3,593	9,269	5,049	10,726
Feb.	1,375	99	1,474	5,721	3,557	9,278	5,031	10,753
Mar.	1,458	102	1,561	5,791	3,501	9,292	5,062	10,853
Apr.	1,415	102	1,517	5,919	3,596	9,514	5,113	11,031
May	1,425	102	1,527	5,844	3,600	9,444	5,127	10,972
June	1,500	104	1,604	5,881	3,646	9,527	5,250	11,131
July	1,458	103	1,561	5,923	3,668	9,591	5,229	11,152
Aug.	1,515	106	1,621	5,941	3,745	9,686	5,366	11,306
Sept.	1,514	106	1,620	6,020	3,656	9,676	5,276	11,295
Oct.	1,472	106	1,578	6,098	3,764	9,862	5,342	11,440
Nov.	1,543	108	1,651	5,974	3,607	9,582	5,258	11,233
Dec.	1,498	108	1,605	6,007	3,580	9,587	5,185	11,192
1957—Jan.	1,445	104	1,549	6,039	3,470	9,509	5,019	11,058
Feb.	1,457	105	1,562	6,090	3,329	9,419	4,892	10,982
Mar.	1,500	107	1,607	6,153	3,328	9,481	4,935	11,088
Apr.	1,457	107	1,564	6,211	3,406	9,617	4,970	11,181
May	1,523	109	1,631	6,161	3,382	9,543	5,014	11,174
June	1,559	110	1,669	6,196	3,448	9,644	5,117	11,313
July	1,510	109	1,618	6,242	3,426	9,668	5,044	11,287
Aug.	1,571	111	1,682	6,273	3,401	9,673	5,082	11,355
Sept.	1,529	110	1,639	6,352 [2]	3,477 [2]	9,829	5,117 [2]	11,469
Oct.	1,552	111	1,663	6,365	3,611	9,976	5,274	11,639
Nov.	1,605	113	1,717	6,203	3,401	9,605	5,119	11,322

1. Less total float, i.e. cheques and other items in transit (net). Excludes Government of Canada deposits.
2. Adjusted in accordance with footnote 3 on page 386.

NOTE: For data back to 1953 see page 32 in the "Financial Supplement 1956".

CURRENCY AND CHARTERED BANK DEPOSITS[1] HELD BY THE GENERAL PUBLIC



1. Less total float. Last weekly data plotted Dec. 25, 1957.
2. Figures since Sept. 30, 1957 have been adjusted for comparability with earlier figures. See footnote 3 on page 386.

CLASSIFICATION OF GOVERNMENT OF CANADA DIRECT AND GUARANTEED SECURITIES

Millions of Dollars, Par Value — *Bank of Canada*

	Direct Funded Debt Outstanding							Guaranteed Funded Debt	Total Outstanding [2]
	Treasury Bills	Treasury Notes	Deposit Certificates	Other Unmatured Market Issues	Matured and Outstanding Market Issues	Non-market Issues [1]	Total		
As at Dec. 31									
1952	450	750	200	11,995	19	1,250	14,664	522	**15,186**
1953	650	750	–	12,066	19	1,632	15,117	520	**15,637**
1954	780	750	–	10,854	74	2,090	14,547	918	**15,465**
1955	1,225	500	–	10,952	30	2,433	15,140	860	**16,000**
1956	1,575	–	–	10,298	27	2,541	14,441	793	**15,234**
End of									
1956—July	1,700	–	–	10,448	34	2,264	14,446	793	**15,238**
Aug.	1,710	–	–	10,448	30	2,237	14,425	793	**15,218**
Sept.	1,730	–	–	10,448	29	2,210	14,417	793	**15,210**
Oct.	1,720	–	–	10,448	28	2,199	14,395	793	**15,188**
Nov.	1,625	–	–	10,448	26	2,593	14,692	793	**15,485**
Dec.	1,575	–	–	10,298	27	2,541	14,441	793	**15,234**
1957—Jan.	1,565	–	–	10,298	23	2,508	14,394	793	**15,187**
Feb.	1,605	–	–	10,298	21	2,475	14,399	793	**15,192**
Mar.	1,625	–	–	10,298	20	2,436	14,379	793	**15,172**
Apr.	1,625	–	–	10,298	20	2,394	14,337	793	**15,130**
May	1,625	–	–	10,298	19	2,350	14,292	793	**15,085**
June	1,625	–	–	10,148	22	2,315	14,109	793	**14,902**
July	1,625	–	–	10,148	17	2,277	14,066	728	**14,794**
Aug.	1,640	–	–	10,148	16	2,245	14,049	728	**14,778**
Sept.	1,655	–	–	10,148	16	2,213	14,031	728	**14,759**
Oct.	1,655	–	–	10,147	15	2,201	14,019	728	**14,748**
Nov.	1,640	–	–	10,145	15	2,701	14,500	728	**15,228**

For footnotes see table below.

DISTRIBUTION OF GOVERNMENT OF CANADA DIRECT AND GUARANTEED SECURITIES

Millions of Dollars, Par Value — *Bank of Canada*

	Bank of Canada	Chartered Banks [3]	Government of Canada Accounts			General Public			Total Outstanding [2]
			Securities Investment Account [4]	Unemployment Insurance Fund	Other	Market Issues [3]	Non-market Issues [1]	Total [3]	
As at Dec. 31									
1952	2,271	2,905	47	859	195	7,659	1,250	8,909	**15,186**
1953	2,322	2,862	119	919	276	7,507	1,632	9,139	**15,637**
1954	2,267	3,375	–	892	312	6,529	2,090	8,619	**15,465**
1955	2,416	3,132	200	884	407	6,528	2,433	8,961	**16,000**
1956	2,426	2,534	160	924	434	6,215	2,541	8,756	**15,234**
End of									
1956—July	2,387	2,717	80	862	414	6,514	2,264	8,777	**15,238**
Aug.	2,428	2,751	105	880	418	6,400	2,237	8,636	**15,218**
Sept.	2,453	2,732	105	895	422	6,394	2,210	8,604	**15,210**
Oct.	2,454	2,675	165	909	421	6,363	2,199	8,562	**15,188**
Nov.	2,478	2,624	190	919	430	6,250	2,593	8,844	**15,485**
Dec.	2,426	2,534	160	924	434	6,215	2,541	8,756	**15,234**
1957—Jan.	2,302	2,535	182	917	437	6,305	2,508	8,813	**15,187**
Feb.	2,249	2,580	182	899	442	6,365	2,475	8,840	**15,192**
Mar.	2,288	2,573	182	878	429	6,386	2,436	8,822	**15,172**
Apr.	2,353	2,509	182	858	433	6,400	2,394	8,794	**15,130**
May	2,354	2,549	112	847	530	6,343	2,350	8,693	**15,085**
June	2,410	2,530	–	854	508	6,285	2,315	8,600	**14,902**
July	2,401	2,502	–	865	506	6,243	2,277	8,520	**14,794**
Aug.	2,461	2,517	–	872	504	6,178	2,245	8,423	**14,778**
Sept.	2,412	2,637	–	881	499	6,117	2,213	8,330	**14,759**
Oct.	2,492	2,583	–	888	500	6,085	2,201	8,286	**14,748**
Nov.	2,472	2,587	–	888	495	6,086	2,701	8,786	**15,228**

1. Refundable Tax, War Savings Certificates and Canada Savings Bonds, and since May 1, 1954, Canada Savings Bonds only.
2. Foreign pay issues are converted at the rate of £1 = $2.80 U.S. = $2.80 Cdn. Excludes sinking fund and government account "N" holdings of Newfoundland sterling securities assumed by the Government of Canada. For details by issue at Dec. 31, 1957, see table on page 395.
3. Chartered bank holdings are shown at estimated par value; the figures for general public holdings are residuals obtained by deducting all other holdings from the total outstanding.
4. Market issues only, i.e., excludes holdings of Canada Savings Bonds being purchased on the payroll plan by Government employees, which are included under general public holdings of non-market issues.

NOTE: For data back to 1953 see pages 33–34 in the "Financial Supplement 1956"

GOVERNMENT OF CANADA DIRECT AND GUARANTEED SECURITIES★

Bank of Canada

NEW ISSUES AND RETIREMENTS

Millions of Dollars

Date of Issue or Retirement	Type of Security	Amount (Par Values) 1, 2 New Issues	Amount (Par Values) 1, 2 Retirements	Currency of Payment	Coupon Rate %	Date of Final Maturity	Earliest Call Date	Date of Issue	Issue Call Price or Conversion	Yield to Final Maturity
DIRECT MARKET ISSUES (ex. Special Short-term)										
1955										
July 1	Loan	700		C	2	May 1/58	NC	July 1/55	100.00	2.00
1	Loan		200	C	2 ¼	July 1/55	NC	Mar. 1/53		
1	Loan		400	C	2 ¼	July 1/55	NC	Nov. 1/53		
1	Other Retirements		2	£						
		700	602							
1956										
Jan. 15	Loan		48 [3]	US	3 ¼	Jan. 15/61	Jan. 15/56	Jan. 15/36	100.00	
June 1	Loan		55 [3]	C	3 ¼	June 1/66	June 1/56	June 1/36	100.00	
July 1	Loan		400	C	2 ¼	July 1/56	NC	Nov. 1/50		
Sept. 15	Loan	250		C	3 ¾	Mar. 15/98	Sept. 15/96	Sept. 15/56	97.00	3.90
Sept. 15	5th Victory Loan (in part)		250 [3]	C	3	Jan. 1/59	Jan. 1/56	Nov. 1/43	98.625	
Dec. 15	Loan	150		C	2 ¼	June 15/57	NC	Dec. 15/56	99.125	4.03
Dec. 15	Loan	250		C	2 ¼	Dec. 15/57	NC	Dec. 15/56	98.00	4.31
Dec. 15	Loan		550	C	2 ¼	Dec. 15/56	NC	June 1/54		
	Other Retirements		1	£						
		650	1,304							
1957										
June 15	Loan		150	C	2 ¼	June 15/57	NC	Dec. 15/56		
Oct. 1	Loan	400		C	3	Oct. 1/58	NC	Oct. 1/57	98.25	4.81
1	Loan	300		C	3	Oct. 1/59	NC	Oct. 1/57	96.30	4.97
1	Loan		700	C	2	Oct. 1/57	NC	Oct. 1/54		
Dec. 15	Loan	250		C	3	Oct. 1/59	NC	Dec. 15/57	98.60	3.81
15	Loan		250	C	2 ¼	Dec. 15/57	NC	Dec. 15/56		
15	Loan	400		C	3	Dec. 15/60	NC	Dec. 15/57	97.60	3.85
15	Loan		176 [4]	C	3	May 1/58	NC	Nov. 1/53	100.18	
15	Loan		224 [4]	C	2	May 1/58	NC	July 1/55	99.70	
	Other Retirements		3*	£						
		1,350	1,503*							
GUARANTEED ISSUES										
1955										
Mar. 1	C.N. (West Indies) S.S.		9	C £ US	5	Mar. 1/55	NC	Mar. 1/30		
June 15	C.N.R.		49	C £ US	4 ¾	June 15/55	NC	June 15/30		
			58							
1956										
Feb. 1	C.N.R.		67	C £ US	4 ½	Feb. 1/56	NC	Feb. 1/31		
			67							
1957										
July 1	C.N.R.		64	C US	4 ½	July 1/57	NC	July 1/27		
			64							
1958										
Feb. 1†	C.N.R.	300		C	4	Feb. 1/81	NC	Feb. 1/58		4.20
		300								

★ Excluding Treasury Bills, Treasury Notes and Canada Savings Bonds. For complete details of loans outstanding see "Loans of Government of Canada and Loans Guaranteed by the Government of Canada" published annually by the Bank of Canada. For information on Treasury Bills Issues see the table "Money Market Statistics" on pages 396–397 and on Treasury Notes see the table "Classification of Government of Canada Direct and Guaranteed Securities" on page 393

1. For totals outstanding at month-ends see page 393.
2. Foreign pay issues are converted into Canadian dollars at the rates £1 = $2.80 U.S. = $2.80 Cdn.
3. Called prior to maturity.
4. On Dec. 15/57 part of issue converted to 3% due Dec. 15/60.
5. Assumed by the Government of Canada at the time of union. Amounts are net of sinking fund and government account "N" holdings.
6. After notice.

* Preliminary.
† New issue announced Jan. 7/58.
** Less than $0.5 million.

NOTE: For data back to 1952 see pages 52–53 in the "Financial Supplement 1956".

DETAILS OF UNMATURED OUTSTANDING ISSUES

Millions of Dollars

Date of Final Maturity	Type of Security	Amount Outstanding (Par Values) 1, 2 Dec. 31 1954	Dec. 31 1955	Dec. 31 1956	Sept. 30 1957	Dec. 31 1957	Currency of Payment	Coupon Rate %	Earliest Call Date	Date of Issue
DIRECT MARKET ISSUES (ex. Special Short-term)										
1955–July 1	Loan	200	–	–	–	–	C	2 ¼	NC	1.3.53
July 1	Loan	400	–	–	–	–	C	2 ¼	NC	1.11.53
1956–July 1	Loan	400	400	–	–	–	C	2 ¼	NC	1.11.50
Dec. 15	Loan	550	550	–	–	–	C	2 ¼	NC	1.6.54
1957–June 15	Loan	–	–	150	–	–	C	2 ¼	NC	15.12.56
Oct. 1	Loan	700	700	700	700	–	C	2	NC	1.10.54
Dec. 15	Loan	–	–	250	250	–	C	2 ¼	NC	15.12.56
1958–May 1	Loan	300	300	300	300	124 [4]	C	3	NC	1.11.53
May 1	Loan	–	700	700	700	476 [4]	C	2	NC	1.7.55
Oct. 1	Loan	–	–	–	–	400	C	3	NC	1.10.57
1959–Jan. 1	5th Victory Loan	1,197	1,197	947	947	947	C	3	1.1.56	1.11.43
Oct. 1	Loan	–	–	–	–	300	C	3	NC	1.10.57
Oct. 1	Loan	–	–	–	–	250	C	3	NC	15.12.57
1960–June 1	6th Victory Loan	1,165	1,165	1,165	1,165	1,165	C	3	1.6.57	1.5.44
Dec. 15	Loan	–	–	–	–	400	C	3	NC	15.12.57
1961–Jan. 15	Loan	48	48 [3]	–	–	–	US	3 ¼	15.1.56	15.1.36
1962–Feb. 1	7th Victory Loan	1,316	1,316	1,316	1,316	1,316	C	3	1.2.59	1.11.44
1963–July 1	Registered Stock	2	2	2	2	2	£	3 ¼	1.7.58	1.7.38
July 1	Govt. of Newfoundland [5]	28	26	25	25	22*	£	3	1.7.43	1933-34
Aug. 1	Loan	150	150	150	150	150	US	3	1.8.58	1.8.48
Oct. 1	8th Victory Loan	1,296	1,296	1,296	1,296	1,296	C	3	1.10.59	1.5.45
1966–June 1	Loan	55	55 [3]	–	–	–	C	3 ¼	1.6.56	1.6.36
Sept. 1	9th Victory Loan	1,692	1,692	1,692	1,692	1,692	C	3	1.9.61	1.11.45
1968–June 15	Refunding Loan	350	350	350	350	350	C	2 ¾	15.6.67	15.6.50
1974–Sept. 1	Loan	100	100	100	100	100	US	2 ¾	30 Days [6]	1.9.49
1975–Sept. 15	Loan	50	50	50	50	50	US	2 ¾	30 Days [6]	15.9.50
1976–June 1	Loan	300	300	300	300	300	C	3 ¼	1.6.74	1.6.54
1978–Jan. 15	Loan	100	100	100	100	100	C	3 ¾	15.1.75	15.1.53
1979–Oct. 1	Loan	400	400	400	400	400	C	3 ¼	NC	1.10.54
1998–Mar. 15	Loan	–	–	250	250	250	C	3 ¾	15.9.96	15.9.56
Perpetual	Loan	55	55	55	55	55	C	3	15.9.66	15.9.36
	TOTAL [1]	10,854	10,952	10,298	10,148	10,145*				
GUARANTEED ISSUES										
1955–Mar. 1	C.N. (West Indies) S.S.	9	–	–	–	–	C £ US	5	NC	1.3.30
June 15	C.N.R.	49	–	–	–	–	C £ US	4 ¾	NC	15.6.30
1956–Feb. 1	C.N.R.	67	67	–	–	–	C £ US	4 ½	NC	1.2.31
1957–July 1	C.N.R.	64	64	64	–	–	C US	4 ½	NC	1.7.27
1958–July 20	Can. Northern Rly.	6	6	6	6	6	C £	3 ½	NC	–3.10
1959–Jan. 15	C.N.R.	35	35	35	35	35	C	3	15.1.54	15.1.39
1961–May 19	Can. North. Ont. Rly.	2	2	2	2	2	£	3 ½	NC	8.12.11
1962–Jan. 1	Grand Trunk Pac. Rly.	26	26	26	26	26	C £ US	3	NC	1.7.05
Jan. 1	Grand Trunk Pac. Rly.	8	8	8	8	8	C £ US	4	NC	5.8.14
1963–Feb. 1	C.N.R.	250	250	250	250	250	C	2 ¾	1.2.61	15.12.54
1966–Jan. 3	C.N.R.	35	35	35	35	35	C	3	3.1.61	3.1.49
1967–Jan. 2	C.N.R.	50	50	50	50	50	C	2 ¾	2.1.64	2.1.47
1969–Sept. 15	C.N.R.	70	70	70	70	70	C	2 ⅞	15.9.64	15.9.49
1971–Jan. 16	C.N.R.	40	40	40	40	40	C	2 ⅞	16.1.66	16.1.50
1974–Feb. 1	C.N.R.	200	200	200	200	200	C	3 ¾	1.2.72	1.2.54
1975–June 15	C.N.R.	6	6	6	6	6	US	2 ¾	30-60 Days [6]	15.6.50
	All other	**	**	**	**	**	£			
	TOTAL [1]	918	860	793	728	728				

For footnotes, see opposite page.

NOTE: For data back to Dec. 31, 1953 see page 54 in the "Financial Supplement 1956".

MONEY MARKET STATISTICS

WEEKLY SERIES

Bank of Canada

	Bank of Canada[1]			Chartered Banks					Treasury Bills[2]				Distribution of Govt. of Canada Direct and Gtd. Securities[2] (Including Treasury Bills)								
	Outstanding Advances to Chartered and Savings Banks	Can. Govt. Securities Held Under Purchase & Resale Agreements		Cash Ratio Statutory Basis		Day-to-Day Loans			Weekly Tender on Thurs. following Wed. date shown				Distribution				Total	Bank of Canada	Chartered Banks[3]	Government Accounts	General Public			
		At Date	Maximum During Week	At Date	Average: Month to Date	Closing Rate	Wkly. Av. of Daily Closing Rates	Amount Outstanding	Average Yield: 3 Month Bills	Average Yield: 9 Month Bills	Amount Sold: 3 Month Bills	Amount Sold: 9 Month Bills	Total	Bank of Canada	Other						Canada Savings Bonds	Matured & Outstanding Market Issues	Other Unmatured	Total
	Millions of Dollars			*Percent*				*mm. of $*	*Percent*		*Millions of Dollars*		*Par Value in Millions of Dollars*				*Par Value in Millions of Dollars*							
Wednesdays																								**Wednesdays**
1955—Oct. 26	16	4	12	8.4	8.3	2 1/8	2.13	53	2.20	–	60	–	1,145	303	317	525	15,582	2,347	3,498	1,434	1,917	33	6,353	8,303	26 Oct. — 1955
Nov. 30	4	–	2	8.4	8.3	2 1/4	2.25	54	2.58	–	60	–	1,170	303	328	539	15,974	2,422	3,323	1,334	2,461	31	6,403	8,895	30 Nov.
Dec. 28	–	–	–	8.2	8.2	2 3/8	2.38	56	2.56	–	75	–	1,205	264	416	525	15,982	2,423	3,108	1,492	2,435	30	6,494	8,959	28 Dec.
1956—Jan. 25	–	–	–	8.3	8.4	2 1/4	2.33	54	2.53	–	100	–	1,275	234	480	561	15,989	2,303	3,038	1,604	2,415	35	6,595	9,044	25 Jan. — 1956
Feb. 29	–	6	6	8.1	8.2	2 1/2	2.50	82	2.56	–	115	–	1,430	341	564	525	16,063	2,246	3,027	1,752	2,405	32	6,601	9,038	29 Feb.
Mar. 28	–	–	3	7.9	8.2	2 5/8	2.58	62	2.64	–	115	–	1,575	444	573	558	16,188	2,296	2,957	1,935	2,387	30	6,583	9,000	28 Mar.
Apr. 25	10	–	–	8.3	8.2	2 5/8	2.68	13	2.89	–	125	–	1,640	336	727	577	16,229	2,329	2,856	2,067	2,363	30	6,584	8,976	25 Apr.
May 30	26	–	–	8.2	8.2	2 3/4	2.73	63	2.72	–	130	–	1,690	394	759	537	15,737	2,302	2,802	1,604	2,323	28	6,678	9,029	30 May
June 27	5	–	–	8.3	8.3	2 3/8	2.48	62	2.52	–	130	–	1,690	465	795	430	15,658	2,392	2,795	1,606	2,293	35	6,538	8,865	27 June
July 25	12	–	–	8.1	8.3	2 5/8	2.63	81	2.65	–	130	–	1,695	467	735	493	15,236	2,398	2,699	1,352	2,266	35	6,487	8,787	25 July
Aug. 29	–	–	–	8.2	8.4	2 1/4	2.40	32	2.90	–	135	–	1,705	494	835	376	15,214	2,422	2,762	1,403	2,237	31	6,360	8,627	29 Aug.
Sept. 26	–	–	–	8.2	8.3	2 3/4	2.88	95	3.16	–	135	–	1,725	521	806	328	15,205	2,441	2,739	1,424	2,210	29	6,362	8,601	26 Sept.
Oct. 31	–	–	26	8.6	8.3	2 3/4	2.90	85	3.34	–	115	–	1,720	560	794	366	15,187	2,454	2,675	1,496	2,199	28	6,336	8,562	31 Oct.
Nov. 28	50	–	–	8.5	8.2	2 7/8	3.03	97	3.52	–	115	–	1,645	532	741	372	15,494	2,451	2,610	1,540	2,582	26	6,285	8,893	28 Nov.
Dec. 26	10	–	–	8.2	8.3	3 1/4	3.25	75	3.67	–	125	–	1,585	519	752	314	15,233	2,506	2,530	1,447	2,530	28	6,193	8,750	26 Dec.
1957—Jan. 30	–	–	–	8.2	8.2	3	3.00	86	3.70	–	125	–	1,565	418	807	340	15,178	2,312	2,530	1,536	2,500	23	6,278	8,800	30 Jan. — 1957
Feb. 27	–	–	12	8.4	8.2	3 1/2	3.55	112	3.76	–	125	–	1,605	437	811	357	15,187	2,254	2,570	1,520	2,470	21	6,352	8,844	27 Feb.
Mar. 27	10	–	14	8.2	8.2	3 5/8	3.70	152	3.70	–	125	–	1,625	482	805	338	15,169	2,280	2,554	1,501	2,433	20	6,380	8,833	27 Mar.
Apr. 24	21	–	5	8.4	8.1	3 3/4	3.71	96	3.75	–	125	–	1,625	503	769	353	15,132	2,353	2,506	1,477	2,396	20	6,380	8,796	24 Apr.
May 29	25	–	–	8.2	8.2	3 3/8	3.53	116	3.76	–	125	–	1,625	474	814	337	15,082	2,352	2,535	1,494	2,348	19	6,335	8,701	29 May
June 26	24	–	9	8.4	8.2	3 3/4	3.83	97	3.81	–	125	–	1,625	516	795	314	14,900	2,404	2,519	1,397	2,312	22	6,245	8,580	26 June
July 31	–	–	3	7.7	8.1	3 3/4	3.75	81	3.81	–	125	–	1,625	505	797	322	14,794	2,401	2,502	1,371	2,277	17	6,227	8,520	31 July
Aug. 28	–	–	–	8.4	8.2	3 1/4	3.55	106	4.03	–	130	–	1,635	549	819	267	14,771	2,470	2,506	1,376	2,244	16	6,159	8,420	28 Aug.
Sept. 25	–	–	–	8.2	8.3	2 1/4	2.45	73	3.80	–	125	–	1,655	461	926	268	14,760	2,444	2,635	1,384	2,214	16	6,068	8,297	25 Sept.
Oct. 30	–	54	54	8.6	8.2	4	3.60	86	3.80	–	125	–	1,655	538	795	322	14,735	2,541	2,531	1,387	2,188	15	6,071	8,275	30 Oct.
Nov. 27	–	22	59	8.3	8.2	3 1/2	3.53	157	3.58	–	125	–	1,645	460	808	377	15,199	2,480	2,561	1,384	2,664	15	6,095	8,774	27 Nov.
Dec. 25	–	–	–	8.1	8.2	3 1/4	3.25	173	3.62	–	125	–	1,625	472	798	355	15,119	2,480	2,600	1,374	2,605	17	6,044	8,665	25 Dec.
Weekly																								**Weekly**
1957—July 3	12	8	8	8.1	8.1	3 3/4	3.69	93	3.81	–	125	–	1,625	526	788	312	14,827	2,421	2,510	1,361	2,306	21	6,210	8,536	3 July — 1957
10	–	25	25	8.1	8.1	4	3.85	89	3.81	–	125	–	1,625	549	773	303	14,816	2,460	2,478	1,366	2,296	20	6,197	8,512	10
17	–	–	20	8.2	8.2	3 3/4	3.75	98	3.81	–	125	–	1,625	561	773	291	14,803	2,462	2,468	1,365	2,283	19	6,206	8,508	17
24	–	–	–	8.1	8.2	3 1/4	3.58	70	3.80	–	125	–	1,625	536	794	295	14,793	2,434	2,486	1,369	2,275	18	6,212	8,505	24
31	–	–	3	7.7	8.1	3 3/4	3.75	81	3.81	–	125	–	1,625	505	797	322	14,794	2,401	2,502	1,371	2,277	17	6,227	8,520	31
Aug. 7	11	42	44	8.1	7.8	4	3.88	81	3.92	–	125	–	1,625	530	773	322	14,786	2,439	2,455	1,372	2,269	17	6,235	8,521	7 Aug.
14	–	4	35	8.3	8.0	4 1/4	4.08	102	4.03	–	130	–	1,625	557	762	306	14,774	2,462	2,432	1,370	2,257	17	6,237	8,510	14
21	–	–	6	8.4	8.1	3 7/8	4.00	89	4.08	–	130	–	1,630	567	774	288	14,773	2,486	2,455	1,372	2,251	17	6,193	8,461	21
28	–	–	–	8.4	8.2	3 1/4	3.55	106	4.03	–	130	–	1,635	549	819	267	14,771	2,470	2,506	1,376	2,244	16	6,159	8,420	28
Sept. 4	–	–	–	8.2	8.2	3 1/4	3.16	119	4.01	–	130	–	1,640	540	822	278	14,773	2,457	2,498	1,377	2,241	16	6,184	8,441	4 Sept.
11	–	–	–	8.4	8.2	3 1/4	3.20	107	4.00	–	130	–	1,645	538	833	274	14,769	2,482	2,513	1,382	2,232	16	6,144	8,391	11
18	–	–	–	8.5	8.3	2 3/4	3.03	72	3.93	–	130	–	1,650	514	883	252	14,762	2,503	2,569	1,383	2,221	16	6,070	8,306	18
25	–	–	–	8.2	8.3	2 1/4	2.45	73	3.80	–	125	–	1,655	461	926	268	14,760	2,444	2,635	1,384	2,214	16	6,068	8,297	25
Oct. 2	–	1	8	7.6	7.6	3 1/2	2.95	156	3.84	–	125	–	1,655	421	910	324	14,779	2,391	2,644	1,382	2,208	40	6,115	8,362	2 Oct.
9	–	16	38	8.1	7.9	4	3.85	109	3.87	–	125	–	1,655	470	860	324	14,749	2,465	2,599	1,385	2,198	20	6,082	8,300	9
16	–	9	9	8.3	8.0	3 3/4	3.81	111	3.88	–	125	–	1,655	506	821	328	14,738	2,494	2,556	1,384	2,189	18	6,097	8,304	16
23	–	–	2	8.5	8.1	3 1/2	3.65	123	3.83	–	125	–	1,655	518	814	323	14,732	2,496	2,546	1,386	2,185	16	6,103	8,305	23
30	–	54	54	8.6	8.2	4	3.60	86	3.80	–	125	–	1,655	538	795	322	14,735	2,541	2,531	1,387	2,188	15	6,071	8,275	30
Nov. 6	–	–	–	8.0	8.3	3 1/2	3.65	140	3.79	–	125	–	1,655	518	823	314	14,806	2,485	2,569	1,387	2,260	15	6,090	8,365	6 Nov.
13	–	–	–	8.0	8.2	3 1/2	3.50	127	3.74	–	125	–	1,655	494	839	323	14,918	2,479	2,584	1,386	2,372	15	6,082	8,469	13
20	–	–	–	8.1	8.1	3 3/8	3.38	145	3.51	–	125	–	1,650	489	824	337	15,220	2,502	2,568	1,384	2,679	15	6,072	8,766	20
27	–	22	59	8.3	8.2	3 1/2	3.53	157	3.58	–	125	–	1,645	460	808	377	15,199	2,480	2,561	1,384	2,664	15	6,095	8,774	27
Dec. 4	–	28	55	8.0	8.0	3 3/4	3.70	155	3.67	–	125	–	1,640	443	820	377	15,192	2,477	2,586	1,382	2,664	15	6,067	8,746	4 Dec.
11	–	4	26	8.4	8.1	3 3/4	3.75	156	3.67	–	125	–	1,635	470	796	369	15,159	2,522	2,556	1,383	2,636	15	6,048	8,698	11
18	–	–	10	8.3	8.2	3 1/2	3.70	175	3.64	–	125	–	1,630	481	782	367	15,144	2,509	2,560	1,382	2,620	21	6,052	8,693	18
25	–	–	–	8.1	8.2	3 1/4	3.25	173	3.62	–	125	–	1,625	472	798	355	15,119	2,480	2,600	1,374	2,605	17	6,044	8,665	25

1. Bank Rate, the minimum rate at which the Bank of Canada will make temporary loans or advances, stood at 2% from October 1950 to February 14, 1955 when it was reduced to 1½%. The rate was raised to 2% on August 5, 1955, to 2¼% on October 12, 1955, to 2¾% on November 18, 1955, to 3% on April 4, 1956, to 3¼% on August 9, 1956, and to 3½% on October 17, 1956. Since November 1, 1956, Bank Rate has been ¼ of 1% above the latest weekly average tender rate for 91-day Treasury Bills. 2. This table has been revised to show all holdings of Government of Canada direct and guaranteed securities at par value, and for this reason the figures for Bank of Canada and chartered bank holdings differ from those appearing on pages 352, 354 and 356. Foreign-pay issues are valued at uniform exchange rates of £1 = $2.80 U.S. = $2.80 Cdn. 3. Estimated par value.

NOTE: FOR DATA BACK TO JULY 1954 SEE PAGES 36–41 IN THE "FINANCIAL SUPPLEMENT 1956".

TREASURY BILL RATES, GOVERNMENT

SELECTED

CANADA, UNITED STAT

Bank of

	Weighted Average of Tender Rates on 3 Month Treasury Bills [4]			Canada							
				3% Sept. 1/61–66		2¾% June 15/67–68		3¾% Jan. 15/75–78		3¼% Oct. 1/79	
	Canada	U.S.	U.K.	Price	Yield	Price	Yield	Price	Yield	Price	Yield
Wednesdays				*Cdn. $*		*Cdn. $*		*Cdn. $*		*Cdn. $*	
1956—Jan. 25	2.53	2.25	4.07	98	3.22	94 1/2	3.29	104 1/2	3.43	98 3/8	3.35
Feb. 29	2.56	2.41	5.20	98	3.23	95	3.25	105 1/4	3.37	99 1/8	3.30
Mar. 28	2.64	2.17	5.17	97 1/8	3.33	93 1/2	3.40	103 3/4	3.49	97 3/8	3.41
Apr. 25	2.89	2.79	5.01	94 3/4	3.61	92 1/2	3.51	100 3/4	3.69	94 1/2	3.60
May 30	2.72	2.57	5.01	95 5/8	3.51	92 5/8	3.51	102	3.60	95 7/8	3.51
June 27	2.52	2.54	5.14	96 3/8	3.42	93 5/8	3.40	103 3/4	3.47	98	3.37
July 25	2.65	2.30	4.98	95 3/8	3.55	92 1/2	3.53	101 1/2	3.64	95 1/4	3.55
Aug. 29	2.90	2.83	5.02	93 7/8	3.74	90	3.81	99 1/2	3.78	93 1/8	3.69
Sept. 26	3.16	2.99	5.09	92 7/8	3.87	89 1/2	3.88	98	3.89	91 1/2	3.81
Oct. 31	3.34	2.89	5.00	92 1/4	3.96	89	3.94	98	3.89	91 1/8	3.84
Nov. 28	3.52	3.17	5.02	91 1/8	4.11	88 3/4	3.97	97	3.96	90 3/4	3.86
Dec. 26	3.67	3.22	4.86	90 7/8	4.16	88 3/4	3.98	96 3/4	3.98	90 1/4	3.90
1957—Jan. 30	3.70	3.28	4.54	89 1/2	4.35	86 3/4	4.23	95	4.11	87	4.14
Feb. 27	3.76	3.29	4.00	91 5/8	4.07	88 1/2	4.02	96 1/4	4.02	89 1/2	3.96
Mar. 27	3.70	3.03	4.11	91 1/4	4.13	87 1/2	4.15	96 1/4	4.02	90	3.92
Apr. 24	3.75	3.05	3.91	89 5/8	4.36	86	4.35	96 1/4	4.02	89 1/2	3.96
May 29	3.76	3.25	3.92	89	4.46	85	4.49	94 1/2	4.15	86 3/4	4.17
June 26	3.81	3.23	3.85	88	4.62	84 1/2	4.56	94	4.19	86 3/4	4.17
July 31	3.81	3.36	3.82	87 3/4	4.67	83 1/2	4.71	93 1/4	4.25	85 3/4	4.25
Aug. 28	4.03	3.50	4.12	86 1/2	4.88	82 3/4	4.81	93	4.27	84 1/2	4.35
Sept. 25	3.80	3.54	6.60	88 5/8	4.57	84	4.66	93	4.27	85	4.31
Oct. 30	3.80	3.62	6.59	90 5/8	4.29	87 1/4	4.25	94 3/4	4.13	88 1/4	4.06
Nov. 28	3.58	3.16	6.46	94 5/8	3.73	92	3.67	97 3/4	3.91	92	3.79
Dec. 31	3.60	2.75	6.33	94 3/8	3.76	92 1/8	3.66	99 1/4	3.80	91 7/8	3.80
Weekly											
1957—July 10	3.81	3.17	3.85	88 5/8	4.60	84 1/2	4.56	93 1/2	4.23	86 1/4	4.21
17	3.81	3.09	3.84	87 3/4	4.67	84 1/8	4.60	93 1/4	4.25	86	4.23
24	3.80	3.16	3.85	87 3/4	4.67	84 1/8	4.62	93 1/4	4.25	85 3/4	4.25
31	3.81	3.36	3.82	87 3/4	4.67	83 1/2	4.71	93 1/4	4.25	85 3/4	4.25
Aug. 7	3.92	3.31	3.88	87 1/4	4.74	83 1/4	4.74	93	4.27	85 1/4	4.29
14	4.03	3.50	3.99	86 7/8	4.80	83	4.78	92 3/4	4.29	85	4.31
21	4.08	3.35	4.05	86 1/2	4.88	82 3/4	4.81	92 3/4	4.29	84 1/2	4.35
28	4.03	3.50	4.12	86 1/2	4.88	82 3/4	4.81	93	4.27	84 1/2	4.35
Sept. 4	4.01	3.57	4.22	87 1/4	4.76	83 1/4	4.76	93	4.27	85	4.31
11	4.00	3.58	4.23	87 1/8	4.78	83 1/4	4.76	93	4.27	85	4.31
18	3.93	3.63	6.60	88 3/8	4.60	83 6/8	4.71	93	4.27	84 3/4	4.33
25	3.80	3.54	6.60	88 5/8	4.57	84	4.66	93	4.27	85	4.31
Oct. 2	3.84	3.53	6.61	88 1/2	4.59	84	4.67	93 1/4	4.25	85 1/4	4.25
9	3.87	3.53	6.60	88 5/8	4.57	84 1/2	4.60	93 1/4	4.25	86 1/4	4.22
16	3.88	3.66	6.60	89 1/8	4.50	86	4.41	93 1/2	4.23	87 1/4	4.14
23	3.83	3.62	6.60	90 1/4	4.34	86 1/2	4.35	94	4.19	88	4.08
30	3.80	3.62	6.59	90 6/8	4.29	87 1/4	4.25	94 3/4	4.13	88 1/4	4.06
Nov. 6	3.79	3.57	6.59	91 1/2	4.16	87 7/8	4.18	94 3/4	4.14	88 3/4	4.03
13	3.74	3.47	6.58	92 1/2	4.02	89 1/2	3.98	95	4.12	89	4.01
20	3.51	3.15	6.47	94 6/8	3.73	91 5/8	3.71	97	3.97	90 1/4	3.92
27	3.58	3.16	6.46	94 6/8	3.73	92	3.67	97 3/4	3.91	92	3.79
Dec. 4	3.67	3.11	6.46	94 1/8	3.79	91 1/2	3.74	98 3/4	3.84	91 3/4	3.81
11	3.67	2.99	6.46	94 1/8	3.79	91 3/4	3.71	99	3.82	91 1/2	3.83
18	3.64	3.14	6.44	94 3/8	3.76	92 1/8	3.66	99 1/4	3.80	92	3.79
24	3.62	3.17	6.37	94 3/8	3.76	92 1/8	3.66	99 1/2	3.79	92	3.79
31	3.60	2.75	6.33	94 3/8	3.76	92 1/8	3.66	99 1/4	3.80	91 7/8	3.80

1. Government bond prices are closing bids at the Wednesday date for Canadian and United States issues. Prices of the United Kingdom Apr. 15/59–60 issue are closing transactions at the Wednesday date and of the United Kingdom Aug. 15/65–75 issue are approximate mid-market transactions at the Wednesday date. All prices exclude accrued interest.
2. Market yields are based on the prices shown and are expressed as per cent per annum to maturity date if at a discount and to earliest call date if at a premium.

NOTE: For 1950–1952 data see pages 52–55 in the "Financial Supplement 1954

BOND PRICES[1] AND MARKET YIELDS[2]

ISSUES[3]

ES, UNITED KINGDOM

Canada

United States						United Kingdom				
2½% Dec. 15/63–68		2½% Dec. 15/67–72		3¼% June 15/78–83		3% Apr. 15/59–69		3% Aug. 15/65–75		
Price	Yield	Price	Yield	Price	Yield	Price	Yield	Price	Yield	
U.S. $		*U.S. $*		*U.S. $*		£		£		**Wednesdays**
96 1/2	2.83	95 3/4	2.82	105 3/4	2.90	80 13/32	5.04	77	4.83	25 Jan. — 1956
96 15/32	2.83	95 21/32	2.83	105 11/16	2.90	80 1/2	5.06	76 7/8	4.85	29 Feb.
94 23/32	3.00	93 15/16	2.96	104 1/32	3.00	79 1/32	5.23	75 1/32	5.03	28 Mar.
93 23/32	3.10	92 25/32	3.06	102 1/8	3.12	80 13/32	5.08	75 13/16	4.96	25 Apr.
95 13/16	2.90	95 1/4	2.86	104 5/16	2.98	79	5.27	74 3/4	5.07	30 May
95 9/16	2.96	94 9/16	2.92	104 1/4	2.99	77 19/32	5.45	73 3/32	5.24	27 June
93 31/32	3.09	93 7/32	3.03	102 7/16	3.12	77 27/32	5.43	72 1/16	5.36	25 July
91 15/32	3.35	90 15/16	3.22	100 1/32	3.25	79 1/4	5.28	74 1/4	5.14	29 Aug.
92 6/16	3.27	91 13/16	3.15	100 1/8	3.24	77 17/32	5.51	72 5/32	5.37	26 Sept.
91 11/16	3.34	90 23/32	3.24	99 3/16	3.30	78 3/4	5.37	72 3/8	5.35	31 Oct.
90 31/32	3.42	89 13/32	3.34	98 1/4	3.35	77 3/4	5.49	71 1/4	5.47	28 Nov.
90 15/32	3.48	88 9/16	3.44	97 1/2	3.39	78 13/32	5.43	72 13/32	5.36	26 Dec.
92 9/16	3.26	91 9/16	3.18	99 1/4	3.29	83	4.86	77 5/8	4.84	30 Jan. — 1957
91 13/32	3.34	90 9/16	3.27	99 5/16	3.29	82 5/8	4.91	76 31/32	4.91	27 Feb.
92 9/16	3.27	91 1/8	3.19	99 1/2	3.30	81 13/32	5.05	75 17/32	5.06	27 Mar.
91 1/16	3.44	89 7/8	3.33	97 7/16	3.41	81 1/4	5.11	75	5.12	24 Apr.
89 1/2	3.62	88 7/16	3.47	96 5/8	3.48	79 6/16	5.38	72 29/32	5.36	29 May
87 1/4	3.89	86 3/8	3.66	93 7/8	3.61	78 1/32	5.45	70 9/16	5.60	26 June
87 1/2	3.87	86 13/16	3.63	93 1/4	3.66	79 9/16	5.38	70 3/4	5.59	31 July
88 1/4	3.78	87 7/16	3.57	93	3.67	78 29/32	5.30	69 31/32	5.78	28 Aug.
88	3.82	86 7/16	3.67	93 3/8	3.65	77 23/32	5.65	68 25/32	5.89	25 Sept.
87 16/16	3.84	86 1/8	3.70	92 5/8	3.70	77 7/8	5.63	68 9/8	5.86	30 Oct.
92 7/8	3.27	91 3/8	3.23	97 3/16	3.42	77 1/32	5.78	67 25/32	5.97	27 Nov.
95 7/16	2.99	93 3/16	3.07	100 1/8	3.24	77 1/8	5.80	69 1/8	5.83	31 Dec.
										Weekly
87 3/4	3.84	87 1/4	3.58	94 3/8	3.59	77 23/32	5.61	70 1/2	5.62	10 July — 1957
87 5/8	3.85	87	3.61	94 3/16	3.60	77	5.71	69 1/4	5.76	17
86 15/16	3.93	86 6/16	3.66	93 5/16	3.65	78 6/8	5.49	70 5/16	5.64	24
87 1/2	3.87	86 13/16	3.63	93 1/4	3.66	79 9/16	5.38	70 3/4	5.59	31
87 7/8	3.83	87 1/16	3.61	92 7/8	3.68	80 1/16	5.30	71 5/16	5.53	7 Aug.
87 1/2	3.87	86 11/16	3.64	92 7/16	3.71	79 3/4	5.36	70 3/8	5.63	14
88 1/16	3.81	87 3/8	3.57	93 5/16	3.65	78 15/16	5.46	69 1/16	5.78	21
88 1/4	3.78	87 7/16	3.57	93	3.67	78 29/32	5.46	69 31/32	5.78	28
89	3.70	88	3.52	93 11/16	3.63	78 19/32	5.53	68 19/32	5.84	4 Sept.
88 3/4	3.73	87 11/16	3.55	94 1/8	3.60	79 28/32	5.37	69 21/32	5.76	11
88	3.82	86 11/16	3.65	93	3.67	80 3/32	5.32	70 11/32	5.64	18
88	3.82	86 7/16	3.67	93 3/8	3.65	77 23/32	5.65	68 5/32	5.89	25
87 7/8	3.84	86 1/2	3.66	93 5/8	3.63	77 11/32	5.71	68 3/32	5.91	2 Oct.
88 3/16	3.81	86 3/4	3.65	93 3/16	3.66	77 17/32	5.69	68 15/16	5.81	9
87 1/2	3.89	85 13/16	3.73	92 5/8	3.70	78	5.61	68 15/16	5.81	16
87 13/16	3.85	86	3.72	92 5/8	3.70	78 3/16	5.58	68 13/16	5.84	23
87 15/16	3.84	86 1/8	3.70	92 5/8	3.70	77 7/8	5.63	68 5/8	5.86	30
89 1/16	3.71	87 1/2	3.58	93 5/8	3.63	77 3/8	5.73	68 1/16	5.93	6 Nov.
89 5/8	3.65	88	3.53	94 1/4	3.60	77 1/2	5.71	68 1/8	5.92	13
92 1/8	3.36	90 7/16	3.31	96 3/8	3.46	77 13/32	5.70	68 1/8	5.92	20
92 7/8	3.27	91 3/8	3.23	97 3/16	3.42	77 1/32	5.78	67 29/32	5.97	27
94 1/4	3.12	92 11/16	3.11	99 1/16	3.30	77 7/32	5.77	68 7/32	5.93	4 Dec.
95 3/8	3.00	93 1/4	3.06	100	3.25	77 9/32	5.76	68 17/32	5.89	11
95	3.04	92 7/8	3.10	99 11/16	3.27	77 3/32	5.78	68 11/32	5.91	18
94 3/8	3.07	92 9/16	3.13	99 9/16	3.28	77 3/16	5.77	68 1/32	5.95	24
95 7/16	2.99	93 3/16	3.07	100 1/8	3.24	77 1/8	5.80	69 1/8	5.83	31

3. On Jan. 1st, 1957 the amounts outstanding for the four Canadian bond issues were $1,692 million, $350 million, $100 million, and $400 million respectively; for the three United States bond issues, $2,824 million, $3,785 million, and $1,606 million respectively; and for the two United Kingdom bond issues £296 million and £1,073 million respectively.
4. Treasury Bill tender rates are at the date nearest the Wednesday shown. In Canada tenders are received on Thursday, in the United States on Monday, and in the United Kingdom on Friday.

AND FOR 1953–1956 DATA SEE PAGES 44–51 IN THE "FINANCIAL SUPPLEMENT 1956".

SECURITY ISSUES AND RETIREMENTS★

Bank of Canada

Par Values in Millions of Canadian Dollars

Total Provincial, Municipal, Corporate and "Other" Bonds, Debentures and Stocks

	Gross New Issues			Retirements			Net New Issues		
	Canadian Dollars Only	Other Currencies [1]	Total	Canadian Dollars Only	Other Currencies [1]	Total	Canadian Dollars Only	Other Currencies [1]	**Total**
Calendar Years									
1952	1,242	299	1,541	393	55	448	849	244	**1,093**
1953	1,138†	354	1,492†	385	58	443	753†	296	**1,049†**
1954	1,572†	263	1,835†	519	122	641	1,053†	141	**1,194†**
1955	1,889†	95†	1,984†	639	124†	763†	1,250†	−29	**1,221†**
1956	2,176	554	2,730	418	66	484	1,758	488	**2,246**
Quarters									
1956—I	473	120†	593†	110	12	122†	363	108†	**471†**
II	568†	133†	701†	116	12	128	452†	121†	**573†**
III	545†	165†	710†	87	8	95	458†	157†	**615†**
IV	590	136	726	105	34	139	485	102	**587**
1957—I	525	224	749	145	47	192	380	177	**557**
II	632	241	873	94	70	164	538	171	**709**
III	422	127	549	84	21	105	338	106	**444**

Provincial Direct and Guaranteed Bonds and Debentures

	Gross New Issues			Retirements [2]			Net New Issues		
	Canadian Dollars Only	Other Currencies	Total	Canadian Dollars Only	Other Currencies	Total	Canadian Dollars Only	Other Currencies	**Total**
Calendar Years									
1952	355	93	448	102	35	137	253	58	**311**
1953	251	140	391	91	28	119	160	112	**272**
1954	380	116	496	133	69	202	247	47	**294**
1955	372	–	372	111	50	161	261	−50	**211**
1956	418	214	632	72	23	95	346	191	**537**
Monthly									
1956—Jan.	65	87	152	2	2	4	63	85	**148**
Feb.	–	5	5	2	2	4	−2	3	**1**
Mar.	14	–	14	7	–	7	7	–	**7**
I	79	92	171	11	4	15	68	88	**156**
Apr.	9	–	9	9	–	9	–	–	**–**
May	65	50	115	1	2	3	64	48	**112**
June	5	–	5	19	4	23	−14	−4	**−18**
II	79	50	129	29	6	35	50	44	**94**
July	81	39	120	10	1	11	71	38	**109**
Aug.	9	–	9	2	1	3	7	−1	**6**
Sept.	4	–	4	4	1	5	–	−1	**−1**
III	94	39	133	16	3	19	78	36	**114**
Oct.	84	–	84	3	–	3	81	–	**81**
Nov.	8	–	8	7	1	8	1	−1	**–**
Dec.	74	33	107	6	9	15	68	24	**92**
IV	166	33	199	16	10	26	150	23	**173**
1957—Jan.	36	15	51	8	3	11	28	12	**40**
Feb.	54	48	102	5	2	7	49	46	**95**
Mar.	30	–	30	66	–	66	−36	–	**−36**
I	120	63	183	79	5	84	41	58	**99**
Apr.	125	3	128	1	2	3	124	1	**125**
May	6	43	49	5	6	11	1	37	**38**
June	10	–	10	4	55	59	6	−55	**−49**
II	141	46	187	10	63	73	131	−17	**114**
July	83	–	83	17	1	18	66	−1	**65**
Aug.	6	–	6	1	9	10	5	−9	**−4**
Sept.	9	–	9	3	3	6	6	−3	**3**
III	98	–	98	21	13	34	77	−13	**64**
Oct.	46	–	46	4	–	4	42	–	**42**
Nov.	89	–	89	–	3	3	89	−3	**86**

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Details of Government of Canada Direct and Guaranteed Securities are shown on pages 394–395.

1. Includes Canadian stock issues with dividends payable in U.S. dollars.
2. Excludes payments into sinking funds.
3. Excludes issues guaranteed by provinces which are already included in "Provincial Direct and Guaranteed". Also excludes issues sold directly to provinces which are estimated to be as follows:

	Gross New Issues	Retirements	Net New Issues
1952	23	2	21
1953	42	3	39
1954	39	4	35
1955	45	11	34
1956	57	9	48

NOTE: Data for calendar year 1952 and first half of 1955 for most of these series, see pages 56–57 in the "Financial Supplement 1956".

Par Values in Millions of Canadian Dollars

Total Provincial, Municipal, Corporate and "Other" Bonds and Debentures

Gross New Issues			Retirements			Net New Issues			
Canadian Dollars Only	Other Currencies	Total	Canadian Dollars Only	Other Currencies	Total	Canadian Dollars Only	Other Currencies	**Total**	
990	299	1,289	380	55	435	610	244	**854**	**Calendar Years** 1952
877†	326	1,203†	332	58	390	545†	268	**813†**	1953
1,334†	262	1,596†	452	122	574	882†	140	**1,022†**	1954
1,396	51	1,447	567	121†	688†	829	−70†	**759†**	1955
1,485	551	2,036	405	66	471	1,080	485	**1,565**	1956
357	119	476	108	12	120	249	107	**356**	**Quarters** I—1956
378†	132	510†	111	12	123	267†	120	**387†**	II
306	164	470	83	8	91	223	156	**379**	III
444	136	580	103	34	137	341	102	**443**	IV
433	224	657	145	14	159	288	210	**498**	I—1957
491	241	732	93	70	163	398	171	**569**	II
202	127	329	84	21	105	118	106	**224**	III

Municipal Direct and Guaranteed Bonds and Debentures [3]

Gross New Issues			Retirements			Net New Issues			
Canadian Dollars Only	Other Currencies	Total	Canadian Dollars Only [4]	Other Currencies	Total	Canadian Dollars Only	Other Currencies	**Total**	
189	49	238	81	8	89	108	41	**149**	**Calendar Years** 1952
221	72	293	86	17	103	135	55	**190**	1953
340	31	371	89	20	109	251	11	**262**	1954
291	42	333	98	25	123	193	17	**210**	1955
235	108	343	112	24	136	123	84	**207**	1956
38	5	43	27	3	30	11	2	**13**	**Quarterly** I—1956
98	32	130	28	4	32	70	28	**98**	II
32	59	91	28	2	30	4	57	**61**	III
67	12	79	29	15	44	38	−3	**35**	IV
61	32	93	30	3	33	31	29	**60**	I—1957
55	8	63	30	5	35	25	3	**28**	II
46	64	110	31	3	34	15	61	**76**	III

Corporate and "Other" Bonds, Debentures and Stocks [5]

Gross New Issues			Retirements			Net New Issues			
Canadian Dollars Only	Other Currencies [1]	Total	Canadian Dollars Only	Other Currencies [1]	Total	Canadian Dollars Only	Other Currencies [1]	**Total**	
698	157	855	210	12	222	488	145	**633**	**Calendar Years** 1952
666†	142	808†	208	13	221	458†	129	**587†**	1953
852†	116	968†	297	33	330	555†	83	**638†**	1954
1,226†	53†	1,279†	430	49†	479†	796†	4	**800†**	1955
1,523	232	1,755	234	19	253	1,289	213	**1,502**	1956
356	23†	379†	72	5	77	284	18†	**302†**	**Quarterly** I—1956
391†	51†	442†	59	2	61	332†	49†	**381†**	II
419†	67†	486†	43	3	46	376†	64†	**440†**	III
357	91	448	60	9	69	297	82	**379**	IV
344	129	473	36	39	75	308	90	**398**	I—1957
436	187	623	54	2	56	382	185	**567**	II
278	63	341	32	5	37	246	58	**304**	III

4. No information is available on retirements of Canadian dollar municipal bonds on a quarterly basis and annual estimates have been prorated over the four quarters.

5. For details see table on page 402.

† Revised.

CORPORATE AND "OTHER" SECURITY ISSUES AND RETIREMENTS★

Par Values in Millions of Canadian Dollars — *Bank of Canada*

	Corporate Bonds and Debentures [1]								
	Gross New Issues			Retirements			Net New Issues		
	Canadian Dollars Only	Other Currencies	Total	Canadian Dollars Only	Other Currencies	Total	Canadian Dollars Only	Other Currencies	Total
Calendar Years									
1952	419	157	576	191	12	203	228	145	**373**
1953	402†	114	516†	148	13	161	254†	101	**355†**
1954	579†	115	694†	218	33	251	361†	82	**443†**
1955	681	9	690	331	46†	377†	350	−37†	**313†**
1956	819	229	1,048	212	19	231	607	210	**817**
Monthly									
1956—Jan.	90	1	91						
Feb.	56	20	76						
Mar.	90	1	91						
I	236	22	258	68	5	73	168	17	**185**
Apr.	91	–	91						
May	55	17	72						
June	52	33	85						
II	198	50	248	52	2	54	146	48	**194**
July	65	39	104						
Aug.	24	–	24						
Sept.	90	27	117						
III	179	66	245	37	3	40	142	63	**205**
Oct.	62	5	67						
Nov.	77	57	134						
Dec.	67	29	96						
IV	206	91	297	55	9	64	151	82	**233**
1957—Jan.	48	39	87						
Feb.	130	80	210						
Mar.	65	10	75						
I	243	129	372	34	6	40	209	123	**332**
Apr.	153	140	293						
May	71	18	89						
June	71	29	100						
II	295	187	482	51	2	53	244	185	**429**
July	22	11	33						
Aug.	5	2	7						
Sept.	31	50	81						
III	58	63	121	31	5	36	27	58	**85**
Oct.	43	–	43						
Nov.	42	–	42						

	"Other" Bonds and Debentures [2]			Preferred Stocks			Common Stocks		
	Gross New Issues	Retirements	Net New Issues	Gross New Issues [3]	Retirements [4]	Net New Issues	Gross New Issues [3, 5]	Retirements	Net New Issues
Calendar Years									
1952	27	6	**21**	29	13	**16**	223	–	**223**
1953	3	7	**−4**	83	32	**51**	206	21	**185**
1954	35	12	**23**	92	66	**26**	147	1	**146**
1955	52	27	**25**	170	75	**95**	367†	–	**367†**
1956	13	9	**4**	184	13	**171**	510	–	**510**
Quarters									
1956—I	4	2	**2**	33	2	**31**	84†	–	**84†**
II	3	2	**1**	83	5	**78**	108†	–	**108†**
III	1	2	**−1**	34	4	**30**	206†	–	**206†**
IV	5	3	**2**	34	2	**32**	112	–	**112**
1957—I	9	2	**7**	19	33	**−14**	73	–	**73**
II	–	2	**−2**	14	1	**13**	127	–	**127**
III	–	1	**−1**	62	–	**62**	158	–	**158**

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1. Includes issues of Canadian corporations (including CNR issues not guaranteed by the Government of Canada) payable in Canadian dollars or other currencies except in those few cases where issues are sold abroad in foreign currencies and the proceeds are used outside Canada. Also includes Canadian dollar issues of foreign corporations when the proceeds are used in Canada. No liabilities of trust and loan companies are included.
2. Consists of issues of Canadian religious and other institutions and Canadian dollar issues of Australia and I.B.R.D. New issues of Australia amounted to $15 million in 1955 and those of I.B.R.D. amounted to $15 million in 1952, $25 million in 1954, and $15 million in 1955 and retirements to $15 million in 1955. These are all Canadian dollar issues.
3. At offering prices.
4. Includes retirement of $3 million stock in third quarter 1955 and of $33 million stock in first quarter of 1957 having dividends payable in U.S. dollars.
5. Includes stock issues having dividends payable in U.S. dollars of $28 million in 1953, $1 million in 1954, $43 million in the first quarter of 1955 and $1 million in the second quarter of 1955, and $3 million in 1956.

† Revised.

NOTE: For calendar year 1952 and first half of 1955 data see page 58 in the "Financial Supplement 1956".

GOVERNMENT OF CANADA THEORETICAL BOND YIELDS [1]

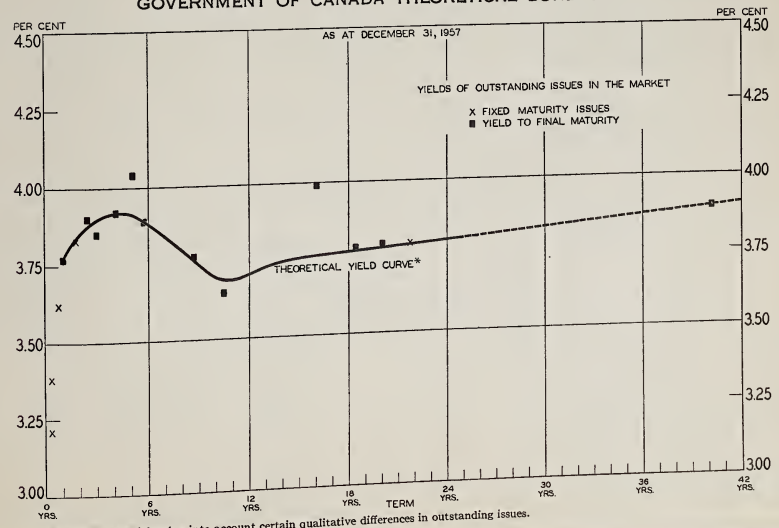
Percent per Annum — *Bank of Canada*

	1 Year	2 Years	3 Years	5 Years	10 Years	15 Years	20 Years	25 Years
1956—Sept. 15	3.87	3.94	3.96	3.91	3.79	3.78	3.78	3.78
29	3.80	3.95	4.01	4.05	3.87	3.88	3.88	3.88
Oct. 15	3.82	3.97	4.03	4.05	3.86	3.85	3.84	3.84
31	4.03	4.12	4.17	4.19	3.94	3.90	3.87	3.85
Nov. 15	4.11	4.24	4.35	4.41	4.02	3.93	3.90	3.89
30	4.32	4.46	4.50	4.51	4.13	3.98	3.93	3.92
Dec. 14	4.32	4.48	4.51	4.51	4.08	3.97	3.95	3.94
31	4.41	4.56	4.60	4.60	4.10	4.01	4.00	3.99
1957—Jan. 15	4.62	4.84	4.84	4.67	4.23	4.13	4.10	4.08
31	4.74	4.80	4.81	4.79	4.28	4.18	4.16	4.13
Feb. 15	4.43	4.49	4.52	4.54	4.05	4.03	4.02	4.01
28	4.08	4.26	4.38	4.45	4.03	4.00	3.98	3.97
Mar. 15	4.07	4.21	4.29	4.35	4.05	4.01	3.97	3.95
29	4.18	4.29	4.37	4.41	4.13	4.06	3.99	3.95
Apr. 15	4.14	4.34	4.43	4.49	4.20	4.10	4.00	3.94
30	4.18	4.49	4.58	4.61	4.35	4.16	4.01	3.96
May 15	4.25	4.58	4.64	4.64	4.40	4.27	4.15	4.11
31	4.33	4.68	4.74	4.69	4.46	4.31	4.17	4.14
June 15	4.30	4.65	4.73	4.77	4.47	4.30	4.16	4.14
28	4.35	4.72	4.81	4.82	4.56	4.37	4.20	4.18
July 15	4.38	4.70	4.80	4.84	4.61	4.42	4.25	4.22
31	4.23	4.68	4.76	4.79	4.64	4.45	4.26	4.24
Aug. 15	4.77	4.90	4.95	4.95	4.81	4.56	4.30	4.27
30	4.60	4.84	4.89	4.90	4.72	4.52	4.32	4.26
Sept. 13	4.83	4.94	4.97	4.93	4.73	4.54	4.34	4.29
30	4.83	4.86	4.85	4.78	4.57	4.42	4.27	4.27
Oct. 15	4.78	4.80	4.78	4.68	4.43	4.30	4.18	4.17
31	4.45	4.48	4.49	4.44	4.20	4.12	4.05	4.06
Nov. 15	3.83	3.90	3.94	3.97	3.89	3.92	3.96	3.99
29	3.85	3.88	3.91	3.91	3.70	3.74	3.77	3.80
Dec. 13	3.79	3.88	3.93	3.92	3.71	3.75	3.78	3.81
31	3.77	3.85	3.90	3.91	3.70	3.75	3.78	3.81

1. Obtained as indicated by chart below.

NOTE: For 1952 data see page 38 in the "Financial Supplement 1955" and for 1953–1956 data see pages 42–43 in the "Financial Supplement 1956".

GOVERNMENT OF CANADA THEORETICAL BOND YIELDS



* Free-hand curve which takes into account certain qualitative differences in outstanding issues.

INSTALMENT FINANCE COMPANIES : RETAIL AND WHOLESALE FINANCING

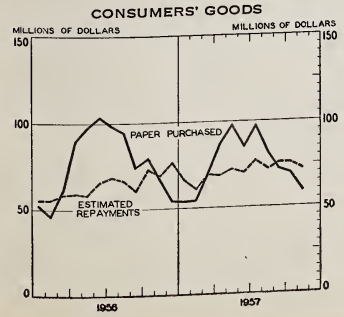
Dominion Bureau of Statistics

Millions of Dollars

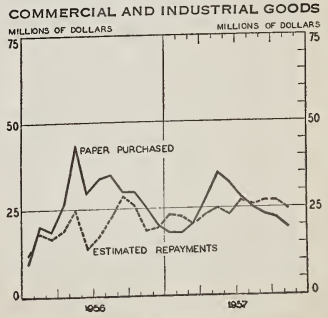
	Consumers' Goods									Commercial and Industrial Goods									Total Retail			
	Paper Purchased			Estimated Repayments [1]			Balances Outstanding (end of period)			Paper Purchased			Estimated Repayments [1]			Balances Outstanding (end of period)				Estimated Repayments [1]	Balances Outstanding (end of period)	
	Passenger Cars [2]	Other	Total	Passenger Cars [2]	Other	Total	Passenger Cars [2]	Other	Total	Comm. Vehicles [2]	Other	Total	Comm. Vehicles [2]	Other	Total	Comm. Vehicles [2]	Other	Total	Paper Purchased			
Calendar Years																						**Calendar Years**
1951	255	45	300	262	55	317	161	24	185	128	40	168	99	32	131	95	33	128	467	447	313	1951
1952	477	114	591	339	64	403	299	74	373	162	66	228	137	52	189	120	47	167	819	592	540	1952
1953	574	145	719	462	114	576	411	105	516	153	76	229	150	62	212	123	61	184	948	787	701	1953
1954	507	124	631	524	131	655	394	98	492	111	63	174	130	64	194	104	60	164	805	850	656	1954
1955	604	156	759	519	132	652	478	121	599	123	95	218	121	70	190	106	85	192	977	842	791	1955
1956	746	179	925	611	157	768	614	143	756	165	159	324	133	104	236	138	141	279	1,248	1,004	1,035	1956
Quarterly																						**Quarterly**
1955—I	101	33	134	106	27	134	388	103	492	19	15	35	33	17	50	91	58	149	168	184	640	I—1955
II	196	34	229	130	35	165	454	102	555	36	27	63	30	13	43	96	72	169	292	208	724	II
III	185	41	226	141	34	175	498	109	607	38	26	64	29	19	48	105	80	185	290	222	792	III
IV	122	48	170	142	36	178	478	121	599	30	26	56	29	21	50	106	85	192	227	228	791	IV
Monthly																						**Monthly**
1956—Jan.	34	19	53			55			597	8	2	10			12			189	62	67	786	Jan.—1956
Feb.	40	7	47			55			588	8	12	20			18			192	67	73	780	Feb.
Mar.	52	14	66			59	470	127	596	10	9	19	107	86	193				85	76	790	Mar.
I	127	39	166	135	34	169				27	22	49	26	21	47				214	216		I
Apr.	76	14	90			59			627	13	13	27			19			201	116	78	828	Apr.
May	88	9	98			59			666	19	24	43			25			220	141	83	886	May
June	82	21	103			66	572	132	703	18	12	30	124	112	236				133	80	939	June
II	246	45	291	144	40	184				51	49	100	34	24	58				390	241		II
July	85	14	99			68			734	17	17	34			17			252	132	85	986	July
Aug.	79	16	94			67			761	17	18	34			22			265	129	89	1,026	Aug.
Sept.	58	16	74			61	637	137	775	14	16	30	137	129	266				104	90	1,040	Sept.
III	221	46	267	156	40	196				47	51	98	35	33	68				365	264		III
Oct.	61	19	80			73			781	15	15	30			26			270	109	99	1,051	Oct.
Nov.	51	16	67			69			779	14	13	27			19			278	94	88	1,056	Nov.
Dec.	40	14	54			77	614	143	756	11	10	20	138	141	279				75	96	1,035	Dec.
IV	152	49	201	176	43	219				40	37	77	39	25	64				278	283		IV
1957—Jan.	42	11	54			67			743	11	7	18			23			274	72	90	1,017	Jan.—1957
Feb.	44	10	54			61			736	10	8	18			23			269	72	84	1,006	Feb.
Mar.	59	11	69			69	601	135	736	12	9	21	135	134	270				90	90	1,006	Mar.
I	145	32	177	157	40	197				33	24	57	36	31	66				234	263		I
Apr.	75	12	87			67			757	14	13	27			23			274	114	89	1,031	Apr.
May	82	15	97			72			781	19	16	35			25			284	131	98	1,064	May
June	72	13	85			70	660	136	796	16	16	32	146	147	293				117	93	1,088	June
II	229	39	268	171	39	209				49	45	94	38	32	71				362	280		II
July	82	15	97			77			815	14	14	28			27			294	125	104	1,110	July
Aug.	70	12	82			72			825	13	12	25			26			293	107	98	1,119	Aug.
Sept.	59	14	72			76	683	138	821	11	12	23	146	143	289				95	103	1,110	Sept.
III	210	41	251	186	39	225				38	38	76	38	42	80				327	305		III
Oct.	56	13	69			77†			814	11	11	22			27			285	92†	103	1,099	Oct.
Nov.	46	12	58			72			801	9	10	19			24			279	77	96	1,079	Nov.

	Wholesale			Total Retail and Wholesale			Average Repayment Terms on Retail Paper Purchased (months)			
							Consumers' Goods		Commercial and Industrial Goods	
	Paper Purchased	Estimated Repayments [1]	Balances Outstanding (end of period)	Paper Purchased	Estimated Repayments [1]	Balances Outstanding (end of period)	Passenger Cars [2]	Other	Comm. Vehicles [2]	Other
Calendar Years										
1956	1,213	*	182	2,461	*	1,217	20.4	18.4	20.1	19.1
Quarterly										
1956—II	447	419	226	837	660	1,165	20.4	18.6	20.0	18.5
III	241	323	144	606	587	1,184	20.6	18.5	20.3	19.3
IV	268	230	182	546	513	1,217	20.2	18.3	20.0	19.0
1957—I	347	268	261	581	531	1,267	19.6	18.0	19.2	19.5
II	380	388	253	742	668	1,341	19.8	18.3	19.5	19.7
III	224	295	182	551	600	1,292	*	*	*	*

1. Repayments are estimated by subtracting the net change in balances outstanding during a period from the paper purchased. The figure therefore also includes cancellations and any other adjustments to the two reported series. 2. New and used vehicles. * Not available. † Revised.



RETAIL FINANCING



FINANCE COMPANY AND RETAIL DEALER CREDIT EXTENDED TO CONSUMERS

BALANCES OUTSTANDING

Millions of Dollars

	Instalment Finance Companies 1	Small Loan Companies 2: Instalment Credit 1	Small Loan Companies 2: Cash Loans 3	Department Stores: Instalment Credit: Conditional Sale Agreements	Department Stores: Instalment Credit: Other Deferred Payment Plans	Department Stores: Charge Accounts	Sub-Total	Other Retail Dealers 4: Instalment Credit	Other Retail Dealers 4: Charge Accounts	Total Finance Companies and Retail Dealers 5
As at Dec. 31										
1951	186	–	114	27	51		378	96	232	**706**
1952	373	–	148	80	61		662	163	248	**1,073**
1953	516	3	173	101	66		859	183	274	**1,316**
1954	492	6	209	116	70		893	206	293	**1,392**
1955	599	6	273	147	80		1,105	230	294	**1,629**
1956	756	13	343	161	83		1,356	248	306	**1,910**
End of										
1956—July	734	10	324	140	61		1,269	*	*	*
Aug.	761	10	330	141	59		1,301	*	*	*
Sept.	775	11	329	144	66		1,325	233	283	**1,841**
Oct.	781	12	327	147	67		1,334	*	*	*
Nov.	779	12	333	152	70		1,346	*	*	*
Dec.	756	13	343	161	83		1,356	248	306	**1,910**
1957—Jan.	743	14	337	158	75		1,327	*	*	*
Feb.	736	14	335	154	69		1,308	*	*	*
Mar.	736	14	334	149	27	38	1,298	246†	272†	**1,816**
Apr.	757	14	336	151	28	41	1,327	*	*	*
May	781	14	338	151	28	41	1,353	*	*	*
June	796	14	342	150	29	42	1,373	252†	276†	**1,901†**
July	815	14	343	149	28	36	1,385	*	*	*
Aug.	825	14	346	150	27	37	1,399	*	*	*
Sept.	821	14	343	153	28	41†	1,400†	*	*	*
Oct.	814	15	340	156	28	43†	1,396†	*	*	*
Nov.	801	15	343	163	29	45	1,396	*	*	*

SOURCES: Dominion Bureau of Statistics, Department of Insurance, Bank of Canada.

1. Conditional sale agreements held in connection with the financing of retail purchases of consumers' goods.
2. Companies licensed under the Small Loans Act.
3. Cash loans with no conditional sale contract but usually repaid in instalments.
4. Data are based on DBS series. Excluded from these figures are charge accounts and instalment credit of certain categories of dealers whose credit is extended mainly to farmers and other businesses rather than to consumers. From 1951 to 1956 instalment credit includes conditional sale agreements only. Commencing March 1957 it also includes other deferred payment plans which previously had been included in charge accounts.
5. In addition to the items shown here, quarterly figures are available on the use of oil companies' credit cards from Dec. 1955 on. Balances were as follows:

Dec. 1955	20	Sept. 1956	28	Mar. 1957	25
Mar. 1956	19	Dec. 1956	26	June 1957	27
June 1956	23				

* Not available. † Revised.

SELECTED LOANS EXTENDED MAINLY TO INDIVIDUALS FOR NON-BUSINESS PURPOSES BY CERTAIN FINANCIAL INSTITUTIONS★

BALANCES OUTSTANDING

Millions of Dollars

	Chartered Banks Personal Loans: Fully Secured By Marketable Bonds & Stocks 1	Chartered Banks Personal Loans: Home Improvement Loans	Chartered Banks Personal Loans: Other	Quebec Savings Banks	Credit Unions	Life Insurance Companies Policy Loans 2
As at Dec. 31						
1951	226	–	204	5	76	199
1952	258	–	242	6	94	213
1953	269	–	308	8	129	225
1954	253	–	352	7	151	240
1955	339	24	441	8	174	250
1956	324	38	435	11	230**	270
End of						
1956—July	*	*	*	8	*	262
Aug.	*	*	*	9	*	264
Sept.	355	36	444	9	*	266
Oct.	*	*	*	10	*	268
Nov.	*	*	*	12	*	269
Dec.	324	38	435	11	230**	270
1957—Jan.	*	*	*	12	*	272
Feb.	*	*	*	13	*	274
Mar.	300	39	416	14	*	277
Apr.	*	*	*	13	*	279
May	*	*	*	11	*	282
June	303	41	429	11	*	283
July	*	*	*	11	*	285
Aug.	*	*	*	11	*	287
Sept.	282	46	420	11	*	289
Oct.	*	*	*	10	*	291
Nov.	*	*	*	18	*	292

SOURCES: Dept. of Finance, Dept. of Agriculture, Bank of Canada.

★ The table does not include loans of finance companies (which are shown on pages 404, 405 and in table at top of this page) nor of trust and loan companies, mortgage loans on residential real estate and loans of some other financial institutions for which similar data are not available.

1. Excludes loans to finance purchase of Canada Savings Bonds.
2. Figures for dates other than year ends are estimated on the basis of the loans made by twelve companies (see page 407).

* Not available.
** Preliminary.

NOTE: FOR DATA BACK TO MARCH 1951 FOR BOTH THE ABOVE TABLES, SEE PAGES 338–339 IN THE "STATISTICAL SUMMARY", OCTOBER 1957.

CANADIAN INVESTMENT TRANSACTIONS OF TWELVE LIFE INSURANCE COMPANIES[1]

Millions of Dollars

Net Investment in:—		Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	Apr.	May	June	July	Aug.	Sept.	Oct.	Nov.	11 Month Total*	Dec.	Annual Total*
Govt. of Canada Bonds[2]	1954	-6.2	8.0	-14.6	-10.6	-30.0	-1.1	-11.4	-0.6	-10.4	7.6	-12.3	-81.5	-15.2	-96.7
	1955	7.4	-2.6	-11.4	15.8	-10.4	-15.1	-8.4	1.3	3.8	5.0	-2.7	-17.2	-22.2	-39.4
	1956	-10.7	-11.4	-17.9	-26.7	-9.1	-24.7	-21.5	-7.6	5.3	-6.3	-6.3	-136.7	-11.1	-147.8
	1957	-10.1	3.2	-5.2	-11.7	-1.3	1.3	1.1	3.3	-10.2	-8.2	2.4	-35.4		
Provincial Bonds[2]	1954	2.7	3.7	4.1	1.1	18.3	-2.5	2.9	-6.4	-3.8	1.2	-4.0	17.3	-2.2	15.1
	1955	-4.6	-2.0	16.2	-1.1	-0.6	-1.0	2.4	-6.3	-1.2	-0.9	-1.6	-0.8	-0.3	-1.0†
	1956	13.6	0.1	-8.5	0.4	12.0	-5.4	5.9	-3.6	-1.6	3.9	-1.2	15.5	2.1	17.7
	1957	1.7	4.5	0.3	13.0	-9.5	-8.6	1.1	-4.0	-1.8	1.0	3.1	0.6		
Municipal Bonds[2]	1954	0.3	0.9	3.0	2.9	1.1	0.9	3.1	1.2	1.3	1.1	0.6	16.3	0.4	16.8
	1955	2.6	2.1	0.9	-1.4	1.0	2.4	-0.7	3.2	0.7	1.4	2.1	14.4	8.1	22.6
	1956	1.7	3.7	0.7	2.8	1.9	9.7	3.1	0.7	-0.3	1.4	1.3	26.8	1.5	28.2
	1957	2.8	4.3	1.8	-0.2	-1.7	0.1	-1.0	1.4	0.5	1.4	0.1	9.4		
Corporate & Other Bonds	1954	9.4	5.8	18.7	17.3	3.6	7.9	6.1	0.2	10.8	-4.7	15.9	90.9	1.6	92.5
	1955	1.3	-2.3	8.0	-6.3	23.0	8.6	-1.1	-4.2	-8.8	-2.2	7.6	23.7	11.0	34.7
	1956	31.2	17.2	30.9	21.2	2.3	6.9	-1.7	8.1	-5.9	3.4	2.6	116.1	12.4	128.4
	1957	15.0	7.9	7.7	19.7	3.0	1.8	4.0	1.3	2.2	4.7	2.5	69.8		
Pref. & Com. Stocks	1954	-0.5	-0.5	-0.5	-0.4	-0.3	-0.1	-0.6	-0.7	-1.1	0.4	0.2	-4.0	0.9	-3.2
	1955	0.3	0.3	0.4	0.5	-0.2	-1.5	-1.5	-0.6	-0.5	-0.5	0.2	-3.2	4.3	1.1
	1956	0.1	0.5	-0.1†	0.1	0.2	1.2	0.6	-1.0	–	-0.3	-0.2	1.0	0.2	1.2†
	1957	-0.2	0.7	0.9	0.7	0.1	-0.9	-1.1	0.2	0.3	0.6	0.5	1.7		
Mortgage Loans (Gross)[3]	1954	22.2	19.0	22.0	21.3	24.8	29.4	32.6	34.4	38.7	33.0	42.2	319.6	37.5	357.1
	1955	33.8	26.8	28.0	23.8	33.7	38.3	45.5	44.0	46.8	41.0	40.4	402.1	39.3	441.3
	1956	35.9	27.6	27.5	27.4	34.5	46.6	45.7	50.7	45.1	52.5	45.0	438.4	40.2	478.6
	1957	37.5	25.6	25.6	24.1	33.8	39.9	48.0	34.5	31.4	34.0	26.6	361.0		
Real Estate[4]	1954	1.0	1.2	0.8	1.8	2.0	3.4	3.0	1.7	2.6	2.5	2.5	22.4	4.7	27.1
	1955	0.7	4.6	5.0	1.2	1.9	1.9	2.6	3.7	0.9	0.1	2.0	24.4	0.4	24.8
	1956	2.5	0.4	1.9	0.5	6.5	0.9	1.1	1.2	1.5	1.5	1.0	18.9	5.1	24.0
	1957	1.2	1.2	1.6	1.8	8.1	4.2	2.0	3.0	1.6	6.1	2.1	32.8		
Policy Loans	1954	1.0	0.8	1.2	1.3	1.2	1.3	1.0	0.9	1.1	1.0	0.7	11.5	0.6	12.1
	1955	0.8	0.6	1.0	0.9	0.8	0.9	0.7	0.5	0.7	0.6	0.3	7.8	0.3	8.1
	1956	0.8	0.9	1.0	1.2	2.0	2.2	1.5	1.6	1.7	1.8	1.3	15.9	0.5	16.5
	1957	1.7	1.9	1.9	2.1	2.0	1.6	1.3	1.6	1.9	1.7	0.8	18.4		
Total[5]	1954	29.9	38.9	34.7	34.7	20.7	39.2	36.7	30.7	39.2	42.1	45.8	392.5	28.3	420.8
	1955	42.4	27.5	48.0	33.2	49.2	34.4	39.5	41.8†	42.4	44.5	48.3	451.2	40.9	492.1†
	1956	75.1	38.9	35.4†	27.0	50.3	37.3	34.8	50.0	45.8	57.8	43.5	496.0	50.8	546.7†
	1957	49.6	49.1	34.7	49.5	34.5	39.3	55.3	41.3	25.9	41.2	38.0	458.5		
Net Source of Funds:—															
Mortgage Repayments (Gross)[3]	1954	11.3	10.3	11.8	10.4	11.7	10.8	12.1	11.5	12.1	12.1	12.7	126.6	10.1	136.7
	1955	14.2	11.0	13.1	11.7	14.1	13.6	13.0	13.5	13.2	14.3	14.4	146.1	12.4	158.5
	1956	15.6	12.5	13.2	14.4	17.2	15.3	17.2	15.0	14.1	22.6	14.9	172.1	13.5	185.6
	1957	16.0	12.9	14.1	14.9	15.8	14.7	19.0	15.3	16.5	15.8	19.3	174.1		
Funds Transferred From Abroad	1954	-2.5	–	2.6	-0.7	2.1	2.4	3.2	2.3	2.6	3.9	2.6	18.5	4.4	22.8
	1955	1.6	0.1	3.4	-0.1	4.0	1.6	4.8	1.4	0.4	6.6	-1.1	22.8	12.7	35.5
	1956	17.0	7.2	3.3	-8.5	5.8	2.0	3.0	9.2	8.1	19.4	7.3	73.6	8.9	82.5
	1957	2.3	6.0	4.3	4.3	-0.2	3.2	7.7	4.2	-11.0	-1.4	-1.2	18.1		
Balancing Item★	1954	21.1	28.6	20.3	25.0	6.9	26.0	21.4	16.9	24.5	26.1	30.5	247.4	13.8	261.3
	1955	26.6	16.5	31.5	21.6	31.1	19.2	21.7	26.8	28.8	23.5	34.9	282.3	15.8	298.2†
	1956	42.6	19.2	18.9†	21.0	27.3	20.0	14.6	25.9	23.6	15.9	21.3	250.3	28.4	278.6†
	1957	31.3	30.2	16.3	30.3	18.9	21.5	28.7	21.8	20.4	26.8	20.0	266.2		

1. Data are based on cash transactions affecting ledger assets and taking place in Canadian dollars, by 12 companies whose net premium income in Canada in 1956 was 77.6% of the total for all companies registered under the federal Insurance Acts. Total Canadian assets of these 12 companies at December 31, 1950 to 1956 are shown on page 87. 2. Includes guaranteed bonds. 3. Includes sale agreements. 4. Includes real estate for the production of income. 5. Includes gross mortgage loans. * Figures rounded to the nearest $100,000. Due to rounding, totals may not equal the sum of the monthly components. ★ Represents mainly Canadian dollars available from insurance operations *plus* any reduction or *minus* any increase in Canadian dollar cash balances. † Revised.

NOTE: FOR 1952 DATA SEE PAGE 56 IN THE "FINANCIAL SUPPLEMENT 1955" AND FOR 1953–1956 DATA SEE PAGE 63 IN THE "FINANCIAL SUPPLEMENT 1956".

FOREIGN EXCHANGE RATES[1]

Bank of Canada

Canadian cents per unit

Business Days	U.S. Dollar					£ Sterling				
	Spot Rates			Average Noon Rates[2]		Spot Rates			Average Noon Rates[2]	
	High	Low	Close	Spot	90-Day Forward Rate[2]	High	Low	Close	Spot	90-Day Forward Rate[2]
1951	107 6/16	101 3/16	101 3/16	105.28	104.92	300 1/2	281 3/8	281 3/8	294.68	294.71
1952	101 1/8	95 7/8	97 3/32	97.89	98.09	281 1/4	266 3/4	272 9/16	273.40	272.26
1953	99 25/32	96 3/4	97 3/8	98.34	98.66	280 15/16	272 3/8	273 5/8	276.66	277.02
1954	98 3/4	96 11/32	96 19/32	97.32	97.65	278 5/16	269	269	273.39	274.19
1955	100 1/16	96 15/32	99 29/32	98.63	98.62	280 7/16	268 3/4	280 9/32	275.35	274.23
1956	99 31/32	95 21/32	95 31/32	98.41	98.64	280 11/16	266 3/16	267 7/16	275.16	274.13
1957	98 5/8	94 7/32	98 13/32	95.88	96.25	276 13/16	262 11/32	276 1/2	267.88	267.33
1956—Oct.	97 5/8	96 21/32	97 1/4	97.32	97.69	271 7/8	268 31/32	270 5/8	271.06	270.54
Nov.	97 3/16	95 21/32	96 1/8	96.44	96.81	270 7/16	266 3/16	267 7/16	268.36	267.56
Dec.	96 25/32	95 25/32	95 31/32	96.05	96.66	268 5/8	266 13/16	267 7/16	267.54	266.62
1957—Jan.	96 11/32	95 27/32	95 7/8	96.07	96.57	269 1/4	267 11/16	268 1/4	268.63	268.65
Feb.	95 15/16	95 3/4	95 3/4	95.83	96.24	268 1/2	267 13/16	267 13/16	268.21	268.39
Mar.	95 13/16	95 1/2	95 21/32	95.61	96.06	267 27/32	266 1/2	266 21/32	267.10	267.47
Apr.	96 7/32	95 11/16	95 25/32	95.97	96.21	268 13/32	266 5/8	267 13/32	267.71	267.58
May	95 25/32	95 5/16	95 17/32	95.56	95.84	267 17/32	266 1/8	266 1/2	266.76	266.59
June	95 1/2	95 7/32	95 11/32	95.32	95.66	266 1/2	265 15/32	266 5/32	266.02	266.07
July	95 1/16	94 25/32	94 13/16	95.09	95.34	266 1/2	263 31/32	264 1/32	265.12	264.85
Aug.	95 3/8	94 7/32	95 1/16	94.80	95.21	265 13/32	262 11/32	264 27/32	263.83	262.95
Sept.	96 9/16	95 5/32	96 1/16	95.92	96.33	270	264 11/16	269 11/16	267.19	265.14
Oct.	97 3/32	95 11/16	96 3/32	96.47	96.94	271 7/8	267 15/16	268 1/2	270.13	268.80
Nov.	96 31/32	95 15/16	96 29/32	96.24	96.53	272 3/32	268 5/8	271 31/32	269.76	268.29
Dec.	98 5/8	96 29/32	98 13/32	97.74	98.12	276 13/16	271 31/32	276 1/2	274.29	273.29

1. Rates are as reported on transactions between banks in the exchange market. Noon rates prior to May 6, 1954 are not available and closing rates have been used.
2. The 90-day forward rates are the averages of approximate rates at noon.

NOTE: For 1939–1952 data see page 59 in the "Financial Supplement 1954" and for 1953–1956 data see page 65 in the "Financial Supplement 1956".

OFFICIAL HOLDINGS OF GOLD AND U.S. DOLLARS[1]

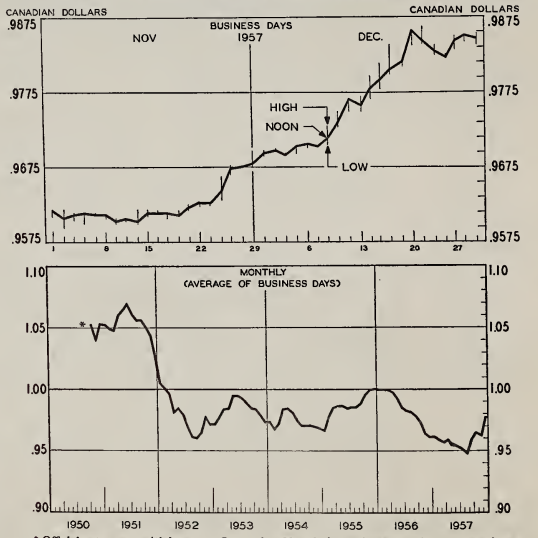
Minister of Finance & Bank of Canada

$ mm. U.S.

End of Period	Gold	U.S. Dollars	Total
1951	841.7	936.9	**1,778.6**
1952	885.0	975.2	**1,860.2**
1953	986.1	832.4	**1,818.5**
1954	1,072.7	869.9	**1,942.6**
1955	1,133.9	766.9	**1,900.8**
1956	1,103.3	832.9	**1,936.2**
1957	1,100.3	728.0	**1,828.3**
1956—June	1,100.6	798.9	**1,899.5**
July	1,104.8	788.5	**1,893.3**
Aug.	1,105.9	777.8	**1,883.7**
Sept.	1,105.5	798.0	**1,903.5**
Oct.	1,109.8	803.2	**1,913.0**
Nov.	1,114.2	818.4	**1,932.6**
Dec.	1,103.3	832.9	**1,936.2**
1957—Jan.	1,105.9	824.7	**1,930.6**
Feb.	1,101.5	818.2	**1,919.7**
Mar.	1,101.2	822.4	**1,923.6**
Apr.	1,105.7	796.1	**1,901.8**
May	1,109.0	823.6	**1,932.6**
June	1,102.8	839.0	**1,941.8**
July	1,104.6	868.4	**1,973.0**
Aug.	1,104.7	838.2	**1,942.9**
Sept.	1,101.8	788.1	**1,889.9**
Oct.	1,105.4	818.3	**1,923.7**
Nov.	1,104.5	790.0	**1,894.5**
Dec.	1,100.3	728.0	**1,828.3**

1. Gold, U.S. dollars and short-term securities of the U.S. Gov't. held by the Exchange Fund Account, other Gov't. accounts, and the net holdings of the Bank of Canada.

UNITED STATES DOLLAR IN CANADIAN FUNDS



* Official rates were withdrawn on September 30 and the exchange market re-opened on October 2.

NOTE: For 1945–1954 data see pages 60–61 in the "Financial Supplement 1954". For data on an expanded series back to September 1950 see pages 52–53 and for 1951–1956 see pages 66–67 in the "Financial Supplements" 1955 and 1956 respectively

STOCK MARKET STATISTICS

Toronto, Montreal and Canadian Stock Exchanges; Dominion Bureau of Statistics

	Brokers' Loans[1] (Millions of Dollars)	Market Transactions[1] Volume (Millions of Shares)	Market Transactions[1] Value (Millions of Dollars)	Index Numbers of Common Stock Prices[2] (1935–39 = 100) Investors' Total	Industrials Total	Industrials Pulp & Paper	Industrials Oils	Total Utilities	Golds	Base Metals
1955—Oct.	102.2	104.8	287.4	239.9	248.9	1,044.9	164.1	200.6	71.0	224.2
Nov.	107.6	94.0	264.5	245.6	255.3	1,062.5	168.8	201.4	71.2	230.2
Dec.	120.3	101.0	256.9	247.6	257.0	1,073.3	170.8	204.2	72.6	233.0
1956—Jan.	121.5	139.3	247.1	248.5	257.0	1,070.0	175.5	206.5	75.8	238.1
Feb.	123.2	219.1	304.4	249.2	258.1	1,077.3	182.6	204.1	76.7	235.8
Mar.	117.1	212.9	439.3	267.9	280.3	1,153.0	205.2	210.2	79.4	260.2
Apr.	131.3	258.1	479.6	273.0	286.2	1,123.9	210.0	209.3	78.8	269.7
May	129.6	148.1	399.6	268.5	282.9	1,192.5	211.7	204.2	78.8	268.5
June	133.4	103.3	259.4	267.0	283.0	1,146.0	219.4	199.8	76.7	273.1
July	139.3	104.6	309.0	282.4	299.0	1,185.8	234.9	207.9	79.5	291.5
Aug.	136.1	106.0	324.3	291.8	308.9	1,175.3	250.1	215.7	79.5	301.9
Sept.	123.7	81.6	213.3	278.9	294.4	1,077.2	243.7	209.2	74.1	282.2
Oct.	118.3	94.0	239.7	270.3	284.8	1,024.9	236.2	205.1	72.5	273.3
Nov.	103.6	80.4	255.4	262.3	276.0	994.2	239.2	200.3	68.6	262.2
Dec.	102.2	78.4	199.0	267.8	281.7	998.9	244.8	203.6	68.9	267.8
1957—Jan.	97.3	136.8	275.0	273.7	287.3	1,005.3	251.6	207.5	70.6	265.7
Feb.	100.7	108.3	200.3	263.2	276.0	946.4	244.8	203.6	69.3	243.2
Mar.	95.5	128.7	242.3	267.5	281.0	966.4	246.2	209.2	68.1	249.6
Apr.	114.0	124.6	310.9	278.8	294.2	997.0	262.9	212.5	72.4	255.4
May	109.6	117.5	324.4	287.6	304.8	996.4	278.8	216.1	76.2	234.2
June	115.1	100.7	280.6	286.9	303.5	998.9	275.6	216.8	80.6	227.7
July	119.5	76.9	247.2	284.7	301.6	991.9	274.2	213.8	79.3	222.2
Aug.	94.3	70.1	221.5	259.0	272.4	915.9	245.9	200.6	73.2	192.6
Sept.	81.9	56.3	173.7	242.2	252.8	861.3	225.5	191.2	71.4	180.7
Oct.	59.1	70.8	199.1	219.6	228.0	813.4	195.7	176.7	63.4	167.2
Nov.	55.7	42.8	131.6	218.6	226.2	792.7	195.6	176.2	61.2	167.0
Dec.*		42.5		216.2	224.0	808.1	194.9	173.9	60.3	156.8

1. Toronto, Montreal and Canadian Stock Exchanges. Brokers' loan data are for the last business day of the month and include borrowings from chartered banks, trust companies and other sources. Customers' free credit balances are not included.
2. Calculated by the Dominion Bureau of Statistics from Montreal and Toronto exchange quotations. Monthly series is an average of Thursday closing prices during the month.

* Preliminary.

NOTE: For data back to 1953 see page 55 in the "Financial Supplement 1956".

PRICE INDEXES

"Prices and Price Indexes", Dominion Bureau of Statistics

	Wholesale Prices: General: Total Index (Mid-Month)	General: Raw and Partly Manufactured	General: Fully & Chiefly Manufactured	Construction: Non-Residential Building Materials	Farm[1]: Grains	Farm[1]: Livestock	Consumer Prices[2]: Total Index	Food	Shelter	Clothing	Household Operation	Other Commodities & Services
	1935–39 = 100			1949 = 100	1935–39 = 100		100	32	15	11	17	25
							1949 = 100					
Average of Mths. 1951	**240.2**	237.9	242.4	118.6	217.3	407.8	**113.7**	117.0	114.4	109.8	113.1	**111.5**
1952	**226.0**	218.7	230.7	132.2	206.2	316.4	**116.5**	116.8	120.2	111.8	116.2	**116.0**
1953	**220.7**	207.0	228.8	124.4	201.0	288.1	**115.5**	112.6	123.6	110.1	117.0	**115.8**
1954	**217.0**	204.8	224.2	121.8	187.2	283.3	**116.2**	112.2	126.5	109.4	117.4	**117.4**
1955	**218.9**	209.7	224.5	123.4	188.0	263.2	**116.4**	112.1	129.4	108.0	116.4	**118.1**
1956	**225.6**	215.8	231.5	128.0	188.4	265.6	**118.1**	113.4	132.5	108.6	117.1	**120.9**
1957							**121.9**	118.6	134.9	108.5	119.6	**126.1**
Monthly 1956—Aug.	**227.0**	217.0	233.2	129.4	188.9	280.8	**119.1**	115.9	133.0	108.4	116.8	**121.3**
Sept.	**227.4**	216.2	234.4	129.2	188.8	284.2	**119.0**	115.5	133.1	108.4	117.1	**121.4**
Oct.	**227.0**	214.3	234.7	129.8	187.6	277.3	**119.8**	117.4	133.3	108.5	117.7	**121.6**
Nov.	**226.6**	213.3	234.6	129.5	185.9	281.0	**120.3**	117.9	133.4	108.4	118.1	**122.8**
Dec.	**228.0**	216.4	235.1	129.7	184.9	284.3	**120.4**	117.5	133.5	108.6	118.6	**122.9**
1957—Jan.	**229.4**	217.8	236.5	130.0	184.6	287.7	**120.3**	117.1	133.6	107.6	119.0	**123.1**
Feb.	**228.4**	214.9	236.8	130.1	182.3	287.6	**120.5**	117.2	133.8	107.4	119.1	**123.8**
Mar.	**228.4**	212.5	237.8	130.1	180.3	278.3	**120.5**	116.4	134.0	108.2	119.5	**124.2**
Apr.	**228.4**	211.7	238.3	130.1	178.5	281.8	**120.9**	116.7	134.0	108.5	119.4	**125.1**
May	**228.0**	209.6	238.8	130.2	174.5	283.5	**121.1**	116.7	134.2	108.5	119.2	**126.3**
June	**228.0**	209.8	238.8	129.5	171.9	292.9	**121.6**	117.7	134.8	108.4	119.1	**126.5**
July	**228.2**	209.1	239.5	130.6	170.6	300.3	**121.9**	118.2	135.1	108.4	119.6	**126.5**
Aug.	**227.6**	207.9	239.2	130.4	170.3	299.7	**122.6**	120.2	135.3	108.2	119.7	**126.9**
Sept.	**226.7**	206.4	238.6	130.2	171.8	285.7	**123.3**	121.9	135.6	108.3	119.8	**127.1**
Oct.	**224.8**	203.5	237.2	130.2	170.6	258.2	**123.4**	121.7	135.9	108.7	120.1	**127.4**
Nov.	**224.0**	203.1	236.1	130.0	170.3	256.4	**123.3**	120.2	136.3	109.8	120.5	**127.7**
Dec.							**123.1**	118.8	136.7	109.9	120.6	**128.4**

1. Two sub-groups of the General Wholesale Price Index.
2. Components were selected and weighted on the basis of 1948 urban family incomes ranging from $1,650 to $4,050 with incomes between $2,000 and $3,000 most common.

NOTE: For 1952 data see page 86 in the "Financial Supplement 1955" and for 1953–1956 see page 117 in the "Financial Supplement 1956"

PROVINCIAL GOVERNMENTS: OUTSTANDING DEBT[1]

Bank of Canada, Dominion Bureau of Statistics and Dominion - Provincial Conference

Millions of Dollars

Fiscal year-end nearest to Dec. 31st	1933	1937	1940	1945	1952	1953	1954	1955	1956 ★
DIRECT DEBT									
FUNDED DEBT[2]	1,265.9	1,511.6	1,734.5	1,641.6	2,417.6	2,605.0	2,592.4	2,679.3	2,905.3
Less: Sinking Funds[3]	85.4	123.4	156.8	199.6	427.9	451.7	435.0	477.3	551.0
NET FUNDED DEBT	1,180.5	1,388.2	1,577.7	1,442.0	1,989.6	2,153.3	2,157.5	2,201.9	2,354.2
TREASURY BILLS									
Held by Govt. of Canada	51.6	129.5	160.6	178.1	82.3	78.9	75.3	71.8	68.4
Held by Others	89.2	103.3	109.4	32.0	39.2	10.5	5.3	15.1	29.7
TOTAL TREASURY BILLS	140.8	232.8	270.0	210.1	121.5	89.3	80.6	87.0	98.1
SAVINGS DEPOSITS	30.8	47.3	41.7	48.4	62.0	59.7	72.2	80.7	78.9
TEMPORARY LOANS	9.9	14.4	8.2	24.4	12.2	14.7	35.0	21.8	18.8
SUPERANNUATION & OTHER DEPOSITS[4]	15.4	21.0	19.7	26.6	58.9	61.5	68.4	80.0	88.0
ACCRUED INTEREST	17.8	17.8	21.1	17.5	22.9	24.4	23.7	24.7	27.7
ACCOUNTS PAYABLE & OTHER LIABILITIES[5]	20.7	26.4	27.3	33.2	55.4	61.4	56.8	56.0	76.0
TOTAL DIRECT DEBT (Less Sinking Funds)	**1,415.9**	**1,747.9**	**1,965.7**	**1,802.2**	**2,322.6**	**2,464.3**	**2,494.2**	**2,552.2**	**2,741.6**
INDIRECT DEBT									
GUARANTEED BONDS[6]	123.3	166.7	164.4	135.1	999.3	1,154.0	1,419.4	1,552.2	1,809.6
Less: Sinking Funds	5.2	13.3	7.5	4.6	5.3	8.2	11.4	16.3	21.0
NET GUARANTEED BONDS	118.1	153.4	156.9	130.5	994.0	1,145.8	1,407.9	1,535.9	1,788.6
LOANS UNDER M.I.A. ACT[7]	–	–	7.5	5.3	3.7	3.4	3.1	2.9	2.6
GUARANTEED BANK LOANS	22.0	36.9	37.7	8.3	25.6	26.0	33.8	50.0	102.1
OTHER INDIRECT DEBT (Less Sinking Funds)[8]	16.9	17.7	18.9	9.7	2.3	2.0	1.6	1.3	1.0
TOTAL INDIRECT DEBT (Less Sinking Funds)	**157.0**	**208.0**	**221.0**	**153.8**	**1,025.6**	**1,177.2**	**1,446.5**	**1,590.0**	**1,894.3**
TOTAL DIRECT AND INDIRECT DEBT (Less Sinking Funds)	**1,572.9**	**1,955.9**	**2,186.7**	**1,956.0**	**3,348.2**	**3,641.5**	**3,940.7**	**4,142.3**	**4,637.4**
PROVINCIAL DISTRIBUTION[1]									
Newfoundland	–	–	–	–	22.2	24.4	41.5	54.4	58.0
Prince Edward Island	3.9	5.9	9.7	10.5	17.9	17.3	18.5	21.0	22.3
Nova Scotia	67.4	93.1	101.7	95.9	180.3	184.9	188.4	194.4	211.5
New Brunswick	61.5	82.2	99.8	96.6	181.1	181.6	183.0	193.5	217.7
Quebec[8]	170.5	285.6	425.9	387.0	677.7	728.7	794.4	817.3	884.1
Ontario	692.4	806.1	859.5	757.3	1,570.9	1,772.1	1,945.6	2,019.7	2,286.9
Manitoba	118.5	122.4	120.3	97.1	155.9	167.1	185.6	192.7	210.3
Saskatchewan	153.2	215.9	234.1	196.2	173.9	183.8	191.7	230.8	251.7
Alberta[5]	157.6	172.3	168.6	160.9	104.7	101.8	98.5	95.3	94.5
British Columbia	147.9	172.4	167.1	154.5	263.6	279.9	293.5	323.2	398.9
TOTAL DIRECT AND INDIRECT DEBT (Less Sinking Funds)	**1,572.9**	**1,955.9**	**2,186.7**	**1,956.0**	**3,348.2**	**3,641.5**	**3,940.7**	**4,142.3**	**4,637.4**

1. All provinces have advances to or guarantees for enterprises of a self-liquidating nature. Thus "the dead weight" debt of a province in any year may be considerably less than the "outstanding debt"; also provinces frequently have cash and investments of sizeable amounts. For purposes of comparability, certain liability items such as reserves and trust and special deposits covered by designated assets have been excluded. Newfoundland figures have been included since 1949.
2. Includes bonds, debentures and stock and debentures issued for the school refinancing plan by the Quebec Municipal Commission. See note 9.
3. Includes sinking funds of the Nova Scotia Power Commission.
4. Cash and investments designated for superannuation and retirement funds have been offset against liabilities to such funds.
5. Alberta figures for years 1937–1949 inclusive, include a liability for unpaid interest on bonds, debentures and savings certificates which, for the years 1937–1945, is based on the assumption that the net amount of back interest provided for under the Debt Refunding Plan was accumulated evenly over the period. The 1945 figures includes 10.8 being a portion of the interest adjustments deferred under the plan.
6. Excluding C.N.R. bonds guaranteed by provinces. Also see note 9.
7. Govt. of Canada loans under Municipal Improvements Assistance Act.
8. Quebec figures of indirect debt exclude 18.6, 39.6, 37.4, 32.1, 25.2 and 19.8 in the years 1945, 1952, 1953, 1954, 1955 and 1956 being commitments on the Public Charities Fund payable to institutions in equal instalments. Similar grants in other provinces are voted annually through current account and not shown as contingent liabilities. Quebec commitments under housing guarantees of 29.8, 34.0, 43.3, 45.7 and 46.8 in the years 1952, 1953, 1954, 1955 and 1956 are excluded as well. In British Columbia, the guarantee under the Municipal Superannuation Act has been excluded. Also see note 9.

NOTE. FOR THE YEAR 1938, SEE PAGE 72 IN THE "FINANCIAL SUPPLEMENT 1954", AND FOR THE YEARS 1926, 1930 AND 1939 TO 1951 SEE PAGES 74–75 IN THE "FINANCIAL SUPPLEMENT 1956".

Millions of Dollars

Fiscal year-end nearest to Dec. 31st	1933	1937	1940	1945	1952	1953	1954	1955	1956 ★
FUNDED DEBT (Less Sinking Funds)									
Newfoundland	–	–	–	–	13.6	13.2	24.7	39.8	38.4
Prince Edward Island	3.0	4.7	6.8	7.6	16.2	14.2	14.9	15.1	15.5
Nova Scotia	60.9	85.3	94.5	81.8	167.1	175.8	175.6	182.4	188.3
New Brunswick	57.0	68.5	91.9	91.3	164.7	164.2	165.1	169.5	186.1
Quebec[9]	111.4	232.2	361.0	340.7	400.1	406.7	413.1	394.1	389.9
Ontario	518.3	575.7	616.6	560.8	712.5	867.3	850.1	869.3	1,010.6
Manitoba	82.4	82.6	75.3	56.9	121.8	124.2	132.4	134.3	132.3
Saskatchewan	105.4	111.4	107.5	91.1	132.6	143.6	153.8	185.7	214.2
Alberta	120.8	116.1	114.2	114.6	83.7	81.0	78.3	75.5	72.6
British Columbia	121.3	111.7	109.9	97.2	177.3	163.0	149.4	136.1	106.3
TOTAL	**1,180.5**	**1,388.2**	**1,577.7**	**1,442.0**	**1,989.6**	**2,153.3**	**2,157.5**	**2,201.9**	**2,354.2**
TREASURY BILLS HELD BY GOVT. OF CANADA									
Manitoba	10.5	21.4	25.2	24.7	16.8	16.2	15.7	15.1	14.6
Saskatchewan	23.8	48.3	74.2	92.8	32.9	31.0	29.2	27.3	25.6
Alberta	10.5	26.5	26.5	26.2	11.1	10.7	10.4	10.0	9.6
British Columbia	6.8	33.3	34.7	34.4	21.6	20.9	20.1	19.4	18.6
TOTAL	**51.6**	**129.5**	**160.6**	**178.1**	**82.3**	**78.9**	**75.3**	**71.8**	**68.4**
TREASURY BILLS HELD BY OTHERS[10]									
Newfoundland	–	–	–	–	–	0.3	–	–	–
Nova Scotia	1.5	2.2	–	–	1.2	–	–	–	1.4
New Brunswick	0.8	5.9	2.9	–	–	–	–	1.0	5.0
Quebec	13.5	9.5	9.5	8.5	–	–	–	–	4.0
Ontario	36.6	49.0	61.0	–	25.5	0.5	–	–	–
Manitoba	18.1	11.9	11.0	8.5	11.0	7.7	3.4	2.4	17.2
Saskatchewan	11.9	17.5	16.6	7.5	1.5	1.5	1.5	10.9	1.5
Alberta	1.0	1.0	1.7	–	–	–	–	–	–
British Columbia	5.8	6.3	6.7	7.6	–	0.5	0.4	0.8	0.6
TOTAL	**89.2**	**103.3**	**109.4**	**32.0**	**39.2**	**10.5**	**5.3**	**15.1**	**29.7**
OTHER DIRECT DEBT[11]									
Newfoundland	–	–	–	–	1.1	1.0	3.2	1.0	2.1
Prince Edward Island	1.0	1.2	2.6	2.8	1.2	2.6	3.0	5.1	6.1
Nova Scotia	4.2	5.0	4.0	11.4	8.0	7.1	7.3	6.9	12.7
New Brunswick	2.1	6.0	2.2	3.4	6.0	7.1	7.1	6.9	7.5
Quebec	15.8	11.1	16.7	18.3	30.5	30.8	34.4	35.9	42.3
Ontario	38.3	53.6	52.3	78.8	113.5	124.3	159.9	159.5	162.5
Manitoba	2.3	2.6	4.9	4.7	5.9	6.6	6.8	8.3	9.5
Saskatchewan	7.0	12.7	9.5	3.4	6.3	4.1	3.7	4.4	4.4
Alberta[5]	16.6	20.3	17.8	18.2	4.9	5.3	6.1	6.4	6.9
British Columbia	7.3	14.4	8.0	9.1	34.0	32.8	24.7	28.8	35.4
TOTAL	**94.6**	**126.9**	**118.0**	**150.1**	**211.5**	**221.7**	**256.2**	**263.3**	**289.3**
TOTAL INDIRECT DEBT (Less Sinking Funds)									
Newfoundland	–	–	–	–	7.5	9.9	13.7	13.5	17.5
Prince Edward Island	–	0.1	0.2	0.1	0.4	0.4	0.7	0.7	0.7
Nova Scotia	0.9	0.4	3.2	2.7	3.9	2.0	5.5[12]	5.1[12]	9.1
New Brunswick	1.6	1.9	2.8	1.9	10.5	10.3	10.7	16.1	19.0
Quebec[8]	29.7	32.8	38.6	19.5	247.1	291.1	346.9	387.2	448.0
Ontario	99.2	127.8	129.6	117.7	719.3	780.0	935.5	990.9	1,113.8
Manitoba	5.2	4.0	3.9	2.3	0.4	12.4	27.3	32.6	36.8
Saskatchewan	5.0	26.0	26.4	1.5	0.7	3.6	3.5	2.5	6.1
Alberta	8.7	8.3	8.5	1.9	5.0	4.7	3.8	3.4	5.4
British Columbia	6.7	6.6	7.8	6.2	30.7	62.7	98.8	138.1	237.9
TOTAL	**157.0**	**208.0**	**221.0**	**153.8**	**1,025.6**	**1,177.2**	**1,446.5**	**1,590.0**	**1,894.3**

9. School refinancing bonds of 44.8, 42.9, 39.3, 37.4 and 34.8 in the years 1952, 1953, 1954, 1955 and 1956 respectively, issued by the Quebec Municipal Commission and guaranteed by the province are included in Direct Funded Debt.
10. Including the province and its agencies.
11. Includes saving deposits, temporary loans, superannuation and other deposits, accrued interest, accounts payable and other liabilities.
12. Excludes 8.0 bonds of the Halifax-Dartmouth Bridge Commission. The province is required to pay any deficiency (as defined) incurred by the Commission while these bonds are outstanding. The figure does include 1.8 and 2.6 in bank advances for the years 1954 and 1955 against 3.5 debentures of the Commission guaranteed by the province and held as security. In 1956 the entire amount of 3.5 is included as guaranteed bonds.

★ Approximate figures, compiled from information contained in budget speeches, preliminary releases and related material.

NOTE: FOR THE YEAR 1938, SEE PAGE 74 IN THE "FINANCIAL SUPPLEMENT 1954", AND FOR THE YEARS 1926, 1930 AND 1939 TO 1951 SEE PAGES 76–77 IN THE "FINANCIAL SUPPLEMENT 1956".

PROVINCIAL GOVERNMENTS: CURRENT REVENUE[1]

Bank of Canada, Dominion Bureau of Statistics and Dom.-Prov. Conference

Millions of Dollars

Fiscal Year nearest to Calendar Year	1933	1937	1940	1945	1952	1953	1954	1955	1956 ★	1957 ★★
From the Public										
Taxes on Income of Individuals	5.2	11.8	16.3	0.3	–	–	25.2[2]	30.2[2]	36.4[2]	37.0[2]
Taxes on Corporation Profits	3.2	8.7	29.0	0.1	65.5	49.8	49.3	55.5	63.7	227.0
Other Corporation Taxes	16.0	21.1	25.3	0.8	13.8	16.3	16.0	18.0	18.3	19.2
Revenue from Public Domain	12.8	25.5	29.8	40.3	161.9	202.3	193.2	264.5	295.1	288.5
Succession Duties	12.8	36.7	22.2	25.2	32.7	31.1	40.7	72.0	62.9	38.0
Liquor Revenue (Net)	16.4	29.9	37.4	100.1	157.2	156.9	158.2	171.7	184.3	191.1
Tobacco Tax	–	–	2.0	5.6	11.4	14.0	13.7	15.0	16.7	16.7
Amusement Taxes	3.2	2.8	2.7	6.6	21.4	23.1	22.4	20.7	19.9	18.9
Gasoline Taxes	26.2	38.8	56.6	58.1	196.9	219.8	235.8	264.2	297.4	320.2
Motor Vehicle Licences	20.6	26.5	29.6	31.8	81.3	88.6	94.7	114.6	126.8	129.4
Taxes on Real Property[3]	5.5	5.5	5.6	7.1	7.0	5.4	6.3	6.4	6.6	6.1
Retail Sales Taxes	–	1.9	11.8	20.8	101.0	108.3	128.6	149.5	178.8	178.8
Miscellaneous Taxes[4]	2.6	2.9	2.9	5.7	33.2	33.0	22.9	26.7	25.8	45.8[5]
Other Revenue[6]	9.9	10.9	10.8	15.7	38.5	43.5	48.8	53.9	59.5	58.0
Total from the Public	134.4	223.0	282.0	318.2	921.7	992.2	1055.7	1263.0	1392.1	1574.8
From the Government of Canada[7]										
Subsidies	13.7	13.7	13.7	14.4	20.0	20.0	20.3	20.2	20.3	20.5
Interim Grants	1.6	8.1	6.1	–	5.7	4.8	4.0	3.1	2.3	1.4
Transfers under Tax Agreements	–	–	–	83.3	297.4	308.8	327.1	319.9	369.1	330.7
Gasoline Tax Guarantees	–	–	–	3.5	–	–	–	–	–	–
Share of Income Tax, Certain Public Utilities	–	–	–	–	4.4	6.8	7.3	7.9	6.6	5.2
Total from Government of Canada[7]	15.3	21.8	19.8	101.2	327.5	340.5	358.6	351.2	398.3	357.9
Total Current Revenue	**149.7**	**244.8**	**301.8**	**419.4**	**1249.2**	**1332.7**	**1414.4**	**1614.2**	**1790.4**	**1932.6**
Provincial Distribution[8]										
Newfoundland	–	–	–	–	31.7	31.7	32.8	33.5	36.8	41.0
Prince Edward Island	1.2	1.6	1.7	2.5	7.3	7.6	8.1	8.0	8.7	8.9
Nova Scotia	6.7	10.5	13.2	19.0	46.4	49.4	51.4	54.3	57.4	64.2
New Brunswick	5.0	7.7	10.0	14.2	46.4	49.1	50.7	52.7	58.0	59.1
Quebec	31.0	57.2	80.0[9]	114.6	283.6	298.2	338.2	411.2	444.4	474.0
Ontario	52.0	87.1	103.2	132.9	363.4	370.0	398.0	430.8	479.4	573.7
Manitoba	12.0	15.3	17.3	22.5	55.8	57.1	58.5	60.8	66.2	74.8
Saskatchewan	10.9	16.1	20.1	33.4	85.1	97.0	98.8	102.4	127.3	126.1
Alberta[10]	11.7	18.7	20.8	34.2	145.2	187.4	178.9	230.4	248.2	238.1
British Columbia	19.2	30.6	35.5	46.1	184.3	185.3	198.9	230.2	264.0	272.7
Total Current Revenue	**149.7**	**244.8**	**301.8**	**419.4**	**1249.2**	**1332.7**	**1414.4**	**1614.2**	**1790.4**	**1932.6**

1. Excludes interest receipts, grants-in-aid for unemployment relief, old age pensions, technical education, etc.; refunds from other provinces, municipalities, etc.; and institutional revenues from sales of produce and services, all of which have been deducted from corresponding items of expenditure.
2. Quebec's tax on income of individuals.
3. Includes Highway Tax (Nova Scotia) last levied in 1956, also the Municipal Commissioner's Levy (Manitoba) last levied in 1952.
4. Includes premiums paid by individuals under the compulsory hospital services plans in Saskatchewan (1952–57) and British Columbia (1952–53). In 1954 British Columbia discontinued such premiums and increased the rate of sales tax by 2% in lieu thereof.
5. Includes tax on insurance premiums formerly collected by federal government.
6. Includes licenses, permits and fees (ex. Motor Vehicles).
7. Excludes grants-in-aid. See note 1. Also excludes Common School and School Lands Funds interest revenue which is included in the contra expenditure item "Less Interest Revenue Received".
8. Totals will differ from the total revenue figures in the Provincial public accounts since for the purpose of comparison a number of adjustments have been made, including the deductions of certain items of revenue from corresponding expenditures. See notes 1 and 7.
9. Quebec figures for the nine-month fiscal period ended March 31, 1941 have been adjusted to twelve-month period.
10. Alberta revenue figures for the years 1937–1945 inclusive have been adjusted to conform to arrangements with the Government of Canada in connection with the debt refunding plan.

★ Approximate figures, compiled from information contained in budget speeches, preliminary releases and related material.

★★ Compiled from information contained in official estimates adjusted to a comparable basis. Also see note 1.

NOTE: For the year 1938 see page 76 in the "Financial Supplement 1954", and for the years 1926, 1930 and 1939 to 1951 see pages 78–79 in the "Financial Supplement 1956".

PROVINCIAL GOVERNMENTS: CURRENT EXPENDITURE[1]

Bank of Canada, Dominion Bureau of Statistics and Dom.-Prov. Conference

Millions of Dollars

Fiscal Year nearest to Calendar Year	1933	1937	1940	1945	1952	1953	1954	1955	1956 ★	1957 ★★
Education	27.5	33.0	37.5	71.4	209.4	224.1	263.5	320.6	347.3	408.1
Public Welfare (Ex. Relief)										
Old Age Pensions[2]	3.3	9.7	10.5	18.7	27.4	28.7	32.8	33.6	35.7	38.0
Health and Hospital Care[3]	18.1	23.8	28.1	41.1	182.4	196.9	220.4	232.6	250.4	280.7
Other	6.2	11.1	13.6	19.4	55.4	62.5	71.2	79.8	85.6	99.6
Total Public Welfare (Ex. Relief)	27.6	44.6	52.2	79.2	265.2	288.1	324.4	345.9	371.7	418.3
Highways & Other Aids to Transport	18.6	28.0	33.1	55.9	182.1	231.5	243.9	291.7	350.1	360.4
Public Domain	8.7	14.3	16.1	22.1	63.1	67.5	67.6	77.9	83.4	96.3
Agriculture	7.0	6.9	7.8	13.6	27.2	27.8	28.5	32.7	37.0	39.1
Administration of Justice	11.2	13.6	14.5	17.2	45.3	51.6	55.1	58.4	64.7	75.2
General Government[4]	10.0	13.8	15.6	19.8	52.1	56.8	62.7	67.0	79.4	83.8
Legislation	2.3	3.3	2.2	4.2	6.7	6.0	4.6	7.6	8.3	5.2
Gross Debt Service (Ex. Debt Repayment)[5]	73.7	73.8	84.3	77.0	88.8	94.7	102.0	101.2	105.4	114.8
Less: Interest Revenue Received[6]	25.4	22.7	24.5	25.7	38.9	46.3	49.1	49.2	51.1	54.3
Net Debt Service	48.3	51.1	59.8	51.3	50.0	48.4	52.9	51.9	54.3	60.6
Subsidies to Municipalities for General Purposes	0.1	3.2	3.3	3.7	23.8	26.8	36.5	36.0	40.2	53.8
Other	1.2	3.4	4.7	4.2	29.0	33.7	33.7	39.2	31.7	38.9
Sub-Total (Ex. Relief)	162.5	215.2	246.8	342.5	953.8	1062.3	1173.4	1329.0	1468.0	1639.8
Relief[7]	36.1	60.5	18.5	3.8	10.8	11.9	15.2	15.3	16.9	15.6
Total Current Expenditure (Ex. Debt Repayment)	**198.6**	**275.7**	**265.3**	**346.3**	**964.6**	**1074.2**	**1188.6**	**1344.3**	**1484.9**	**1655.4**
Provincial Distribution[8]										
Newfoundland	–	–	–	–	25.6	29.0	31.5	34.4	36.9	42.4
Prince Edward Island	1.1	1.4	1.6	2.5	5.3	5.5	6.0	7.4	7.7	7.6
Nova Scotia	8.3	9.9	11.2	16.8	38.7	42.3	44.4	48.1	56.4	58.0
New Brunswick	5.8	7.4	8.9	12.5	41.2	43.3	44.7	47.8	52.2	54.4
Quebec	42.9	66.2	69.5[9]	93.3	239.3	246.6	284.6	316.9	338.7	365.4
Ontario[10]	65.7	85.1	89.7	123.4	304.8	347.6	385.2	434.3	467.3	552.0
Manitoba	15.0	15.8	15.2	15.3	36.1	47.1	49.1	52.1	59.1	67.9
Saskatchewan	21.3	43.6	22.0	26.3	65.6	69.5	76.5	83.3	91.3	101.6
Alberta[11]	16.4	17.4	17.2	21.6	64.1	78.2	93.9	116.6	124.9	140.4
British Columbia	22.1	28.9	30.0	34.6	144.0	165.1	172.7	203.4	250.5	265.7
Total Current Expenditure (Ex. Debt Repayment)	**198.6**	**275.7**	**265.3**	**346.3**	**964.6**	**1074.2**	**1188.6**	**1344.3**	**1484.9**	**1655.4**

1. Includes items which some provinces may place in capital account, such as rural hydro bonus, grants for construction of municipal roads, schools and hospitals not provincially owned, and direct relief expenditures. Also for the purpose of comparison, certain items of revenue have been deducted from the corresponding expenditure. See notes 1 and 7 on page 412.
2. Includes Old Age Assistance payments (1952–57). Excludes pensions for the blind.
3. Includes expenditures for health care and payments to hospitals under the hospital services plans in Saskatchewan (1952–57) and British Columbia (1952–57).
4. Composed largely of expenditures of general administrative departments. Administration cost of each function of government shown in this table has been charged to that function.
5. Includes an amount for unpaid interest in Alberta for the years 1937–1950 inclusive. For the years 1937–1945 this is based on cash payments for interest adjustments, less offsetting reimbursements, made under the debt refunding plan, spread evenly over the default period. Figures for the years 1946–1950 include the payments on interest adjustments deferred in accordance with the plan.
6. Includes sinking fund earnings. Also interest revenue from Common School and School Lands Funds.
7. Includes relief expenditures whether or not capitalized.
8. Totals differ from the total expenditure figures given in the provincial public accounts since for the purpose of comparison a number of adjustments have been made including the deduction of certain revenue items. See note 1.
9. See note 9 on page 412.
10. Excludes appropriations from Ordinary to Highway Reserve Account of 30.0 in 1952, 40.5 in 1953, 38.5 in 1954, 28.5 in 1955, 57.5 in 1956 and 20.0 in 1957, but includes expenditures from Highway Reserve of 29.3 in 1953, 26.9 in 1954, 37.0 in 1955, 58.1 in 1956 and 57.5 in 1957. Also see note 1.
11. See note 5.

★, ★★ See notes on page 412.

NOTE: For the year 1938 see page 78 in the "Financial Supplement 1954", and for the years 1926, 1930 and 1939 to 1951 see pages 80–81 in the "Financial Supplement 1956".

LABOUR FORCE STATUS OF THE POPULATION[1]

Thousands of Persons — *"The Labour Force", Dominion Bureau of Statistics; Department of National Defence*

Survey Week Ending	Persons With Jobs: Agriculture	Persons With Jobs: Non-Agricultural Industries	Persons With Jobs: Total	Persons With Jobs: *Of Which On Temporary Lay-off and Short-time* 2	Without Jobs and Seeking Work 3: Thousands	Without Jobs and Seeking Work 3: Percentage of Labour Force	Total Civilian Labour Force	Civilian Non-Institutional Population (14 years of age and over)	Armed Forces	Civilian Labour Force Participation Ratio 4: Total	Civilian Labour Force Participation Ratio 4: Male	Civilian Labour Force Participation Ratio 4: Female
1956—Feb. 18	678	4,538	5,216	*73*	308	5.6	5,524	10,635	117	51.9	80.3	23.9
Mar. 24	679	4,562	5,241	*66*	295	5.3	5,536	10,646	117	52.0	80.1	24.1
Apr. 21	764	4,562	5,326	*51*	257	4.6	5,583	10,663	117	52.4	80.7	24.3
May 19	817	4,682	5,499	*37*	165	2.9	5,664	10,680	116	53.0	81.9	24.4
June 23	804	4,843	5,647	*35*	117	2.0	5,764	10,699	116	53.9	83.1	24.9
July 21	897	4,892	5,789	*33*	102	1.7	5,891	10,714	116	55.0	85.3	25.0
Aug. 18	946	4,877	5,823	*36*	103	1.7	5,926	10,733	116	55.2	85.5	25.2
Sept. 22	841	4,835	5,676	*45*	97	1.7	5,773	10,752	117	53.7	82.7	25.0
Oct. 20	794	4,880	5,674	*39*	98	1.7	5,772	10,771	117	53.6	82.3	25.2
Nov. 17	693	4,937	5,630	*47*	135	2.3	5,765	10,791	117	53.4	81.7	25.5
Dec. 15	680	4,875	5,555	*59*	186	3.2	5,741	10,815	117	53.1	81.0	25.5
1957—Jan. 19	671	4,722	5,393	*74*	303	5.3	5,696	10,842	117	52.5	80.4	25.0
Feb. 16	654	4,708	5,362	*80*	323	5.7	5,685	10,861	117	52.3	80.4	24.6
Mar. 16	671	4,702	5,373	*87*	343	6.0	5,716	10,884	117	52.5	80.5	24.9
Apr. 20	706	4,736	5,442	*71*	306	5.3	5,748	10,926	117	52.6	80.7	24.9
May 18	773	4,914	5,687	*57*	194	3.3	5,881	10,968	116	53.6	82.1	25.5
June 22	774	5,060	5,834	*55*	162	2.7	5,996	11,012	116	54.4	83.2	26.0
July 20	880	5,069	5,949	*62*	163	2.7	6,112	11,043	117	55.3	85.4	25.6
Aug. 24	900	5,057	5,957	*63*	174	2.8	6,131	11,074	117	55.4	85.3	25.8
Sept. 21	812	5,042	5,854	*59*	194	3.2	6,048	11,094	119	54.5	82.8	26.5
Oct. 19	746	5,051	5,797	*60*	208	3.5	6,005	11,114	119	54.0	82.3	26.1
Nov. 16	693	5,005	5,698	*83*	292	4.9	5,990	11,133	119	53.8	81.6	26.4

1. The estimates are based on a sample of about 30,000 households and are therefore subject to sampling error which is relatively larger the smaller the estimate. Data not seasonally adjusted.
2. Includes those laid off for part of the week or on lay-off during the entire week, with definite instructions to return to their jobs within 30 days of the date on which lay-off began, provided they did not look for work during the survey week.
3. Includes persons who, though having jobs, did not work during the entire week and looked for work or would have looked for work only they were temporarily ill, on indefinite or prolonged lay-off or believed no work was available.
4. Civilian labour force as a percentage of civilian non institutional population 14 years of age and over.

NOTE: For 1945–1952 data see pages 84–85 in the "Financial Supplement 1955". For 1952–1956 data and for years 1921–1952 see pages 114–115 in the "Financial Supplement 1956".

EMPLOYMENT AND LABOUR INCOME

"Employment and Payrolls", "Man-Hours and Hourly Earnings" and "Estimates of Labour Income", Dominion Bureau of Statistics

	Employment Indexes 1, 2: Manufacturing	Employment Indexes 1, 2: Mining	Average Hours Worked 1, 3: Manufacturing	Average Hours Worked 1, 3: Mining	Average Hourly Earnings 1, 3, 4: Manufacturing	Average Hourly Earnings 1, 3, 4: Mining	Monthly Labour Income 4: Total 5	Monthly Labour Income 4: Manufacturing	Monthly Labour Income 4: Construction	Monthly Labour Income 4: All Other 6
	Index 1949 = 100		*Hours per week*		*Cents*		*Millions of Dollars*			
Monthly Average										
1951	108.0	110.6	41.8	43.1	116.8	133.4	810	272	52	486
1952	109.3	116.8	41.5	42.7	129.2	147.1	906	303	63	540
1953	113.3	111.7	41.3	42.7	135.8	153.8	976	329	70	577
1954	107.7	109.8	40.6	42.6	140.8	157.3	1,000	323	69	608
1955	109.3	113.4	41.0	43.2	144.5	161.1	1,068	342	78	648
1956	115.4	122.0	41.1	42.9	151.5	171.4	1,190	379	93	718
1956—June	115.4	123.0	40.9	42.8	151.9	170.5	1,215	381	105	729
July	118.0	126.1	41.2	42.4	152.7	172.0	1,223	382	105	736
Aug.	117.9	128.2	40.8	42.6	152.4	172.7	1,236	382	108	746
Sept.	118.0	128.6	41.1	42.7	152.1	173.8	1,268	392	110	766
Oct.	118.6	126.5	41.5	43.6	153.3	176.2	1,273	394	114	765
Nov.	118.6	126.9	41.6	42.5	154.7	177.3	1,265	397	101	767
Dec.	118.0	125.4	41.5	43.1	155.5	179.0	1,248	397	90	761
1957—Jan.	114.8	122.7	37.9	40.7	158.0	181.6	1,197	384	76	737
Feb.	115.1	124.1	40.9	42.9	157.5	181.6	1,205	389	74	742
Mar.	115.0	124.7	40.9	43.1	157.6	182.7	1,205	393	73	739
Apr.	115.4	123.4	41.1	42.3	158.7	184.3	1,218	393	83	742
May	115.8	120.8	40.6	41.7	160.0	186.2	1,270	397	97	776
June	116.7	126.3	40.5	42.3	160.7	185.2	1,322	405	110	807
July	118.4	129.5	40.6	42.8	161.0	187.4	1,312	402	109	801
Aug.	118.1	131.7†	40.5	42.0	160.4	187.9	1,335	403	110	822
Sept.	118.5	132.5	40.6	42.4	159.5	188.0	1,345	404	114	827
Oct.	118.1	130.0	40.7	43.0	160.5	189.5	1,342	401*	116*	825*
Nov.*	116.2	129.0	40.3	42.8	162.7	189.9				

1. As reported by employers usually having 15 or more employees. Dated first of month and covering the last pay period in the previous month.
2. Coverage, including salaried and part time workers at Oct. 1, 1957, was Manufacturing, 1,231,853; Mining, 115,744.
3. Include hourly rated wage earners only.
4. Gross earnings before deductions for taxes, unemployment insurance, etc.
5. Wages and salaries and includes bonuses and commissions, food, clothing, shelter and contributions to insurance, pensions, etc. provided by employer.
6. Includes all supplementary labour income. † Revised. * Preliminary.

NOTE: For 1952 data see page 83 in the "Financial Supplement 1955" and for 1953–1956 data see page 113 in the "Financial Supplement 1956".

NEW PASSENGER AUTOMOBILE STATISTICS[1]

Thousands of Units — *"Ward's Automotive Reports" and Dominion Bureau of Statistics*

	Cdn. Passenger Automobiles: Production	Cdn. Passenger Automobiles: *Less:* Exports 2	Imports of New Passenger Automobiles 3: From U.S.A.	Imports: From U.K.	Imports: From all other Countries	Imports: Total Imports	Total Domestic Supply	Domestic Sales: Total	Domestic Sales: *% Financed* 4	Apparent Change in Stocks 5	Total Registrations (New and Used)
Annual Totals											
1948	167.8	31.5	2.8	14.2	–	17.0	153.3	145.7	*20.5*	+7.6	1,496.8
1949	193.0	16.5	3.6	31.2	0.5	35.3	211.8	202.3	*26.3*	+9.5	1,672.4
1950	282.7	24.6	3.2	77.6	0.9	81.7	339.8	324.9	*29.9*	+14.9	1,906.9
1951	281.6	39.6	14.1	25.7	–	39.8	281.8	275.7	*29.6*	+6.1	2,097.6
1952	284.6	38.1	13.8	19.8	1.1	34.7	281.2	292.1	*42.8*	−10.9	2,296.4
1953	366.5	40.4	23.5	28.1	1.5	53.1	379.2	359.2	*40.8*	+20.0	2,513.8
1954	285.6	19.7	18.0	17.5	3.0	38.4	304.3	310.5	*40.6*	−6.2	2,688.5
1955	377.6	25.7	27.4	15.0	6.1	48.5	400.4	387.0	*40.4*	+13.4	2,935.4
1956	373.7	25.0	38.8	20.7	16.6	76.1	424.9	407.7	*46.6*	+17.1	3,187.1
Quarterly											
1954—III	40.9	5.0	1.8	2.9	0.8	5.5	41.4	72.8	*46.6*	−31.4	*
IV	45.4	0.2	3.1	2.0	0.8	5.9	51.1	51.8	*44.5*	−0.7	*
1955—I	99.3	4.4	6.4	2.5	0.7	9.6	104.5	70.8	*34.5*	+33.7	*
II	134.3	11.7	6.2	6.1	2.0	14.3	136.9	144.2	*36.0*	−7.3	*
III	73.1	5.6	8.0	3.9	1.6	13.6	81.1	98.4	*49.5*	−17.3	*
IV	70.9	4.0	6.8	2.4	1.8	11.0	77.9	73.5	*41.6*	+4.4	*
1956—I	85.9	6.8	21.9	4.6	3.7	30.3	109.4	76.7	*37.9*	+32.7	*
II	135.8	9.0	12.3	8.4	4.7	25.3	152.1	152.7	*41.7*	−0.6	*
III	58.0	5.7	1.0	3.6	3.6	8.2	60.6	102.4	*56.3*	−41.8	*
IV	94.0	3.5	3.6	4.1	4.6	12.3	102.8	76.0	*52.2*	+26.8	*
1957—I**	105.8	5.6	6.5	4.9	5.1	16.5	116.7	91.3	*37.4*	+25.4	*
II**	112.3	6.2	5.2	9.3	7.1	21.6	127.7	128.7	*41.7*	−1.0	*
III**	51.9	3.6	0.9	6.6	5.9	13.4	61.7	92.5	*53.4*	−30.8	*

1. Includes Newfoundland commencing in 1949. 2. Manufacturers' shipments for export. 3. Less re-exports, assumed to be entirely of other than U.S.A. origin. 4. Data on domestic sales financed include only financing through sales finance companies. 5. In the hands of manufacturers, wholesalers and retailers. A limited number of new automobiles pass into use without being reported in sales of new vehicles (e.g. dealers' demonstration models). Thus the "Apparent Change in Stocks" contains an upward bias which makes any cumulative estimate unreliable, especially over periods longer than one year.
* Not available. ** Preliminary.

NEW COMMERCIAL VEHICLE STATISTICS[1]

Thousands of Units — *"Ward's Automotive Reports" and Dominion Bureau of Statistics*

	Cdn. Commercial Vehicles: Production	Cdn. Commercial Vehicles: *Less:* Exports 2	Imports of New Commercial Vehicles 3: From U.S.A.	Imports: From U.K.	Imports: From All other Countries	Imports: Total Imports	Total Domestic Supply	Domestic Sales: Total	Domestic Sales: *% Financed* 4	Apparent Change in Stocks 5	Total Registrations (New and Used)
Annual Totals											
1948	95.8	23.4	1.5	2.1	–	3.6	76.0	75.6	*29.0*	+0.4	504.2
1949	98.0	13.3	1.2	2.2	–	3.4	88.1	84.0	*33.7*	+4.1	578.3
1950	105.4	9.2	1.6	5.2	–	6.8	103.0	104.8	*36.5*	−1.8	649.7
1951	133.2	27.2	3.4	2.3	–	5.7	111.7	110.0	*40.5*	+1.7	731.6
1952	149.1	37.7	3.2	1.1	–	4.3	115.7	108.7	*43.9*	+7.0	817.3
1953	117.3	19.8	4.1	0.9	0.3	5.3	102.8	103.4	*41.2*	−0.6	876.7
1954	66.4	10.2	4.1	0.3	0.5	4.9	61.1	72.1	*38.9*	−11.0	918.5
1955	75.1	9.4	7.7	0.4	1.3	9.4	75.1	78.7	*36.7*	−3.6	977.1
1956	98.7	8.5	10.6	0.6	1.9	13.1	103.3	91.7	*38.0*	+11.6	1,008.0
Quarterly											
1954—III	9.6	1.9	0.7	0.1	0.2	1.0	8.7	16.8	*40.9*	−8.1	*
IV	9.6	1.2	1.3	0.1	0.1	1.5	9.9	13.0	*41.1*	−3.1	*
1955—I	13.3	1.8	1.3	0.1	0.2	1.6	13.1	12.5	*33.3*	+0.6	*
II	33.8	4.7	1.9	0.2	0.4	2.4	31.5	25.7	*33.8*	+5.8	*
III	17.7	1.8	2.4	0.1	0.3	2.8	18.7	22.9	*40.4*	−4.2	*
IV	10.3	1.1	2.2	0.1	0.4	2.6	11.8	17.6	*38.6*	−5.8	*
1956—I	20.4	2.1	2.6	0.1	0.5	3.2	21.5	16.5	*31.1*	+5.0	*
II	33.9	2.7	3.4	0.2	0.5	4.1	35.3	29.8	*35.1*	+5.5	*
III	21.1	2.3	2.8	0.1	0.3	3.2	22.0	25.3	*40.0*	−3.3	*
IV	23.3	1.4	1.8	0.2	0.6	2.6	24.5	20.1	*44.5*	+4.4	*
1957—I**	20.4	1.7	1.9	0.2	0.5	2.6	21.3	18.9	*36.3*	+2.4	*
II**	24.2	2.7	1.9	0.3	0.5	2.7	24.2	25.7	*36.8*	−1.5	*
III**	12.4	1.7	1.5	0.1	0.6	2.2	12.9	18.7	*38.8*	−5.8	*

1. Includes Newfoundland commencing in 1949. 2. Manufacturers' shipments for export. 3. Less re-exports, assumed to be entirely of other than U.S.A. origin. 4. Data on domestic sales financed include only financing through sales finance comganies. 5. In the hands of manufacturers, wholesalers and retailers. A limited number of new vehicles pass into use without being reported in sales of new vehicles. Thus the "Apparent Change in Stocks" contains an upward bias which makes any cumulative estimate unreliable, especially over periods longer than one year.
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NATIONAL ACCOUNTS: QUARTERLY[1]

DATA NOT SEASONALLY ADJUSTED

Dominion Bureau of Statistics

Millions of Dollars

	First Quarter				Second Quarter				Third Quarter				Fourth Quarter				Years			
	1954	1955	1956*	1957*	1954	1955	1956*	1957*	1954	1955	1956*	1957*	1953	1954	1955	1956*	1953	1954	1955	1956*
NATIONAL INCOME AND GROSS NATIONAL PRODUCT																				
Wages, salaries and supplementary labour income	2,856	2,969	3,261	3,607	2,948	3,150	3,510	3,810	3,075	3,315	3,727	3,995	3,012	3,115	3,376	3,786	11,715	11,994	12,810	14,284
Military pay and allowances	83	93	93	108	92	100	106	116	95	101	113	131	83	97	100	112	309	367	394	424
Investment income	817	876	1,070	1,085	956	1,123	1,276	1,244	995	1,229	1,290	1,260	864	893	1,111	1,146	3,782	3,661	4,339	4,782
Net income of unincorporated business: farm [2]	59	−17	−2	37	147	198	111	104	740	1,063	1,267	916	146	201	160	232	1,652	1,147	1,404	1,608
other [3]	319	347	376	388	418	460	497	502	432	478	537	542	442	456	508	541	1,675	1,625	1,793	1,951
Net National Income At Factor Cost	**4,134**	**4,268**	**4,798**	**5,225**	**4,561**	**5,031**	**5,500**	**5,776**	**5,337**	**6,186**	**6,934**	**6,844**	**4,547**	**4,762**	**5,255**	**5,817**	**19,133**	**18,794**	**20,740**	**23,049**
Indirect taxes less subsidies	724	756	855	955	741	800	909	949	734	831	912	964	740	748	851	925	2,907	2,947	3,238	3,601
Depreciation and similar business costs [4]	613	652	710	785	673	712	780	854	675	744	819	873	664	712	770	842	2,418	2,673	2,878	3,151
Residual error of estimate	−74	+63	+18	−34	−6	−3	−58	−93	−14	−23	−11	−29	+71	+16	+23	+116	+15	−78	+60	+65
G.N.P. At Market Prices	**5,397**	**5,739**	**6,381**	**6,931**	**5,969**	**6,540**	**7,131**	**7,486**	**6,732**	**7,738**	**8,654**	**8,652**	**6,022**	**6,238**	**6,899**	**7,700**	**24,473**	**24,336**	**26,916**	**29,866**
G.N.P. less accrued net income of farm operators	5,338	5,756	6,383	6,894	5,822	6,342	7,020	7,382	5,992	6,675	7,387	7,736	5,876	6,037	6,739	7,468	22,821	23,189	25,512	28,258
GROSS NATIONAL EXPENDITURE																				
Personal expenditure on consumer goods and services	3,575	3,862	4,202	4,517	3,967	4,314	4,617	4,854	3,890	4,169	4,518	4,758	4,193	4,449	4,794	5,219	15,112	15,881	17,139	18,556
Government expenditure on goods and services: non-defence [5]	540	652	699	750	645	648	744	845	808	878	1,054	1,148	674	693	794	912	2,481	2,686	2,972	3,409
defence [6]	528	520	490	509	360	390	394	386	399	413	448	442	464	440	433	468	1,907	1,727	1,756	1,800
Gross domestic investment [7]: housing [8]	206	255	296	265	283	375	422	358	334	428	436	400	296	343	423	402	1,061	1,166	1,481	1,556
non-residential construction	356	366	436	549	398	426	589	735	475	544	789	904	460	430	511	735	1,706	1,659	1,847	2,549
machinery and equipment	439	401	519	630	585	563	729	753	421	489	629	576	439	396	494	635	2,073	1,841	1,947	2,512
change in inventories: business [9]	+99	+198	+377	+335	−5	+9	+227	+111	−99	+66	+33	−61	−76	−140	+46	+105	+395	−145	+319	+742
other [9]	−236	−285	−267	−253	−100	−13	−203	−118	+479	+813	+953	+642	−311	−273	−324	−286	+196	−130	+191	+197
Exports of goods and services [10, 11]	1,090	1,217	1,342	1,405	1,278	1,437	1,627	1,573	1,400	1,581	1,719	1,760	1,369	1,379	1,518	1,622	5,400	5,147	5,753	6,310
Gross Available Supply	**6,597**	**7,186**	**8,094**	**8,707**	**7,411**	**8,149**	**9,146**	**9,497**	**8,107**	**9,381**	**10,579**	**10,569**	**7,508**	**7,717**	**8,689**	**9,812**	**30,331**	**29,832**	**33,405**	**37,631**
Less: Imports of goods and services [11]	1,274	1,385	1,695	1,810	1,448	1,612	2,072	2,104	1,389	1,666	1,935	1,946	1,415	1,463	1,767	1,997	5,843	5,574	6,430	7,699
Residual error of estimate	+74	−62	−18	+34	+6	+3	+57	+93	+14	+23	+10	+29	−71	−16	−23	−115	−15	+78	−59	−66
G.N.E. At Market Prices	**5,397**	**5,739**	**6,381**	**6,931**	**5,969**	**6,540**	**7,131**	**7,486**	**6,732**	**7,738**	**8,654**	**8,652**	**6,022**	**6,238**	**6,899**	**7,700**	**24,473**	**24,336**	**26,916**	**29,866**
GROSS NATIONAL EXPENDITURE IN CONSTANT (1949) DOLLARS																				
Personal expenditure on consumer goods and services	3,032	3,255	3,533	3,660	3,359	3,663	3,888	3,924	3,276	3,537	3,764	3,816	3,572	3,769	4,070	4,317	12,905	13,436	14,525	15,502
Government expenditure on goods and services [5, 6]	816	873	845	835	758	757	781	801	919	951	1,046	1,058	881	855	883	945	3,452	3,348	3,464	3,617
Gross domestic investment [7]: housing [8]	162	197	219	193	221	287	310	257	260	323	318	286	231	266	317	293	832	909	1,124	1,140
non-residential construction	268	275	307	375	302	319	412	501	363	402	551	614	346	329	368	508	1,287	1,262	1,364	1,778
machinery and equipment	359	324	396	455	471	457	555	541	343	392	476	414	361	320	382	463	1,725	1,493	1,555	1,890
change in inventories: business	+130	+144	+259	+252	−3	−13	+111	+70	−60	+12	−28	−52	−41	−131	−33	+26	+328	−64	+110	+368
other	−270	−329	−308	−254	−145	−81	−252	−187	+493	+1,045	+1,162	+779	−403	−283	−359	−351	+256	−205	+276	+251
Exports of goods and services [10, 11]	993	1,084	1,143	1,166	1,152	1,249	1,377	1,296	1,265	1,366	1,451	1,473	1,247	1,261	1,299	1,367	4,856	4,671	4,998	5,338
Gross Available Supply	**5,490**	**5,823**	**6,394**	**6,682**	**6,115**	**6,638**	**7,182**	**7,203**	**6,859**	**8,028**	**8,740**	**8,388**	**6,194**	**6,386**	**6,927**	**7,568**	**25,641**	**24,850**	**27,416**	**29,884**
Less: Imports of goods and services [11]	1,162	1,246	1,455	1,527	1,305	1,443	1,782	1,767	1,256	1,489	1,675	1,651	1,283	1,335	1,543	1,725	5,297	5,058	5,721	6,637
Residual error of estimate	+61	−50	−14	+26	+5	+2	+44	+70	+11	+18	+8	+22	−59	−13	−18	−90	−12	+64	−48	−52
G.N.E. At Market Prices	**4,389**	**4,527**	**4,925**	**5,181**	**4,815**	**5,197**	**5,444**	**5,506**	**5,614**	**6,557**	**7,073**	**6,759**	**4,852**	**5,038**	**5,366**	**5,753**	**20,332**	**19,856**	**21,647**	**23,195**
PERSONAL INCOME AND EXPENDITURE																				
Wages, salaries and supplementary labour income	2,856	2,969	3,261	3,607	2,948	3,150	3,510	3,810	3,075	3,315	3,727	3,995	3,012	3,115	3,376	3,786	11,715	11,994	12,810	14,284
Less: Social insurance and Government pension fund contributions [12]	95	100	111	125	98	103	115	123	100	107	119	132	100	103	113	119	390	396	423	464
Military pay and allowances	83	93	93	108	92	100	106	116	95	101	113	131	83	97	100	112	309	367	394	424
Net income of unincorporated business [13]	383	309	370	445	574	675	614	628	1,151	1,528	1,784	1,433	654	668	663	771	3,332	2,776	3,175	3,539
Interest, dividends and net rental income of persons [14]	404	463	480	523	462	489	534	587	444	484	517	567	425	473	521	566	1,649	1,783	1,957	2,097
Transfer payments to persons [15]	488	548	554	605	400	433	435	485	393	407	421	504	364	404	400	416	1,517	1,685	1,788	1,826
Personal Income	**4,119**	**4,282**	**4,647**	**5,163**	**4,378**	**4,744**	**5,084**	**5,503**	**5,058**	**5,728**	**6,443**	**6,498**	**4,438**	**4,654**	**4,947**	**5,532**	**18,132**	**18,209**	**19,701**	**21,706**
Less: Personal direct taxes [16]	339	360	400	466	392	377	459	497	341	371	426	472	336	365	383	435	1,432	1,437	1,491	1,720
Personal Disposable Income	**3,780**	**3,922**	**4,247**	**4,697**	**3,986**	**4,367**	**4,625**	**5,006**	**4,717**	**5,357**	**6,017**	**6,026**	**4,102**	**4,289**	**4,564**	**5,097**	**16,700**	**16,772**	**18,210**	**19,986**
Expenditure on goods: non-durables	1,917	2,111	2,310	2,470	2,187	2,367	2,506	2,661	2,232	2,348	2,550	2,685	2,495	2,661	2,847	3,147	8,581	8,997	9,673	10,513
durables	396	381	428	457	467	545	605	574	406	487	516	512	452	425	506	512	1,790	1,694	1,919	2,061
Expenditure on services (including net expenditures abroad)	1,262	1,370	1,464	1,590	1,313	1,402	1,506	1,619	1,252	1,334	1,452	1,561	1,246	1,363	1,441	1,560	4,741	5,190	5,547	5,982
Personal saving: in farm inventories	−192	−227	−229	−246	−67	−9	−195	−133	+462	+765	+926	+625	−399	−318	−318	−333	+50	−115	+211	+169
other	+397	+287	+274	+426	+86	+62	+203	+285	+365	+423	+573	+643	+308	+158	+88	+211	+1,538	+1,006	+860	+1,261

For footnotes see pages 418–419.

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NATIONAL ACCOUNTS: QUARTERLY[1]

SEASONALLY ADJUSTED AT ANNUAL RATES[17]

Dominion Bureau of Statistics

Millions of Dollars

	1953	1954				1955				1956*				1957*		
	IV	I	II	III	IV	I	II	III	IV	I	II	III	IV	I	II	III
NATIONAL INCOME AND GROSS NATIONAL PRODUCT																
Wages, salaries and supplementary labour income	11,792	11,836	11,876	12,048	12,216	12,360	12,672	12,976	13,232	13,636	14,108	14,560	14,832	15,076	15,288	15,616
Military pay and allowances	332	332	368	380	388	372	400	404	400	372	424	452	448	456	456	512
Investment income	3,704	3,596	3,696	3,620	3,732	3,864	4,304	4,512	4,676	4,748	4,784	4,736	4,860	4,800	4,696	4,604
Net income of unincorporated business: farm[2]	1,736	1,204	1,120	1,104	1,160	1,312	1,448	1,412	1,444	1,576	1,584	1,568	1,704	1,316	1,276	1,232
other[3]	1,636	1,624	1,616	1,604	1,656	1,752	1,776	1,812	1,832	1,916	1,920	2,012	1,956	1,964	1,960	1,988
NET NATIONAL INCOME AT FACTOR COST	**19,200**	**18,592**	**18,676**	**18,756**	**19,152**	**19,660**	**20,600**	**21,116**	**21,584**	**22,248**	**22,820**	**23,328**	**23,800**	**23,612**	**23,676**	**23,952**
Indirect taxes less subsidies	2,868	2,960	2,956	2,904	2,968	3,096	3,192	3,284	3,380	3,480	3,628	3,604	3,692	3,872	3,764	3,800
Depreciation and similar business costs[4]	2,556	2,580	2,688	2,688	2,736	2,772	2,844	2,920	2,976	3,048	3,112	3,176	3,268	3,340	3,416	3,424
Residual error of estimate	+92	−120	−172	−64	+44	+204	−12	+76	−28	+108	−32	+28	+156	−108	−120	−148
G.N.P. AT MARKET PRICES	**24,716**	**24,012**	**24,148**	**24,284**	**24,900**	**25,732**	**26,624**	**27,396**	**27,912**	**28,884**	**29,528**	**30,136**	**30,916**	**30,716**	**30,736**	**31,028**
G.N.P. less accrued net income of farm operators	22,980	22,808	23,028	23,180	23,740	24,420	25,176	25,984	26,468	27,308	27,944	28,568	29,212	29,400	29,460	29,796
GROSS NATIONAL EXPENDITURE																
Personal expenditure on consumer goods and services	15,296	15,444	15,772	16,064	16,244	16,488	17,020	17,332	17,716	17,936	18,284	18,808	19,196	19,368	19,316	19,676
Government expenditure on goods and services[5, 6]	4,324	4,272	4,460	4,440	4,480	4,632	4,680	4,772	4,828	5,020	5,148	5,356	5,312	5,276	5,584	5,660
Gross domestic investment[7]: housing[8]	1,108	1,112	1,092	1,196	1,264	1,376	1,444	1,532	1,572	1,584	1,612	1,548	1,480	1,432	1,376	1,404
non-residential construction	1,760	1,724	1,640	1,624	1,648	1,776	1,772	1,856	1,984	2,228	2,476	2,664	2,828	2,788	3,036	3,064
machinery and equipment	1,888	1,876	1,972	1,776	1,740	1,748	1,884	2,040	2,116	2,268	2,452	2,624	2,704	2,724	2,576	2,424
change in inventories: business[9]	+312	+292	−396	−400	−76	+276	−16	+528	+488	+992	+856	+396	+724	+568	+408	+188
other[9]	+540	−268	−156	−128	+32	+104	+224	+212	+224	+292	−32	+144	+384	−44	−16	−172
Exports of goods and services[10, 11]	5,160	4,948	5,108	5,176	5,356	5,560	5,680	5,868	5,904	6,156	6,392	6,348	6,344	6,420	6,204	6,444
GROSS AVAILABLE SUPPLY	**30,388**	**29,400**	**29,492**	**29,748**	**30,688**	**31,960**	**32,688**	**34,140**	**34,832**	**36,476**	**37,188**	**37,888**	**38,972**	**38,532**	**38,484**	**38,688**
Less: Imports of goods and services[11]	5,576	5,508	5,516	5,528	5,744	6,028	6,080	6,668	6,944	7,480	7,692	7,728	7,896	7,924	7,868	7,808
Residual error of estimate	−96	+120	+172	+64	−44	−200	+16	−76	+24	−112	+32	−24	−160	+108	+120	+148
G.N.E. AT MARKET PRICES	**24,716**	**24,012**	**24,148**	**24,284**	**24,900**	**25,732**	**26,624**	**27,396**	**27,912**	**28,884**	**29,528**	**30,136**	**30,916**	**30,716**	**30,736**	**31,028**
PERSONAL INCOME AND EXPENDITURE																
Wages, salaries and supplementary labour income	11,792	11,836	11,876	12,048	12,216	12,360	12,672	12,976	13,232	13,636	14,108	14,560	14,832	15,076	15,288	15,616
Less: Social insurance and Government pension contributions[12]	388	388	396	400	400	408	416	428	440	452	464	476	464	512	496	528
Military pay and allowances	332	332	368	380	388	372	400	404	400	372	424	452	448	456	456	512
Net income of unincorporated business[13]	3,552	2,852	2,780	2,608	2,864	2,976	3,292	3,172	3,260	3,476	3,528	3,500	3,652	3,360	3,326	3,120
Interest, dividends and net rental income of persons[14]	1,652	1,702	1,776	1,812	1,824	1,968	1,880	1,976	2,004	2,044	2,056	2,112	2,176	2,224	2,268	2,312
Transfer payments to persons[15]	1,596	1,604	1,668	1,700	1,768	1,808	1,812	1,772	1,760	1,824	1,816	1,836	1,828	1,956	2,020	2,208
PERSONAL INCOME	**18,536**	**17,956**	**18,072**	**18,148**	**18,660**	**19,076**	**19,640**	**19,872**	**20,216**	**20,900**	**21,468**	**21,984**	**22,472**	**33,560**	**22,860**	**23,240**
Less: Personal direct taxes[16]	1,408	1,392	1,452	1,416	1,488	1,472	1,400	1,540	1,552	1,616	1,708	1,776	1,780	1,884	1,900	1,968
PERSONAL DISPOSABLE INCOME	**17,128**	**16,564**	**16,620**	**16,732**	**17,172**	**17,604**	**18,240**	**18,332**	**18,664**	**19,284**	**19,760**	**20,208**	**20,692**	**20,676**	**20,960**	**21,272**
Expenditure on goods: non-durables	8,604	8,652	8,976	9,156	9,204	9,324	9,612	9,760	9,996	10,196	10,272	10,668	10,916	10,912	10,924	11,096
durables	1,776	1,784	1,664	1,660	1,668	1,720	1,916	2,008	2,032	1,948	2,100	2,112	2,084	2,132	2,012	2,088
Expenditure on services (including net expenditure abroad)	4,916	5,008	5,132	5,248	5,372	5,444	5,492	5,564	5,688	5,792	5,912	6,028	6,196	6,324	6,360	6,492
TOTAL PERSONAL SAVING	**+1,832**	**+1,120**	**+848**	**+668**	**+928**	**+1,116**	**+1,220**	**+1,000**	**+948**	**+1,348**	**+1,476**	**+1,400**	**+1,496**	**+1,308**	**+1,644**	**+1,596**

1. Quarterly figures are available back to the beginning of 1947. The sources are the D.B.S. publications: "National Accounts, Income and Expenditure, By Quarters, 1947–1952" and "National Accounts, Income and Expenditure, First Quarter, 1956" and "Third Quarter, 1957".
2. Accrued net income of farm operators from farm production. This item includes the undistributed earnings of the Canadian Wheat Board, and an inventory valuation adjustment for grain held by the Board.
3. Includes net income of independent professional practitioners.
4. Includes an estimate of capital outlay charged to current account, the claim portion of fire insurance premiums, and bad debt allowances.
5. Includes expenditure by Federal, Provincial and Municipal governments. Capital expenditure by government bodies other than public business enterprises, changes in inventories of government commodity agencies.
6. The Defence Production Revolving Fund is included in this item. However, shipments under NATO of previously produced military equipment are excluded but expenditure for the replacement of new equipment is included.
7. Includes capital expenditure by government business enterprises.
8. In 1955, data were based on a redesigned and enlarged sample and some discontinuity with previous years may exist.
9. Change in business inventories is the change in the book value. Change in "other inventories" is the value of the physical change in grain in commercial channels and inventories on farms.
10. Excludes exports financed by Government of Canada expenditure on Mutual Aid and foreign relief.
11. Minor adjustments have been made by D.B.S. to the figures of current receipts and payments as shown in the "Canadian Balance of International Payments" to achieve consistency with National Accounts concepts.
12. Includes both employer and employee contributions.
13. This item differs from the corresponding component of G.N.P. in that it excludes undistributed earnings (and inventory valuation adjustment) of the Canadian Wheat Board.
14. Includes all government debt interest paid to persons.
15. Includes transfer payments made by governments (except interest paid on transfer portion of the public debt), charitable donations from corporations and net bad debt losses of the corporations. In the G.N.P. account the latter are included in the item "Depreciation and Similar Business Costs" and amounted to an average of 7 (unadjusted) and 26 (adjusted at annual rates) per quarter over the last 16 quarters.
16. Includes succession duties and miscellaneous taxes as well as personal income taxes.
17. Note on Seasonal Adjustment:

Except in the case of crop production seasonal adjustments are based on normal seasonal patterns, and the effects of abnormal seasonal influences, as well as of all non-seasonal influences, are left in the seasonally-adjusted figures. In the case of crop production the annual value is divided equally between the four quarters of the calendar year.

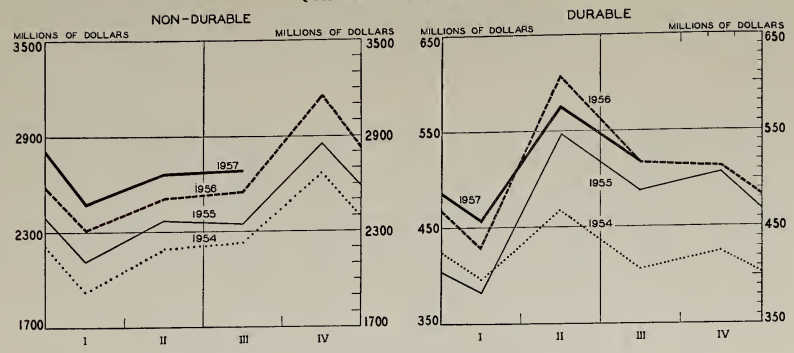
* Preliminary.

NOTE: FOR 1952 DATA SEE PAGES 70–71 IN THE "FINANCIAL SUPPLEMENT 1955" AND FOR 1953–1956 DATA SEE PAGES 106–107 IN THE "FINANCIAL SUPPLEMENT 1956". FOR QUARTERLY DATA 1947–1951 FOR SOME OF THESE SERIES SEE PAGE 89 IN THE "FINANCIAL SUPPLEMENT 1954".

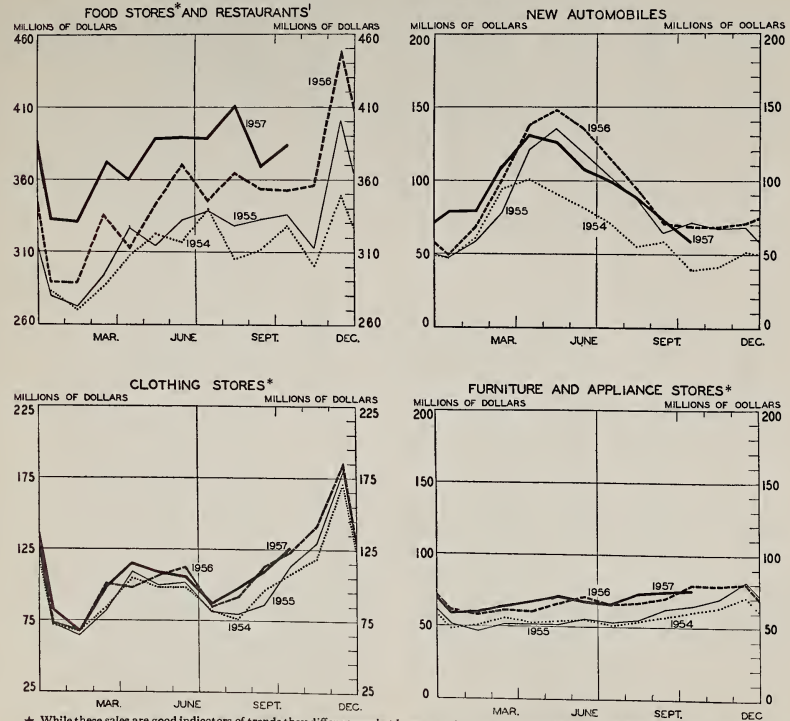
CONSUMER EXPENDITURE ON GOODS

Dominion Bureau of Statistics

QUARTERLY ESTIMATES



TOTAL MONTHLY SALES OF SELECTED RETAIL OUTLETS★



★ While these sales are good indicators of trends they differ somewhat in amount from the actual consumer expenditure on the items selected.

* Includes department store sales in these categories.

1. Consists of grocery and combination stores, other food and beverage stores, and restaurants.

VOLUME OF INDUSTRIAL PRODUCTION

INDEXES NOT SEASONALLY ADJUSTED

1935–39 = 100 *"Canadian Statistical Review", Dominion Bureau of Statistics*

	Total	Mining	Manufacturing			Electricity and Manufactured Gas
			Total	Non-Durables	Durables	
Weighting	100.0	16.8	75.6	46.1	29.5	7.6
Annual Average						
1951	226.5	161.8	242.1	214.0	285.9	214.2
1952	233.0	174.7	246.3	215.2	294.8	228.8
1953	248.4	185.8	263.0	224.1	323.9	241.9
1954	244.6	209.7	251.4	221.7	297.7	254.6
1955	265.8	242.0	270.1	235.2	324.8	275.7
1956	284.4	272.5	285.6	245.6	248.9	295.2
Monthly						
1956—Feb.	266.4	243.6	269.7	232.8	327.5	283.2
Mar.	277.5	250.5	282.5	240.9	347.5	286.9
Apr.	277.4	234.5	286.6	244.1	353.0	279.8
May	283.3	257.5	288.0	244.3	356.3	293.2
June	298.7	279.5	303.3	260.1	370.8	295.3
July	285.5	284.3	286.1	240.2	358.0	282.7
Aug.	288.6	294.3	287.3	252.5	341.8	289.1
Sept.	298.8	308.6	296.5	260.2	353.2	300.6
Oct.	300.7	308.4	297.1	256.4	360.8	319.5
Nov.	298.2	298.4	296.2	254.4	361.6	317.1
Dec.	279.4	270.4	277.7	237.7	340.3	316.3
1957—Jan.	272.0	262.7	269.8	227.3	336.2	314.6
Feb.	281.9	264.7	282.3	242.5	344.5	315.4
Mar.	283.0	258.2	286.2	245.4	349.9	306.4
Apr.	285.3	274.0	285.1	247.1	344.5	312.2
May	289.9	295.1	288.1	251.6	345.2	296.0
June	297.0	306.9	296.2	263.3	347.7	283.5
July	283.7	309.0	277.5†	244.9	328.5†	290.1
Aug.	286.7	307.3	283.0	258.2	321.8*	278.4
Sept.	291.8*	323.9*	284.9*	261.8*	321.0*	289.5
Oct.	289.9*	311.9*	282.7*	253.8*	328.0*	312.9

† Revised. * Preliminary.

NOTE: For 1952 data see page 82 in the "Financial Supplement 1955" and for 1953–1956 see page 116 in the "Financial Supplement 1956".

HOUSING STATISTICS

Central Mortgage and Housing Corporation and Dominion Bureau of Statistics

	Dwellings in New Structures 1						Composite Indexes of Residential Building Costs			Residential Construction Expenditure
	Areas of 5,000 Population and over 2			All Areas 3			Residential Building Materials 5	Wage Rates of All Construction Workers 6	Residential Building Materials and Wage Rates 5	3, 7
	Starts	Completions	Under Construction 4	Starts	Completions	Under Construction 4				
	thousands of units						*1949 = 100*			*$ Millions*
Calendar Years										
1951	47.4	61.2	28.2	68.6	81.3	43.2	125.5	119.2	123.1	1,043
1952	63.4	54.3	37.0	83.2	73.1	55.7	124.9	129.5	126.6	1,289
1953	80.3	73.4	42.8	102.4	96.8	59.9	123.9	137.2	128.9	1,297
1954	89.8	80.6	51.3	113.5	102.0	68.6	121.7	141.1	129.0	1,400
1955	97.4	93.9	53.7	138.3	127.9	79.3	124.3	146.6	132.7	1,737
1956	87.3	95.2	44.4	127.3	135.7	68.7	128.5	152.4	137.5	1,830
Monthly										
1956—June	11.0	7.8	51.4	19.4	13.6	79.9	129.0	148.5	136.3	
July	11.1	7.4	55.1	15.9	9.7	86.1	129.0	148.9	136.5	
Aug.	9.0	7.4	56.8	14.0	10.7	89.4	129.0	150.5	137.1	507
Sept.	8.9	7.7	57.9	13.3	12.2	90.4	128.7	151.1	137.1	
Oct.	7.8	10.7	54.8	11.8	18.5	83.4	128.8	152.4	137.7	
Nov.	5.7	10.1	50.1	8.0	14.1	77.2	128.7	151.9	137.4	474
Dec.	3.2	8.7	44.4	4.1	12.5	68.7	128.4	153.0	137.6	
1957—Jan.	1.4	7.1	39.7	1.9	10.2	60.5	128.6	153.3	137.9	
Feb.	1.7	6.0	35.4	2.1	7.5	55.1	128.7	153.4	138.0	334
Mar.	3.4	5.2	33.4	4.4	6.9	52.6	128.9	153.6	138.2	
Apr.	6.1	5.5	33.6	8.7	7.0	54.7	128.8	156.7	139.3	
May	8.4	5.6	36.2	13.6	7.6	60.6	129.2	157.5	139.8	429
June	9.6	5.5	40.4	18.1	11.2	67.6	129.1	158.3	140.1	
July	9.0	6.4	42.9	13.5	8.7	71.8	129.0	158.3	140.0	
Aug.	8.8	5.6	46.1	13.6	8.5	76.6	128.6	160.0	140.4	476
Sept.	7.9	7.1	46.9	12.6	11.2	77.9	128.3	160.7	140.5	
Oct.	8.8	8.3	47.3	13.7	16.0	75.3	127.9	161.5	140.5	
Nov.	9.6	8.6	48.3	11.9	11.9	74.9	126.6	162.0	139.9	

1. Excludes conversions. From 1951 to 1956 these are estimated to have totalled approximately 3.5, 3.2, 3.8, 4.4, 4.3 and 3.6 thousand respectively. 2. Based on a complete enumeration. 3. In areas outside the centres of 5,000 population and over, information relating to starts and completions is based on a sample survey. In the latter part of 1954 the sample was redesigned and enlarged and some discontinuity with previous years resulted. There is probably an understatement of total starts and completions and of expenditures in 1954 and earlier years. 4. At end of period. 5. Calendar year figures are the average of 12 months. 6. Index of average hourly wage rates including holiday pay allowances. Annual data refer to the month of October each year. 7. Expenditures on work put in place for new dwellings, major improvements, repair and maintenance.

NOTE: For 1952 data see page 78 in the "Financial Supplement 1955" and for 1953–1956 data see page 108 in the "Financial Supplement 1956".

MORTGAGE LOANS APPROVED BY LENDING INSTITUTIONS AND C.M.H.C. ON NEW NON-FARM RESIDENTIAL CONSTRUCTION[1]

Central Mortgage and Housing Corporation

Number of Units — *Millions of Dollars*

	Number of Units											Dollar Value										
	Chartered Banks	Life Insurance Companies			Trust, Loan and Other[2] Companies			CMHC	Total			Chartered Banks	Life Insurance Companies			Trust, Loan and Other[2] Companies			CMHC	Total		
	NHA 3	NHA 3	Other	Total	NHA 3	Other	Total	NHA 3, 4	NHA 3	Other	Total	NHA 3	NHA 3	Other	Total	NHA 3	Other	Total	NHA 3, 4	NHA 3	Other	Total
Calendar Years																						
1951	–	20,199	12,424	32,623	990	5,027	6,017	1,864	23,053	17,451	**40,504**	–	134.6	73.2	207.8	6.4	23.0	29.4	11.3	152.4	96.1	**248.5**
1952	–	28,463	8,922	37,385	1,045	7,596	8,641	6,980	36,488	16,518	**53,006**	–	210.2	51.7	262.0	8.4	32.0	40.7	47.7	266.3	84.0	**350.4**
1953	–	31,440	13,248	44,688	1,169	10,442	11,611	8,213	40,822	23,690	**64,512**	–	246.7	73.1	319.7	9.1	45.8	54.8	58.1	313.8	118.8	**432.7**
1954	16,906	31,142	18,084	49,226	2,376	16,408	18,784	3,586	54,010	34,492	**88,502**	158.5	281.8	113.1	394.9	24.0	67.2	91.2	26.0	490.3	180.3	**670.6**
1955	34,457	27,756	23,022	50,778	4,166	15,245	19,411	2,355	68,734	38,267	**107,001**	326.2	271.1	157.2	428.3	42.0	77.8	119.9	18.0	657.4	235.0	**892.4**
1956	15,897	21,756	23,520	45,276	3,805	11,762	15,567	2,565	44,023	35,282	**79,305**	158.4	227.0	189.7	416.7	40.1	65.2	105.2	19.9	445.3	254.9	**700.2**
11 Months																						
1956	15,746	21,390			3,796			2,429	43,361										18.7	439.8		
1957	15,288	8,771			838			22,174	47,071										207.8	480.3		
Quarterly																						
1955—I	3,182	5,063	5,146	10,209	519	3,430	3,949	193	8,957	8,576	**17,533**	29.8	48.3	34.1	82.4	5.6	16.6	22.2	1.8	85.4	50.8	**136.2**
II	10,460	11,097	4,743	15,840	1,707	4,376	6,083	817	24,081	9,119	**33,200**	98.6	108.1	27.6	135.7	16.9	21.2	38.1	6.3	230.0	48.8	**278.8**
III	12,766	7,267	7,089	14,356	1,120	4,005	5,125	908	22,061	11,094	**33,155**	121.7	73.0	49.0	122.0	11.5	22.5	34.0	6.8	212.9	71.5	**284.4**
IV	8,049	4,329	6,044	10,373	820	3,434	4,254	437	13,635	9,478	**23,113**	76.2	41.8	46.5	88.3	8.0	17.5	25.6	3.1	129.1	64.0	**193.1**
1956—I	2,844	3,199	4,529	7,728	752	2,963	3,715	618	7,413	7,492	**14,905**	26.9	33.4	35.4	68.9	8.0	15.0	23.0	4.1	72.4	50.4	**122.8**
II	6,629	10,570	6,343	16,913	2,045	3,919	5,964	688	19,932	10,262	**30,194**	66.6	109.2	45.0	154.2	21.5	22.8	44.3	5.9	203.3	67.8	**271.1**
III	4,701	6,157	7,227	13,384	798	2,899	3,697	757	12,413	10,126	**22,539**	47.9	66.4	64.3	130.6	8.5	16.3	24.8	5.6	128.4	80.5	**208.9**
IV	1,723	1,830	5,421	7,251	210	1,981	2,191	502	4,265	7,402	**11,667**	17.0	18.0	45.0	63.0	2.1	11.2	13.2	4.3	41.3	56.2	**97.5**
1957—I	403	2,388	4,513	6,901	22	2,410	2,432	546	3,359	6,923	**10,282**	4.1	23.8	34.1	57.9	0.2	13.5	13.8	5.0	33.2	47.6	**80.8**
II	5,179	3,954	6,849	10,803	318	3,638	3,956	3,039	12,490	10,487	**22,977**	56.8	44.5	50.8	95.3	3.5	20.4	23.9	27.4	132.2	71.2	**203.4**
III	6,902	1,906	5,290	7,196	235	3,959	4,194	4,587	13,630	9,249	**22,879**	76.8	20.0	37.8	57.8	2.7	21.7	24.4	41.3	140.8	59.5	**200.3**
Monthly																						
1955—Jan.	547	844			44			65	1,502			5.0	7.7			0.5			0.6	13.8		
Feb.	876	1,490			163			8	2,534			7.9	14.7			1.9			0.1	24.5		
Mar.	1,759	2,729			312			120	4,921			16.8	25.9			3.2			1.1	47.1		
Apr.	2,548	3,433			380			59	6,420			23.8	33.0			4.2			0.5	61.4		
May	3,611	3,979			684			171	8,445			33.7	39.1			6.8			1.5	81.1		
June	4,301	3,685			643			587	9,216			41.1	36.1			5.9			4.3	87.4		
July	4,373	2,504			370			448	7,695			41.7	25.4			4.0			3.2	74.3		
Aug.	4,164	2,428			400			414	7,406			38.9	24.1			4.0			3.3	70.3		
Sept.	4,229	2,335			350			46	6,960			41.1	23.5			3.4			0.4	68.4		
Oct.	3,936	2,195			369			50	6,550			37.3	20.9			3.7			0.4	62.2		
Nov.	2,897	1,539			319			14	4,769			27.4	15.2			3.2			0.1	45.9		
Dec.	1,216	595			132			373	2,316			11.5	5.7			1.1			2.6	20.9		
1956—Jan.	721	396			124			4	1,245			6.4	4.2			1.1			–	11.7		
Feb.	655	988			174			250	2,067			6.3	10.1			1.9			1.6	19.8		
Mar.	1,468	1,815			454			364	4,101			14.2	19.2			5.0			2.5	40.9		
Apr.	2,101	2,949			694			73	5,817			20.9	30.5			7.5			0.7	59.6		
May	2,442	3,767			691			342	7,242			24.7	38.6			6.9			3.0	73.1		
June	2,086	3,854			660			273	6,873			21.1	40.1			7.1			2.2	70.5		
July	1,944	2,383			380			88	4,795			19.4	26.2			3.9			0.8	50.3		
Aug.	1,583	2,396			315			339	4,633			16.4	25.1			3.5			2.5	47.4		
Sept.	1,174	1,378			103			330	2,985			12.0	15.1			1.2			2.4	30.7		
Oct.	1,151	1,040			132			260	2,583			10.9	10.4			1.1			2.2	24.6		
Nov.	421	424			69			106	1,020			4.5	4.9			0.8			0.9	11.2		
Dec.	151	366			9			136	662			1.6	2.7			0.1			1.1	5.5		
1957—Jan.	152	78			2			93	325			1.3	0.9			–			0.9	3.1		
Feb.	75	949			–			108	1,132			0.8	8.5			–			1.0	10.2		
Mar.	176	1,361			20			345	1,902			2.0	14.5			0.2			3.2	19.9		
Apr.	1,009	1,513			100			461	3,083			11.0	16.9			1.1			4.2	33.2		
May	2,004	1,416			115			1,176	4,711			21.5	15.9			1.3			10.6	49.3		
June	2,166	1,025			103			1,402	4,696			24.3	11.7			1.1			12.6	49.7		
July	2,890	1,035			87			1,602	5,614			32.1	10.4			1.0			12.8	56.3		
Aug.	2,339	549			77			627	3,592			26.1	5.8			0.9			6.0	38.9		
Sept.	1,673	322			71			2,358	4,424			18.6	3.7			0.8			22.5	45.6		
Oct.	1,741	334			145			7,784	10,004			19.3	3.8			1.7			76.3	101.1		
Nov.	1,063*	189*			118*			6,218*	7,588*										57.8*	73.1*		

1. Data are on a gross basis i.e. they do not take account of cancellations or alterations of loans after initial approval. 2. Includes mainly fraternal and mutual benefit societies and Quebec savings banks. 3. Loans made under the National Housing Acts.
4. Includes agency loans; i.e. loans made by lending institutions on behalf of CMHC. * Preliminary.

SELECTED SEASONALLY ADJUSTED STATISTICS★

Dominion Bureau of Statistics

	Gross National Production		Personal Income and Expenditure				Change in Business Inventories	Corporation Profits before Taxes 1	Expenditure on Construction 2	External Trade Value Indexes		Labour Force Survey			Industrial Production Index	Manufacturing						
			Labour Income	Disposable Income	Expenditure on Goods					Exports of Goods	Imports of Goods	Without Jobs	Non-Agric. Employment	Employment in Construction		Total		Durable Goods		Non-Durable Goods		
	Total	Ex. Farm			Durable	Non-Dur.										Production Index	Employment Index	Employment Index	Hrs. Worked per Week	Employment Index	Hrs. Worked per Week	
	Millions of Dollars									*1949 = 100*		*1956 = 100*	*Thousands of Persons*		*1935–39 = 100*	*1949 = 100*			*Average*	*1949 = 100*	*Average*	
1955—Nov.	27,912	26,468	13,236	18,664	2,032	9,996	488	3,188	3,556	145	183	114†	4,622	382	277	280	113	121	41.5	105	40.9	Nov.—1955
Dec.			13,320							146	184	112†	4,638		275	278	113	122	41.2	105	40.8	Dec.
1956—Jan.			13,476							157	197	109†	4,659		276	279	113	121	41.2	106	41.1	Jan.—1956
Feb.	28,884	27,308	13,644	19,284	1,948	10,196	992	3,244	3,812	156	196	111†	4,669	391	275	278	114	121	41.2	106	41.1	Feb.
Mar.			13,788							156	213	105†	4,713		281	284	114	123	41.1	106	40.9	Mar.
Apr.			13,992							160	219	105†	4,703		280	282	115	124	41.0	106	40.3	Apr.
May	29,528	27,944	14,100	19,760	2,100	10,272	856	3,260	4,088	151	203	103†	4,715	419	280	282	115	124	41.4	106	40.7	May
June			14,232							165	206	94†	4,743		287	291	116	126	41.1	106	40.9	June
July			14,484							166	207	93†	4,796		289	292	117	127	41.3	107	41.0	July
Aug.	30,136	28,568	14,496	20,208	2,112	10,668	396	3,248	4,212	164	197	95†	4,763	416	287	287	117	127	41.5	108	40.8	Aug.
Sept.			14,700							170	213	93†	4,773		287	286	116	125	41.3	106	40.7	Sept.
Oct.			14,760							167	214	91†	4,798		289	289	117	127	41.3	107	40.9	Oct.
Nov.	30,916	29,212	14,832	20,692	2,084	10,916	724	3,208	4,308	159	220	98	4,854	416	290	291	119	131	41.5	107	40.7	Nov.
Dec.			14,904							164	203	105†	4,836		290	290	119	131	41.2	108	40.7	Dec.
1957—Jan.			14,964							165	213	114†	4,843		291	289	119	130	40.2	108	39.7	Jan.—1957
Feb.	30,716†	29,400†	15,072	20,676†	2,132†	10,912†	568	3,116	4,220†	160	219	115†	4,849	430	292	291	119	130	40.8	108	40.9	Feb.
Mar.			15,192							165	210	121†	4,847		291	290	117	126	40.6	108	40.6	Mar.
Apr.			15,156							151	215	123†	4,882		288	281	117	126	40.9	108	40.6	Apr.
May	30,736†	29,460†	15,288	20,960†	2,012†	10,924†	408	3,088	4,412†	155	205	121	4,949	448	287	283	117	126	40.6	108	40.0	May
June			15,420							160	201	131†	4,961		284	282	117	126	40.8	109	40.3	June
July			15,540							165	198	149	4,965		285	281	117	126	40.7	108	40.6	July
Aug.	31,028	29,796	15,660	21,272	2,088	11,096	188		4,468	174	206	161	4,934	435	283	281†	118	126	41.1	109	40.7	Aug.
Sept.			15,600							166	205	186	4,982		282	277†	116	124	40.6	108	40.4	Sept.
Oct.			15,576*							147	190*	196	4,967	447	278	275	116	124	40.5	108	40.1	Oct.
Nov.												214	4,917									Nov.

★ Note: All dollar series are expressed at annual rates. 1. As per survey of corporate earnings: profits before payment of dividends abroad and including earnings of Canadian corporations abroad. 2. As per National Accounts: expenditure on private residential and non-residential construction. † Revised. * Preliminary.

NOTE: For 1952 data for most of this series, see page 87 in the "Financial Supplement 1955" and for 1953–1956 data see page 118 in the "Financial Supplement 1956".

MANUFACTURING: SHIPMENTS, ORDERS AND INVENTORIES

ESTIMATES FOR ALL ITEMS IN ALL INDUSTRIES

Millions of Dollars — *"Inventories, Shipments and Orders in Manufacturing Industries", DBS*

	Shipments During Month 1	Orders: New Orders Received During Month 2	Orders: Unfilled Orders at end of Month 3	Inventories at End of Month: Owned 4	All Inventories Held: Total 5	Raw Materials	Goods in Process	Finished Products
1956—Feb.	1,621	1,672	3,048	3,790	4,233	1,816	1,142	1,276
Mar.	1,761	1,759	3,046	3,833	4,262	1,823	1,150	1,289
Apr.	1,752	1,779	3,074	3,845	4,281	1,817	1,158	1,306
May	1,888	1,852	3,037	3,883	4,342	1,838	1,184	1,320
June	1,867	1,760	2,930	3,933	4,397	1,854	1,191	1,352
July	1,764	1,739	2,905	3,937	4,392	1,882	1,164	1,346
Aug.	1,810	1,831	2,926	3,938	4,399	1,897	1,170	1,332
Sept.	1,798	1,812	2,940	3,970	4,441	1,903	1,189	1,349
Oct.	1,911	1,858	2,886	3,989	4,464	1,926	1,205	1,333
Nov.	1,849	1,846	2,883	4,059	4,545	1,954	1,229	1,362
Dec.	1,717	1,966	3,133	4,119	4,608	1,995	1,236	1,377
1957—Jan.	1,691†	1,796	3,239	4,166	4,668	1,992	1,257	1,419
Feb.	1,655†	1,645	3,230	4,265	4,777	2,012	1,283	1,482
Mar.	1,862†	1,796	3,165	4,262	4,792†	2,022	1,285	1,485
Apr.	1,811†	1,732	3,086	4,250	4,788	2,006	1,300	1,482
May	1,914†	1,813	2,986	4,279	4,818	2,004	1,318	1,496
June	1,812†	1,733†	2,908†	4,288	4,839	1,991†	1,327	1,520†
July	1,805	1,746	2,849	4,294	4,856	2,015	1,323	1,517
Aug.	1,763	1,707	2,793	4,291	4,850	2,012	1,310	1,528
Sept.*	1,761	1,667	2,699	4,317	4,884	2,013	1,331	1,540
Oct. *	1,803	1,729	2,624	4,337	4,889	2,019	1,328	1,542
Nov. *	1,793	1,728	2,559	4,342	4,899	2,025	1,326	1,548

1. Represent an estimated projection, on a monthly basis, of the latest available Census of Industry values. The value level used being the factory selling value.
2. Indicates the rate at which new business is being received. These are new orders received during the period at estimated selling value. 3. Estimated selling value of orders received but not yet shipped, irrespective of work done on them. 4. Estimated book value of inventory owned by manufacturers in connection with manufacturing operations. Excludes value of goods purchased for re-sale. 5. Estimated total value of manufacturers' inventory holdings in connection with manufacturing operations, regardless of ownership. Includes progress payments inventory. * Preliminary.

NOTE: For data back to 1952 see page 109 in the "Financial Supplement 1956".

U.S.A. ECONOMIC STATISTICS

U.S. Department of Commerce — *U.S. Dept. of Labor* — *Federal Reserve*

	Gross National Product	Change in Business Inventories	Govt. Expenditure on National Security 1	Personal Savings as a Percentage of Disposable Income	Total Personal Income	Construction 3	Unemployment	Retail Sales 4	Consumer Price Index	Wholesale Prices: All Commodities	Average Hourly Earnings in Manufacturing 5	Total Industrial Production 4
	Billions of Dollars 2				Billions of $ 2	Billions of $	Millions	Billions of $	1947–49 = 100		Dollars	1947–49 = 100
Annual Averages 6												
1951	328.2	10.4	37.3	7.8	255.3	31.2	1.9	156.5	111.0	114.8	1.59	120
1952	345.4	3.0	48.8	8.0	271.8	34.8	1.7	162.4	113.5	111.6	1.67	124
1953	363.2	0.3	51.5	7.9	286.0	37.1	1.6	169.1	114.4	110.1	1.77	134
1954	361.2	−1.9	43.1	7.0	287.4	39.6	3.2	169.1	114.8	110.3	1.81	125
1955	391.7	4.2	41.3	5.8	305.9	44.6	2.7	183.9	114.5	110.7	1.88	139
1956	414.7	4.6	42.4	7.0	326.9	46.1	2.6	189.7	116.2	114.3	1.98	143
Monthly 7												
1956—June					326.8	4.3	2.9	15.9	116.2	114.2	1.97	141
July					325.6	4.4	2.8	15.9	117.0	114.0	1.96	136
Aug.					329.3	4.5	2.2	16.1	116.8	114.7	1.98	143
Sept.	416.7	3.3	42.7	7.0	331.1	4.4	2.0	15.9	117.1	115.5	2.01	144
Oct.					334.1	4.3	1.9	15.9	117.7	115.6	2.02	146
Nov.					334.9	4.0	2.5	16.2	117.8	115.9	2.03	146
Dec.	426.0	5.1	44.2	7.4	334.8	3.5	2.5	16.3	118.0	116.3	2.05	147
1957—Jan.					335.9	3.2	3.2 8	16.3	118.2	116.9	2.05	146
Feb.					337.9	3.0	3.1	16.4	118.7	117.0	2.05	146
Mar.	429.1	−0.8	45.5	6.4	339.5	3.3	2.9	16.3	118.9	116.9	2.05	145
Apr.					340.6	3.6	2.7	16.4	119.3	117.2	2.05	143
May					342.9	4.0	2.7	16.6	119.6	117.1	2.06	143
June	434.3	1.7	46.3	7.0	344.8	4.3	3.3	16.8	120.2	117.4	2.07	144
July					346.2	4.4	3.0	17.0	120.8	118.2	2.07	144
Aug.					346.8	4.6	2.6	17.0	121.0	118.4	2.07	145
Sept.	439.0	2.0	45.8	6.4	346.6	4.6	2.6	16.9	121.1	118.0	2.08	144
Oct.					345.9†	4.5	2.5	16.7	121.1	117.8†	2.09†	141†
Nov.					345.4	4.1	3.2	16.6	121.6	118.0	2.10	139

1. Includes stockpiling, atomic energy, and Mutual Defence Assistance in addition to strictly military programmes.
2. Seasonally adjusted annual rates.
3. Value of new work put in place.
4. Seasonally adjusted.
5. Production workers.
6. Quarterly averages for first four columns. Calendar year totals in the case of "Construction" and "Retail Sales".
7. Quarterly figures for the first four columes are shown opposite the last month in the quarter.
8. New series starting Jan. 1957; not strictly comparable with earlier figures. Includes persons temporarily laid-off who were classed as employed prior to 1957.

† Revised.

MINERAL PRODUCTION[1]

Dominion Bureau of Statistics

METALLIC MINERALS

	Gold		Silver		Other Precious Metals[2]		Nickel		Copper	
	Thous. fine oz.	$ mm.	Thous. fine oz.	$ mm.	Thous. fine oz.	$ mm.	mm. lbs.	$ mm.	mm. lbs.	$ mm.
1929	1,928	39.9	23,143	12.3	30	1.7	110	27.1	248	43.4
1933	2,949	84.4	15,188	5.7	56	1.5	83	20.1	300	21.6
1937	4,096	143.3	22,978	10.3	259	9.9	225	59.5	530	68.9
1946	2,833	104.1	12,544	10.5	239	12.8	192	45.4	368	46.6
1950	4,441	169.0	23,221	18.8	278	17.8	247	112.1	528	123.2
1951	4,393	161.9	23,126	21.9	319	22.5	276	151.3	540	149.0
1952	4,472	153.2	25,222	21.1	280	18.5	281	151.3	516	146.7
1953	4,056	139.6	28,299	23.8	310	20.1	287	160.4†	507	151.0
1954	4,366	148.8	31,118	25.7†	344	20.9	323	180.2	605	175.7
1955	4,542	156.8	27,984	24.7	490	23.3	350	215.9	652	239.8
1956	4,384	151.0	28.432	25.5	678	23.2	357	222.2	710	293.0
1957*	4,436	148.8	30,138	26.3	794	26.1	376	261.3	692	199.5

	Zinc		Lead		Iron Ore		Magnesium[3]		All Other Metallics $ mm.	Total Metallics $ mm.
	mm. lbs.	$ mm.	mm. lbs.	$ mm.	Thous. tons	$ mm.	Thous. lbs.	$ mm.		
1929	197	10.6	327	16.5	–	–	–	–	2.8	**154.3**
1933	199	6.4	266	6.4	–	–	–	–	.9	**147.0**
1937	370	18.2	412	21.1	–	–	–	–	2.9	**334.1**
1946	471	36.8	354	23.9	1,550	6.8	321	.1	3.4	**290.4**
1950	626	98.0	331	47.9	3,605	23.4	**	1.5	5.8	**617.2**
1951	682	135.8	316	58.2	4,681	31.1	**	3.6	10.6†	**745.9†**
1952	744	129.8	338	54.7	5,272	33.7	**	4.8	14.7†	**728.5†**
1953	804	96.1	387	50.1	6,510	44.1	**	5.3	19.4†	**709.9†**
1954	753	90.2	437	58.3	7,362	49.7	**	6.6†	46.3†	**802.4†**
1955	867	118.3	406	58.3	16,283	110.4	**	6.6	53.7	**1,007.8**
1956	845	125.4	378	58.6	22,348	160.4	19,607	6.6	80.4	**1,146.3**
1957*	825	99.7	376	52.5	22,387	155.5	16,140	5.3	161.4	**1,136.4**

NON-METALLIC MINERALS

	Coal		Petroleum		Natural Gas		Asbestos		Salt	
	Thous. tons	$ mm.	Thous. bbl.	$ mm.	billions cu. ft.	$ mm.	Thous. tons	$ mm.	Thous. tons	$ mm.
1929	17,497	63.1	1,117	3.7	28	10.0	306	13.2	330	1.6
1933	11,903	35.6	1,145	3.1	23	8.7	158	5.2	280	1.9
1937	15,836	48.8	2,944	5.4	32	11.7	410	14.5	459	1.8
1946	17,806	75.4	7,586	15.0	48	12.2	558	25.2	538	3.6
1950	19,139	110.1	29,093	84.6	68	6.4[4]	875	65.9	859	7.0
1951	18,587	109.0	47,616	116.7	79	7.2[4]	973	81.6	965	7.9
1952	17,579	111.0	61,237	143.0	89	9.5[4]	929	89.3	972	7.8
1953	15,901	102.7	80,899	200.6	101	10.9[4]	911	86.1	955	7.0
1954	14,914	96.6	96,080	243.9	121	12.5[4]	924	86.4	970	8.3
1955	14,819	93.6	129,440	305.6	151	15.1[4]	1,064	96.2	1,245	10.1
1956	14,916	95.3	171,981	406.6	169	16.8[4]	1,014	99.9	1,591	12.1
1957*	13,183	90.0	181,563	444.8	206	20.8[4]	1,061	106.4	1,760	15.1

	Sulphur[5]		Gypsum		Sodium Sulphate		Peat Moss[6]		All Other Non-Metallics $ mm.[7]	Total Non-Metallics $ mm.[7]
	Thous. tons	$ mm.	Thous. tons	$ mm.	Thous. tons	$ mm.	Thous. tons	$ mm.		
1929	43	.4	1,212	3.3	5	.1	–	–	2.6	**98.0**
1933	57	.5	383	.7	50	.5	–	–	1.3	**57.8**
1939	131	1.2	1,047	1.5	80	.6	–	–	2.9	**88.4**
1946	235	1.8	1,811	3.7	106	1.1	97	2.4	5.9	**146.3**
1950	301	2.2	3,666	6.7	131	1.6	75	2.3	9.0	**295.9**
1951	372	3.1	3,803	5.9†	192	2.4	77	2.4	12.1†	**348.3†**
1952	424	3.9	3,591	6.5	123	1.7	75	2.4	13.0†	**388.1†**
1953	359	3.2	3,841	7.4	116	1.6†	82	2.6	17.1†	**439.2†**
1954	532	4.9	3,950	7.1	158	2.4	99	3.0	15.9†	**481.0†**
1955	628	6.0	4,668	8.0	179	2.8	118	3.5	18.3	**559.2**
1956	739	6.9	4,895	7.3	181	2.8	128	4.2	27.2	**679.1**
1957*	841	7.5	4,501	6.3	158	2.6	133	4.3	25.0	**722.8**

1. Includes Newfoundland from 1950. Since 1946 excludes data for pitchblende products.
2. From 1946 the figures represent the metal content of concentrates produced from nickel-copper ores. For earlier years, figures refer to refined metals recovered and the contents of concentrates sold.
3. Magnesium and calcium commencing in 1950.
4. Includes Alberta production valued at the well head. Production figures prior to 1950 do not include natural gas which was allowed to go to waste; value figures for Alberta prior to 1950 include some gas at a higher value than at the well head. Ontario production from 1950 valued at wholesale price rather than retail as in previous years.
5. Sulphur recovered from pyrite and smelter gas. Excludes sulphur from natural gas which amounted to 9, 18, 23 and 29 from 1952 to 1955 inclusive.
6. Not included in production prior to 1946.
7. Excluding clay products and other structural materials.

** Not available. † Revised. * Preliminary estimate.

CANADIAN BALANCE OF INTERNATIONAL PAYMENTS: QUARTERLY

"Quarterly Estimates of the Canadian Balance of International Payments", Dominion Bureau of Statistics

Millions of Dollars

	1955		1956*				1957**		
	III	IV	I	II	III	IV	I	II	III
Current Receipts[1]					★				★
Merchandise exports (adjusted)[2]	1,127	1,140	1,051	1,263	1,246	1,273	1,102	1,214	1,308
Gold production available for export	37	40	37	40	38	35	39	31	27
Travel expenditures	182	54	26	65	191	54	30	77	199
Interest and dividends	27	75	35	39	25	41	24	37	29
Freight and shipping	108	108	102	115	117	116	104	113	113
Inheritances and immigrants' funds	24	21	17	28	26	27	24	37	29
All other current receipts	105	104	91	112	108	119	106	101	84
Total Current Receipts	**1,610**	**1,542**	**1,359**	**1,662**	**1,751**	**1,665**	**1,429**	**1,610**	**1,789**
Current Payments[1]									
Merchandise imports (adjusted)[2]	1,163	1,259	1,242	1,541	1,350	1,434	1,327	1,514	1,354
Travel expenditures	156	96	93	133	169	103	100	143	179
Interest and dividends	91	162	112	116	121	181	126	147	134
Freight and shipping	113	116	99	134	131	134	109	144	131
Inheritances and emigrants' funds	30	31	25	28	29	30	25	28	32
Official contributions	8	7	9	10	5	6	5	8	7
All other current payments	134	136	142	135	150	147	143	148	141
Total Current Payments	**1,695**	**1,807**	**1,722**	**2,097**	**1,955**	**2,035**	**1,835**	**2,132**	**1,978**
Balance on merchandise trade	−36	−119	−191	−278	−104	−161	−225	−300	−46
Balance on other transactions (excluding "Official contributions")	−41	−139	−163	−147	−95	−203	−176	−214	−136
Official contributions	−8	−7	−9	−10	−5	−6	−5	−8	−7
Current Account Balance	**−85**	**−265**	**−363**	**−435**	**−204**	**−370**	**−406**	**−522**	**−189**
Capital Account[3]									
Direct Investment									
Direct investment in Canada[4]	+104	+113	+121	+169	+120	+185	+100	+150	+135
Direct investment abroad[4]	−12	−39	−66	−5	−24	−15	−20	−15	−15
Canadian Securities									
Trade in outstanding issues	−24	+25	+77	+43	+70	+17	+36	+47	+31
New issues	+17	+13	+111	+181	+178	+211	+255	+284	+138
Retirements	−19	−18	−71	−23	−24	−22	−42	−40	−44
Foreign Securities									
Trade in outstanding issues	+6	+11	−16	+10	+10	+23	−11	+16	+16
New issues	−4	−22	−1	−5	−3	−6	−4	−3	−8
Retirements	+14	–	–	–	–	–	+1	+2	+1
Loans by Government of Canada									
Repayment of post-war loans	+2	+27	–	+13	–	+26	–	+12	–
Repayment of war loans	+7	+8	+7	+8	+7	+8	+7	+8	+7
Change in Canadian dollar holdings of foreigners	+6	+14	−23	−5	−3	+5	−31	−25	+9
Change in official holdings of gold and foreign exchange (minus sign denotes increase)	−7	+36	+29	−30	−5	−27	+13	−22	+53
Other capital movements[5]	−5	+97	+195	+79	−122	−35	+102	+108	−134
Net Capital Movement	**+85**	**+265**	**+363**	**+435**	**+204**	**+370**	**+406**	**+522**	**+189**

★ The current account balances in 3rd Qtr. of 1956 and 1957 with the United States were: −246 and −208; with the United Kingdom: +69 and +49; with all other countries: −27 and −30.

1. Mutual Aid to NATO countries is not included in either current receipts or current payments.
2. As used in the balance of payments, merchandise trade is adjusted to exclude such non-commercial items as settlers' effects, and tourist purchases which are covered elsewhere in the accounts.
3. A minus sign indicates an outflow of capital from Canada.
4. Exclusive of undistributed profits.
5. This item includes mainly short-term capital movements in the form of changes in international open account commercial indebtedness, private and chartered bank holdings of exchange (including interest arbitrage investments), and loans between private unrelated parties. It also includes the balancing item representing unrecorded capital movements and errors and omissions. Includes changes in holdings of International Monetary Fund and International Bank for Reconstruction and Development.

* Subject to revision.

** Preliminary.

NOTE: For 1952 data see pages 72–73 in the "Financial Supplement 1955" and for 1953–1956 data see pages 90–91 in the "Financial Supplement 1956".

IMPORTS CLASSIFIED BY SOURCE AND END-USE★

Compiled from "Trade of Canada" Dominion Bureau of Statistics

Millions of Dollars

Source, Calendar Years and Quarters		Fuels and Lubricants 1	Industrial Materials: Textile, Leather and Fur Materials 2	Industrial Materials: Metal Materials 3	Industrial Materials: Chemical Materials 4	Industrial Materials: Other Industrial Materials 5	Industrial Materials: Total Industrial Materials	Investment Goods: Machinery and Parts 6	Investment Goods: Electrical Machinery 7	Investment Goods: Aircraft, Other Transport Equipment, and Parts 8	Investment Goods: Construction Materials, Structural Steel and Pipe 9	Investment Goods: Total Investment Goods	Consumer Goods: Food, Beverages, and Tobacco 10	Consumer Goods: Clothing, Household Textiles, Leather Goods 11	Consumer Goods: Passenger Automobiles: Engines, Parts and Finished Vehicles 12	Consumer Goods: Household Durables and Semi-Durables 13	Consumer Goods: Other Manufactured Goods 14	Consumer Goods: Total Consumer Goods	Special Items 15	Total Imports
From U.S.A.	1953	304	181	256	183	190	810	645	162	209	141	1,157	164	48	259	146	272	889	61	**3,221**
	1954	236	168	213	177	196	753	544	174	200	140	1,058	190	44	211	127	277	849	64	**2,961**
	1955	231	181	280	208	232	901	660	190	242	155	1,247	201	48	302	149	296	995	78	**3,452**
	1956	255	179	389	230	274	1,072	917	210	236	250	1,614	246	50	346	166	326	1,132	88	**4,162**
	1955–I	37	56	48	45	48	197	135	47	52	30	264	45	12	80	31	61	229	16	**746**
	II	59	47	68	55	56	226	181	42	65	35	323	54	12	95	41	74	276	22	**904**
	III	64	37	79	53	57	226	167	45	73	40	325	45	12	62	38	83	239	25	**879**
	IV	71	41	85	55	71	252	177	56	52	50	335	57	12	65	39	78	251	15	**925**
	1956–I	45	47	86	55	61	249	211	51	61	52	374	50	13	106	42	69	279	15	**961**
	II	67	40	109	65	73	287	265	54	66	74	460	61	12	110	48	84	315	26	**1,156**
	III	73	38	94	54	63	248	223	50	55	59	386	61	12	47	38	90	248	26	**982**
	IV	70	54	100	56	77	288	218	55	54	65	394	74	13	83	38	83	290	21	**1,063**
	1957–I	54	62	80	59	61	261	242	52	57	76	427	58	13	90	38	77	276	13	**1,031**
	II	68	51	91	63	69	273	273	51	62	72	457†	68	12	86	40	87	294	16	**1,108**
	III	72	40	92	54	64	251	200	45	48	81	373	59	13	40	37	96	245	23	**962**
From U.K.	1953	5	94	52	18	11	175	58	23	33	21	135	24	32	33	22	20	131	8	**453**
	1954	4	71	53	18	11	153	45	19	26	21	111	25	28	20	20	19	114	11	**393**
	1955	4	76	49	22	14	161	41	22	28	21	112	25	32	19	21	21	117	7	**401**
	1956	3	84	76	21	17	199	54	31	21	37	142	25	33	27	22	26	134	7	**485**
	1955–I	–	19	12	4	3	38	9	4	7	3	23	4	6	3	4	4	21	1	**85**
	II	1	18	10	5	3	36	12	5	8	5	30	6	7	7	5	5	30	2	**98**
	III	2	19	12	6	5	42	10	7	9	7	32	6	11	5	6	6	33	2	**111**
	IV	1	20	15	7	3	45	10	6	4	6	27	9	8	4	6	6	33	2	**107**
	1956–I	–	20	15	4	4	44	11	5	4	6	26	4	7	6	5	5	27	1	**98**
	II	1	23	23	6	4	56	16	8	7	10	42	7	8	11	7	8	40	2	**141**
	III	1	20	21	5	4	49	13	9	5	12	39	6	10	5	6	6	33	2	**124**
	IV	1	21	17	6	5	50	14	9	5	9	35	8	8	5	4	7	34	2	**122**
	1957–I	–	21	15	4	3	43	13	7	10	8	39	5	8	7	5	5	29	2	**114**
	II	1	24	17	6	5	51	19	9	10	13	51	6	8	12	6	7	39	4	**146**
	III	1	19	18	6	4	47	16	7	6	13	42	7	10	8	5	7	38	4	**132**
From All Other	1953	192	71	47	12	59	189	18	2	1	20	41	214	15	2	25	18	274	14	**709**
	1954	217	51	39	11	56	157	20	6	1	21	49	235	19	3	24	22	301	16	**739**
	1955	254	79	49	16	73	216	22	6	3	30	61	234	25	5	28	24	318	10	**859**
	1956	305	101	73	17	79	268	32	9	3	65	109	250	32	15	35	32	365	13	**1,058**
	1955–I	55	13	4	3	15	35	4	2	–	4	10	44	6	1	6	5	62	2	**159**
	II	61	19	13	3	20	55	5	1	1	6	13	63	5	2	6	7	83	2	**217**
	III	69	21	15	5	15	55	6	2	1	9	18	59	6	1	7	6	82	3	**227**
	IV	69	26	17	5	23	71	7	1	1	11	20	68	8	1	9	6	91	3	**254**
	1956–I	65	34	6	3	18	60	5	2	–	8	16	47	7	3	7	6	70	2	**213**
	II	69	30	19	5	21	75	8	3	1	20	31	67	9	6	8	8	99	3	**276**
	III	86	19	27	4	19	72	8	1	1	19	31	67	10	1	8	9	95	4	**288**
	IV	85	18	21	5	21	61	11	3	1	18	31	69	6	5	12	9	101	4	**281**
	1957–I	68	15	13	3	17	48	9	2	–	10	20	49	7	4	7	8	76	3	**214**
	II	78	18	21	4	18	62	11	3	1	20	36†	75	9	6	9	10	109	5	**291**
	III	92	18	23	4	21	65	11	3	–	12	27	77	11	5	9	11	112	5	**302**
Total All Countries	1953	501	346	355	213	260	1,174	721	187	243	181	1,332	402	95	294	193	310	1,294	83	**4,383**
	1954	457	290	305	206	263	1,063	609	199	227	182	1,218	450	91	234	171	318	1,264	91	**4,093**
	1955	489	336	378	246	318	1,278	723	218	273	206	1,420	460	105	326	198	341	1,430	95	**4,712**
	1956	563	364	538	268	370	1,539	1,003	250	260	352	1,865	521	115	388	223	384	1,631	108	**5,705**
	12 Months ending Sept. 1957	590	360	508	270	365	1,500	1,037	246	254	397	1,932	555	119	351	210	407	1,644	102	**5,767**
	1955–I	92	88	64	52	66	270	148	53	59	37	297	93	24	84	41	70	312	19	**991**
	II	121	84	91	63	79	317	198	48	74	46	366	123	24	104	52	86	389	26	**1,219**
	III	135	77	106	64	77	323	183	54	83	56	375	110	29	68	51	95	354	30	**1,217**
	IV	141	87	117	67	96	368	194	63	57	67	382	134	28	70	54	90	375	20	**1,286**
	1956–I	110	101	107	62	83	353	227	58	65	66	416	101	27	115	54	80	376	18	**1,272**
	II	137	93	151	76	98	418	289	65	74	104	533	135	29	127	63	100	454	31	**1,573**
	III	160	78	142	63	86	369	244	60	61	90	456	134	31	53	52	105	375	32	**1,394**
	IV	156	92	138	67	103	399	243	67	60	92	460	151	28	93	54	99	426	27	**1,466**
	1957–I	122	98	108	66	81	352	264	61	67	94	486	112	28	101	50	90	381	18	**1,359**
	II	147	93	129	73	92	386	303	63	73	105	544	149	29	104	55	104	442	25	**1,545**
	III	165	77	133	64	89	363	227	55	54	106	442	143	34	53	51	114	395	32	**1,396**

★ This classification attempts to distinguish between imports for investment and imports for consumption, insofar as this is possible within the limitations of the basic data provided by the trade returns. In the case of most finished goods and many component parts, the end-use is reasonably clear, although a certain amount of rather arbitrary grouping is unavoidable. Finished goods whose end-use cannot easily be determined are included in "Other Manufactured Goods" above. In the case of fuels and lubricants and most crude and semi-manufactured industrial materials, separate categories are provided in the table because imports of these goods enter into both investment and consumption. A complete list of items included in this classification is available from the Research Department on request.

1. Mainly coal, crude petroleum, gasoline, lubricants, natural gas.
2. Mainly textile yarn, fabrics, textile fibres, hides, skins, leather and furs.
3. Includes primary metals and products thereof whose end-use cannot clearly be distinguished.
4. Including synthetic resins, dyes and paints.
5. Oil and fats, rubber, paper and products, crude minerals, wood and cork.
6. Includes tools and agricultural machinery, but excludes electrical machinery.
7. Includes radio apparatus, n.o.p.
8. Includes aircraft and parts, railway rolling stock, trucks, buses and parts. Excludes passenger automobiles and parts.
9. Includes softwood lumber, cement, window glass, hardware and building fixtures.
10. Fruits and vegetables, coffee, tea, cocoa, meats, cereals, alcoholic beverages, tobacco and products.
11. Includes carpets, linoleum and travel goods.
12. Automobile engines and parts for assembly or repair and finished vehicles.
13. Mainly electric household appliances, stoves and heaters, furniture, china and glassware, household utensils, jewellery, clocks and watches.
14. Includes instruments, cameras, duty-free tourist purchases, postal packages, drugs, medicines, cosmetics, toys, books, newspapers, etc.
15. Chiefly arms and supplies for use of NATO forces in Canada, settler's effects and Canadian goods returned.

† Revised.

NOTE: For data back to 1950 see pages 98-101 in the "Financial Supplement 1956".

EXTERNAL TRADE AND TRADE INDEXES

Millions of Dollars — *Compiled from "Trade of Canada", Dominion Bureau of Statistics*

	TOTAL EXPORTS (EXCLUDING GOLD) TO [1]							NEW GOLD PRODUCTION AVAILABLE FOR EXPORT ‡	EXPORT INDEXES [4] 1948 = 100		
	U.S.A.	U.K.	OTHER STERLING AREA 2	WESTERN EUROPE & COLONIES 3	CENTRAL AND SOUTH AMERICA	ALL OTHER	Total All Countries		TOTAL VALUE	PRICE	PHYSICAL VOLUME
Calendar Yrs.											
1951	2,334	636	267	364	217	145	**3,963**	150	127.3	123.0	103.5
1952	2,349	751	291	468	281	216	**4,356**	150	139.9	121.8	114.9
1953	2,463	669	252	367	207	215	**4,173**	144	133.9	118.3	113.2
1954	2,367	658	208	349	196	169	**3,947**	155	126.2	115.1	109.6
1955	2,612	774	254	379	172	160	**4,351**	155	139.2	117.7	118.3
1956	2,879	818	257	465	188	256	**4,863**	150	155.7	121.3	128.4
12 Mths. ending Oct. 1957	2,918	763	240	507	231	224	4,883	136			
Monthly											
1956–Apr.	236.6	65.6	19.9	30.7	15.0	20.4	**388.2**	12.5	149.3	121.4	123.0
May	261.8	59.3	25.4	40.3	16.3	32.2	**435.3**	14.0	167.1	122.0	137.0
June	233.6	65.7	28.5	47.0	17.0	37.3	**429.1**	12.9	165.3	122.1	135.4
July	237.5	75.9	22.1	44.8	16.4	33.6	**430.3**	11.1	165.6	121.7	136.1
Aug.	267.5	69.1	19.2	37.0	13.6	20.8	**427.1**	14.5	164.1	121.9	134.6
Sept.	235.8	75.7	19.9	42.0	15.3	20.6	**409.3**	12.2	157.5	122.0	129.1
Oct.	285.5	67.4	17.9	47.0	21.2	17.1	**456.1**	12.3	175.2	122.4	143.1
Nov.	243.2	83.9	22.7	44.9	16.4	14.6	**425.7**	12.3	163.4	122.5	133.4
Dec.	235.9	75.0	20.8	45.1	18.4	15.4	**410.6**	10.4	157.5	122.2	128.9
1957–Jan.	219.0	63.8	23.1	51.3	22.6	23.6	**403.4**	13.9	154.8	122.5	126.4
Feb.	214.2	52.3	18.5	33.6	14.8	13.5	**346.9**	12.5	132.7	122.0	108.8
Mar.	227.6	45.5	15.2	44.2	21.4	14.3	**368.2**	12.1	140.9	122.8	114.7
Apr.	228.6	54.3	17.9	38.0	18.6	15.2	**372.6**	10.8	142.7	122.7	116.3
May	266.8	68.7	23.9	38.9	23.7	23.4	**445.4**	15.4	170.7	121.9	140.0
June	235.0	56.4	21.1	46.4	17.5	17.7	**394.1**	5.2	151.0	122.5	123.3
July	255.3	69.3	21.3	49.6	23.6†	30.1†	**449.2†**	12.7	170.9	121.7	140.4
Aug.	276.3†	69.9	17.5†	34.3	20.2	19.2	**437.4**	3.9	167.3	121.3	137.9
Sept.	256.9	68.1†	18.1	44.0	16.9	20.1	**424.1†**	10.2	162.3	121.3	133.8
Oct.	258.8	55.8	20.2	36.7	16.6	16.9	**405.0**	16.3	155.3*	120.6*	128.8*
Nov.*	258.1	74.2					**435.9**				

	TOTAL IMPORTS (EXCLUDING GOLD) FROM							EXCESS OF MERCHANDISE EXPORTS OVER MERCHANDISE IMPORTS	IMPORT INDEXES [4] 1948 = 100		
	U.S.A.	U.K.	OTHER STERLING AREA 2	WESTERN EUROPE & COLONIES 3	CENTRAL AND SOUTH AMERICA	ALL OTHER	Total All Countries		TOTAL VALUE	PRICE	PHYSICAL VOLUME
Calendar Yrs.											
1951	2,813	421	309	181	275	86	**4,085**	−122	154.8	126.2	122.7
1952	2,977	360	186	157	285	65	**4,030**	326	152.3	110.4	138.0
1953	3,221	453	172	179	291	67	**4,383**	−210	165.2	109.4	151.0
1954	2,961	392	183	199	286	72	**4,093**	−146	154.4	109.5	141.0
1955	3,452	401	211	234	320	94	**4,712**	−361	177.1	110.5	160.3
1956	4,162	485	222	328	363	145	**5,705**	−842	214.9	113.1	190.0
12 Mths. ending Sept. 1957	4,165	513	235	347	377	130	**5,767**	−833			
Monthly											
1956–Apr.	400.3	50.0	14.0	27.6	30.8	9.7	**532.4**	−144.2	240.0	113.8	210.9
May	397.7	49.5	26.5	32.9	32.4	11.0	**550.0**	−114.7	248.0	113.1	219.3
June	357.8	41.4	18.4	29.4	28.2	15.4	**490.6**	−61.5	221.6	113.5	195.2
July	341.7	45.9	22.5	28.8	29.8	13.9	**482.6**	−52.3	218.1	112.4	194.0
Aug.	329.7	42.8	21.6	30.9	35.1	13.6	**473.7**	−46.6	212.9	112.4	189.4
Sept.	309.9	35.8	21.2	29.0	28.4	13.4	**437.7**	−28.4	196 2	112.0	175.2
Oct.	394.6	43.7	21.6	38.5	27.9	16.5	**542.8**	−86.7	245.3	112 8	217.5
Nov.	368.7	48.5	26.4	35.8	30.7	11.4	**521.5**	−95.8	236.3	113.0	209.1
Dec.	299.9	29.3	11.2	22.7	28.1	10.7	**401 9**	+8.7	181.0	113.5	159.5
1957–Jan.	346.6†	35.7	16.2†	20.9	30.5	9.0†	**459.0**	−55.6	208.2	115.0	181.0
Feb.	330.0	34.8	10.1	18.4	29.9	8.2	**431.4**	−84.5	195.5	116.1	168.4
Mar.	354.5†	43.3†	14.5	21.5	27.8	7.3	**468.9**	−100.7	212.7	116.7	182.3
Apr.	393.1†	52.3	19.7	32.3	30.6	9.2†	**537.2**	−164.6	243.8	117.4	207.7
May	395.0†	50.7	29.5	33.5†	36.0	9.4	**554.1**	−108.7	251.4	116.7	215.4
June	320.1	43.3†	18.9†	29.2	32.0	10.5	**454.0**	−59.9	206.1	116.7	176.6
July	331.8	45.5	21.1	31.3	37.2	12.6	**479.5**	−30.3†	217.4	115.8	187.7
Aug.	321.3	47.2	20.7	29.5	39.9	12.7	**471.3**	−33.9	213.1	115.9†	183.9†
Sept.*	309.3	38.9	24.6	33.4	26.8	12.3	**445.3**	−21.2	200.3	116.4*	172.1*
Oct. *	327.7	44.3					**481.2**	−76.2			
Nov.*	304.2	49.4					**454.2**	−18.3			

1. Includes exports of foreign produce. Excludes defence equipment transferred by Canada to North Atlantic Treaty countries which in 1951, 1952, 1953, 1954, 1955 and 1956 amounted to 109.1, 100.9, 182.0, 202.4, 165.9 and 96.8 respectively.
2. Consists of U.K. Dependencies, Union of South Africa, Ireland, India, Pakistan, Burma, Australia, New Zealand, Iceland, Jordan, Libya, Ceylon and Iraq.
3. Excludes Spain, but includes Greece and Turkey.
4. Excludes exports of foreign produce. Price indexes are based largely on unit values derived from the Customs' entries.

‡ See footnote ‡ to "Canadian Gold Statistics" table on page 341.
* Preliminary. † Revised.

NOTE: FOR 1952 DATA SEE PAGES 76–77 IN THE "FINANCIAL SUPPLEMENT 1955" AND FOR 1953–1956 SEE PAGES 102–103 IN THE "FINANCIAL SUPPLEMENT 1956".

MERCHANDISE EXPORTS : COMMODITY CLASSIFICATION BY VOLUME[1]

Compiled from "Trade of Canada—Exports", Dominion Bureau of Statistics

	Wheat	Wheat Flour 2	Oats, Barley, Rye	Live Cattle	Beef	Bacon and Hams	Cheese	Milk (powdered condensed evaporated)	Fish (fresh and frozen)	Fish (canned and salted etc.)	Planks and Boards	Pulpwood
	mm. bus.	*mm. cwt.*	*mm. bus.*	*Thous.*	*Thous. cwt.*	*mm. lbs.*	*mm. lbs.*	*mm. lbs.*	*mm. lbs.*	*mm. lbs.*	*mm. bd. ft.*	*Thous. cord*
Calendar Yr												
1951	237	24	110	239	934	6	31	41	253	286	3,436	2,676
1952	336	26	193	15	668	4	2	69	279	263	3,329	2,329
1953	290	22	207	70	255	7	16	57	270	252	3,370	1,623
1954	208	20	126	89	186	8	5	33	294	281	4,034	1,645
1955	190	17	86	68	87	10	14	29	258	257	4,603	1,695
1956	302	17	102	57	128	8	12	32	283	226	3,936	1,777
12-mths ending Oct. 1957	226	15	98	187	281	5	9	23	292	223	3,592	1,666
Monthly												
1956–Mar.	17.6	1.4	1.7	4.3	7.7	0.6	0.4	1.7	21.3	17.8	320.7	122.1
Apr.	26.1	1.4	7.8	4.8	8.8	0.7	0.2	2.1	15.0	15.3	337.9	53.9
May	33.9	1.6	6.3	9.8	10.6	0.8	0.8	2.9	15.6	16.7	299.2	64.0
June	39.2	1.3	11.5	6.3	7.3	0.6	0.8	2.8	19.3	18.2	362.5	89.4
July	34.9	1.6	11.6	5.1	8.8	0.7	0.4	4.0	23.8	18.2	371.5	153.7
Aug.	23.7	1.5	12.6	5.0	10.1	0.7	2.1	3.1	35.3	12.6	367.0	229.9
Sept.	23.7	1.2	6.3	4.4	14.0	0.5	1.0	3.9	30.6	19.5	335.6	224.5
Oct.	24.1	1.5	13.8	4.1	15.7	0.5	0.9	2.7	46.7	24.0	369.2	230.8
Nov.	22.6	1.4	8.6	3.3	18.4	0.7	2.5	2.7	22.4	23.1	316.9	146.7
Dec.	20.0	1.3	15.5	2.2	12.7	0.6	1.3	2.7	14.3	21.2	244.1	132.7
1957–Jan.	19.3	1.5	7.8	2.5	9.1	0.4	0.7	1.4	19.1	15.5	253.9	135.9
Feb.	14.6	1.2	3.8	2.5	7.3	0.3	0.3	0.7	12.0	15.2	238.4	179.7
Mar.	13.1	1.2	5.7	3.5	9.1	0.4	–	1.2	21.3	15.5	268.5	144.5
Apr.	13.7	1.3	5.6	5.3	4.7	0.3	0.3	1.0	15.8	14.4	269.7	63.9
May	18.8	1.0	9.3	7.1	9.9	0.4	0.1	1.6	17.5	14.9	318.4	65.9
June	18.3	0.8	9.4	8.4	9.0	0.3	0.3	2.4	19.6	15.6	327.4	95.8
July	26.2	1.2	9.8	15.8	18.0	0.3	1.2	2.7	33.4	21.8	331.7	130.2
Aug.	20.4	1.1	7.1	28.4	41.3	0.3	0.9	2.9	36.1	17.9	310.7	242.6
Sept.	24.0	1.2	4.7	38.1	60.5	0.3	0.6	2.5	36.6	22.9	376.7	200.8
Oct.	14.6	1.5	10.7	70.2	81.1	0.4	0.7	1.5	43.9	24.5	335.6	127.6

	Wood Pulp	News-print	Autos and Trucks	Aluminum (unmanufactured)	Copper (unmanufactured)	Lead (unmanufactured)	Zinc (unmanufactured)	Nickel (unmanufactured)	Silver (unmanufactured)	Asbestos (unmanufactured)	Iron Ore	New Gold Production Available for Export ‡
	Thous. tons	*Thous. tons*	*Thous.*	*Thous. tons*	*Thous. tons*	*Thous. tons*	*Thous. tons*	*Thous. tons*	*Thous. fine oz.*	*Thous. tons*	*Thous. tons*	*Thous. fine oz.*
Calendar Yr												
1951	2,243	5,112	60	375	152	127	305	131	17,795	942	3,226	4,080
1952	1,941	5,327	80	441	168	159	352	142	18,475	902	3,847	4,310
1953	1,950	5,375	45	491	200	165	355	145	20,319	879	4,820	4,167
1954	2,180	5,522	11	500	223	177	391	159	23,139	888	6,127	4,556
1955	2,366	5,763	18	538	230	151	410	174	22,472	1,002	14,569	4,506
1956	2,374	5,967	19	526	240	130	389	177	21,266	964	20,265	4,379
12-mths ending Oct. 1957	2,315	4,994	20	525	270	135	392	177	19,489	1,033	20,956	4,061
Monthly												
1956–Mar.	180.0	465.8	2.1	22.0	17.9	6.3	21.1	16.2	1,307.9	67.5	61.2	356.3
Apr.	201.3	503.0	1.5	41.7	19.5	10.5	29.7	14.5	1,747.9	73.2	105.4	359.9
May	214.1	545.2	3.9	39.7	18.3	9.8	25.8	14.7	1,442.7	106.2	1,806.7	417.9
June	202.7	456.9	1.5	43.1	15.9	9.5	29.1	16.4	1,562.9	83.4	2,140.2	377.0
July	198.2	524.5	1.4	47.7	21.4	20.4	48.6	11.1	1,675.8	81.3	2,655.6	324.5
Aug.	215.2	546.0	0.9	42.3	19.6	9.3	30.1	18.5	2,525.0	88.6	3,015.6	423.6
Sept.	195.4	443.1	1.1	37.9	22.5	15.8	34.7	13.8	1,719.4	80.6	4,062.4	359.2
Oct.	229.9	542.1	2.8	47.4	19.2	15.7	36.2	12.8	1,999.9	82.7	3,496.7	362.2
Nov.	176.4	521.5	0.9	66.5	24.3	12.1	40.2	14.1	1,684.9	82.0	2,237.1	365.9
Dec.	180.1	478.6	1.3	55.1	24.9	7.3	34.0	15.6	2,263.0	92.0	309.9	310.8
1957–Jan.	203.1	496.9	1.6	45.5	26.0	12.2	34.4	14.3	1,324.2	64.1	155.1	416.1
Feb.	187.2	450.9	2.5	45.6	20.3	8.4	27.7	10.0	1,420.0	59.4	13.4	375.1
Mar.	182.7	475.1	0.8	48.8	20.9	9.3	25.5	15.0	1,714.7	69.0	181.2	361.7
Apr.	185.8	466.5	3.3	32.2	22.2	8.9	30.1	18.7	1,678.7	80.7	179.4	325.9
May	214.3	512.6	1.9	62.2	23.1	11.1	31.5	18.4	1,777.8	129.2	1,779.3	461.6
June	194.5	541.7	2.0	41.7	18.6	16.0	28.6	14.5	1,441.5	86.0	2,025.9	155.0
July	164.8	503.3	2.4	41.7	24.5	13.3	29.5	14.2	1,420.5	86.1	3,350.5	382.3
Aug.	216.5	582.5	0.8	29.8	28.4	9.0	47.3	15.0	1,632.5	81.1	4,637.2	118.4
Sept.	213.5	481.6	1.5	31.9	18.8	16.2	32.8	14.2	1,150.9	99.2	3,316.0	304.4
Oct.	196.0	482.9	1.0	23.6	18.3	10.8	30.1	13.4	1,980.3	104.2	2,771.4	483.9

1. Where quantity is shown in tons, a short ton of 2000 lbs. has been used.
2. Data prior to 1956 has been converted at the rate of 1.96 cwt. per barrel.

‡See footnote ‡ to "Canadian Gold Statistics" table on page 341.

MERCHANDISE IMPORTS : COMMODITY CLASSIFICATION BY VOLUME[1]

Compiled from "Trade of Canada—Imports", Dominion Bureau of Statistics

	Bananas	Oranges	Fresh Vegetables	Sugar	Coffee	Tea	Cocoa	Distilled Beverages	Cotton (raw and unmanufactured)	Cotton (thread, yarns and fabrics)	Wool (raw and unmanufactured)	Wool (yarns, fabrics and worsteds)
	Thous. cwt.	*Thous. cu. ft.*	*mm. lbs.*	*Thous. cwt.*	*mm. lbs.*	*mm. lbs.*	*mm. lbs.*	*Thous. gals.*	*mm. lbs.*	*mm. lbs.*	*mm. lbs.*	*mm. lbs.*
Calendar Yr												
1951	2,666	9,902	517	10,926	88	42	28	3,099	215	50	45	12
1952	2,819	11,024	777	11,864	98	46	34	3,995	181	51	32	12
1953	3,001	12,146	714	11,389	107	46	39	3,868	175	57	40	16
1954	2,954	11,598	858	13,095	95	45	36	3,369	167	48	26	12
1955	2,953	11,453	952	13,516	104	43	33	3,585	197	55	34	13
1956	3,074	11,201	959	14,319	110	46	34	3,630	215	63	37	17
12-mths ending Aug. 1957	3,134	10,896	1,020	13,630	106	46	38	3,863	205	67	32	19
Monthly												
1956–Jan.	180.8	911.4	71.1	573.3	9.5	3.9	1.4	255.9	24.8	6.5	2.6	1.2
Feb.	213.6	920.5	77.3	596.3	9.5	2.2	2.7	190.1	17.4	6.1	4.9	1.2
Mar.	234.1	1,059.2	86.2	507.1	10.5	3.2	1.9	310.4	21.0	5.7	3.5	1.1
Apr.	266.7	956.4	110.0	834.7	8.9	5.7	2.1	264.8	21.8	6.0	3.6	1.7
May	299.2	1,087.7	123.2	1,768.5	11.3	5.4	4.0	342.5	16.9	5.5	4.7	1.6
June	346.5	1,023.1	136.3	1,269.4	8.2	3.2	5.3	300.3	8.8	4.3	3.6	1.7
July	331.0	790.6	94.8	1,554.9	8.8	3.6	2.7	241.6	8.5	4.5	3.0	1.9
Aug.	330.3	718.9	22.4	1,330.5	8.5	3.2	7.1	265.1	19.2	4.2	2.7	1.6
Sept.	240.9	634.9	41.3	1,640.3	7.5	3.0	1.4	231.1	12.6	3.8	2.0	1.1
Oct.	248.1	672.1	73.9	1,830.9	9.5	5.1	2.4	490.3	19.1	5.4	2.2	1.4
Nov.	190.5	769.7	57.0	2,136.7	9.6	6.0	2.2	349.2	26.9	6.0	2.6	1.6
Dec.	192.0	1,655.9	65.7	276.7	7.9	1.7	0.8	388.6	18.1	5.1	1.8	1.1
1957–Jan.	224.4	796.3	88.9	762.5	11.0	4.7	3.0	344.5	19.4	7.5	2.0	1.4
Feb.	198.4	939.7	86.8	278.9	6.6	2.1	1.9	142.1	16.7	6.0	3.6	1.6
Mar.	266.7	919.4	103.6	417.6	9.2	5.7	2.1	175.2	19.5	6.4	2.8	1.4
Apr.	291.9	1,030.8	127.4	582.6	10.5	5.9	2.5	372.1	17.4	5.6	5.0	1.9
May	329.9	1,006.9	145.2	1,679.3	8.4	3.9	10.2	330.5	19.4	6.4	3.1	1.9
June	309.6	890.8	119.4	1,373.7	9.0	3.7	1.3	290.0	15.5	4.8	2.4	1.7
July	337.2	809.2	88.1	1,104.6	9.4	2.3	8.8	372.4	9.5	4.5	2.9	1.9
Aug.	304.7	770.3	22.8	1,546.1	7.8	2.0	1.6	376.9	11.0	5.1	2.0	2.2

	Crude Rubber	Iron Ore	Pigs, Ingots, Blooms & Billets	Bars, Rods and Rails	Sheets and Plates	Structural Iron	Autos and Trucks	Bauxite Ore	Tin	Coal	Crude Petroleum	Gasoline, Kerosene and Fuel Oils
	mm. lbs.	*Thous. tons*	*Thous. tons*	*Thous. tons*	*Thous. tons*	*Thous. tons*	*Thous.*	*Thous. tons*	*Thous. cwt.*	*mm. tons*	*mm. gals.*	*mm. gals.*
Calendar Yr												
1951	108	3,831	148	197	757	382	48	2,402	137	27	2,949	911
1952	81	4,268	156	179	673	339	39	2,455	88	25	2,897	1,043
1953	93	4,168	57	117	585	310	58	2,689	83	23	2,857	1,059
1954	96	3,035	37	80	369	345	43	2,962	86	19	2,761	1,066
1955	111	4,539	29	108	500	360	58	3,092	97	20	3,038	1,119
1956	103	5,069	38	202	811	660	89	2,590	85	23	3,733	1,103†
12-mths ending Aug. 1957	99	5,684	45	158	835	729	73	2,562	91	21	4,028	990
Monthly												
1956–Jan.	11.5	38.8	2.9	13.1	61.2	38.9	6.5	11.8	3.6	1.3	311.1	85.7
Feb.	7.2	1.7	1.7	11.5	57.1	38.6	8.7	41.7	3.4	1.4	245.9	57.3
Mar.	7.7	2.9	2.2	12.9	58.5	43.2	18.3	26.0	7.3	1.2	223.2	52.3
Apr.	6.6	55.5	2.3	24.8	89.1	59.5	14.9	60.7	6.7	1.8	242.1	74.7
May	9.1	665.1	3.5	18.7	95.4	77.9	8.7	186.5	12.2	2.1	294.2	103.3
June	5.7	674.3	5.3	19.4	73.1	71.9	5.8	298.1	5.6	2.3	304.1	84.3
July	7.7	635.8	1.9	17.2	50.0	56.3	4.7	562.3	9.3	2.2	332.1	92.9
Aug.	8.3	415.4	2.6	19.1	42.9	40.7	2.9	346.3	7.2	2.3	407.6	131.0
Sept.	9.9	910.3	3.3	14.8	67.2	54.1	3.9	470.9	6.6	2.0	349.9	93.6
Oct.	8.6	898.6	4.6	21.2	77.2	67.0	4.4	428.6	9.2	2.4	377.4	109.1
Nov.	10.9	529.8	4.3	15.6	84.2	72.0	5.7	68.3	9.7	2.2	343.3	118.2
Dec.	9.8	240.7	3.6	13.3	55.5	40.0	4.7	88.4	4.0	1.5	301.9	101.0†
1957–Jan.	11.5	2.8	3.6	12.6	85.9	53.1	6.0	66.0	3.7	1.4	323.3	78.6†
Feb.	5.3	35.5	4.1	10.2	61.2	48.7	4.5	24.3	4.8	1.1	284.2	56.4†
Mar.	5.8	3.4	4.7	13.0	68.9	49.5	8.6	74.0	8.3	1.2	281.5	47.1†
Apr.	10.2	17.3	6.0	12.1	75.6	79.7	9.7	92.7	8.8	1.8	277.6	48.9†
May	8.7	540.1	4.6	11.4	73.9	78.1	9.6	337.0	13.0	1.9	397.8	57.1†
June	4.4	740.5	1.5	12.2	65.2	66.6	5.1	141.8	7.1	2.0	319.2	83.5
July	5.4	807.9	4.0	12.1	62.9	64.6	5.4	566.4	5.4	1.7	381.3	105.3
Aug.	8.6	957.0	1.0	9.4	57.5	55.3	5.8	203.2	10.0	1.9	391.0	90.9

1. Includes imports from Newfoundland until March 31, 1949 and imports into Newfoundland from other countries thereafter. Where quantity is shown in tons, a short ton of 2000 lbs. has been used. † Revised.

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